OFFICIAL NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2026
POLLS OPEN 7:00 A.M. TO 8:00 P.M.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE QUALIFED ELECTORS OF ADAIR COUNTY, IOWA, THAT THE GENERAL ELECTION WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2026

The polls for this election will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. Voters must vote in their precinct of residence. Please read this notice carefully to determine your correct voting location. If you are unsure of your voting precinct for this election, please contact the Adair County Auditor & Commissioner of Elections at (641) 743-2546 or by e-mail auditor@adaircountyiowa.org.
You may also verify the voting location for your home address at: https://sos.iowa.gov/elections/voterreg/pollingplace/search.aspx.
Precinct maps and boundary descriptions are available online at https://www.adaircounty.iowa.gov/auditor/voting_precincts/
The precinct polling places and addresses for this election are as follows:

VOTERS MUST VOTE IN THEIR PRECINCT OF RESIDENCE

Precinct	Building	Address
1NW	Adair Community Building	308 Stuart St Adair, IA 50002
2NE	Stuart Recreational Center	323 SW 2nd St Stuart, IA 50250
3SW	Fontanelle Community Building	224 3rd St Fontanelle, IA 50846
4SE	Orient United Methodist Church	124 S Maple St Orient, IA 50858
5GF	Adair County Health & Fitness Center	202 N Townline Rd Greenfield, IA 50849

All polling places for this election are handicapped accessible; however, any voter who is physically unable to enter a polling place has the right to vote in the voter's vehicle. For further information, please contact the county auditor's office at the following telephone number or e-mail address:
Telephone: (641) 743-2546 (opt. 2) E-mail: auditor@adaircountyiowa.org For TTY access, dial 711 + [(641) 743-2546]

Pre-registered voters are required to provide an approved form of identification at the polling place before receiving and casting a regular ballot. Voters who are not pre-registered, such as voters registering to vote on election day, and voters changing precincts, must also provide proof of residence. A voter who is unable to provide an approved form of identification (or prove residence if required) may cast a provisional ballot and provide proof of identity/residence at the county auditor's office by 12:00 p.m. (noon), November 9, 2026. Election Day Registrants may use an attester from that precinct, but attesters must provide an approved form of identification. For additional information about providing proof of identity and/or residence visit: https://sos.iowa.gov/voterid or phone (641) 743-2546.

Deadlines/Important dates	Dates	Bonus Hours
Worry Free Voter Registration Post Mark	Monday, October 19, 2026	Adair County Auditor's Office open 8:00 a.m. to **5:00 p.m.**
Voter Pre-Registration Deadline	Monday, October 19, 2026	Adair County Auditor's Office open 8:00 a.m. to **5:00 p.m.**
Deadline To Request Mailed Absentee Ballot	Monday, October 19, 2026	Adair County Auditor's Office open 8:00 a.m. to **5:00 p.m.**
Absentee Challenge Deadline	Friday, October 30, 2026	Adair County Auditor's Office open 8:00 a.m. to **5:00 p.m.**
Extra Office Hours for Election	**Saturday, October 31, 2026**	Adair County Auditor's Office open **8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.**
In Person Absentee Voting (final Day)	Monday, November 2, 2026	Adair County Auditor's Office open 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Absentee and Provisional Ballot Deadline	Monday, November 9, 2026	Adair County Auditor's Office open 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Veteran's Day	Wednesday, November 11, 2026	Adair County Courthouse Closed in observance
Recount Request Deadline	Thursday, November 12, 2026	Adair County Auditor's Office open 8:00 a.m. to **5:00 p.m.**

A public test of the election equipment will be held starting at 10:30 a.m. October 16, 2026, until finished, at the Adair County Courthouse.

I, Ruthie Smith, County Auditor and Commissioner of Elections in and for Adair County, Iowa, do hereby certify that the following offices and candidates will appear on the Official Ballots in the specific jurisdiction in which voters will cast their votes, at the Primary Election to be voted on Tuesday, November 3, 2026.

General Election Ballot

Federal

U.S. Senator
- Ashley Hinson (REP)
- Josh Turek (DEM)
- Thomas Laehn (LIB)

U.S. Representative Dist. 3
- Zach Nunn (REP)
- Sara Trone Garriott (DEM)

State

Governor & Lieutenant Governor
- Zach Lahn & Derek Wulf (REP)
- Rob Sand & Dave Muhlbauer (DEM)

Secretary of State
- Paul D. Pate (REP)
- Ryan Peterman (DEM)

Auditor of State
- Chris Cournoyer (REP)
- Taylor Wettach (DEM)

Treasurer of State
- Roby Smith (REP)
- John Norwood (DEM)

Secretary of Agriculture
- Mike Naig (REP)
- Chris Jones (DEM)

Attorney General
- Brenna Bird (REP)
- Nate Willems (DEM)

State Representative Dist. 23
- Ray Bubba Sorensen (REP)
- Karen Varley (DEM)

County

Partisan Office

Supervisor
- **District 2NE**
  - Jodie Hoadley (REP)
- **District 4SE**
  - Nathan Ross Baier (REP)

Treasurer
- Brenda L. Wallace (REP)

Recorder
- Kelly Mitchell (REP)

Attorney
- Ryan Benn (REP)
- Michael D. Maynes (DEM)

Auditor (TFV)
- Ruthie Smith (REP)

Non-Partisan Offices

Washington Township Trustee (Vote for 2)
- Carl Ford
- Brett Thompson

Washington Township Trustee TFV (Vote for 1)
- Chris Stuva

Washington Township Clerk (Vote for 1)
- Diane McCall

Richland Township Trustee (Vote for 2)
- Roger Tanner
- Steven R. Lilly

Richland Township Clerk (Vote for 1)
- Evelyn Hopf

County Public Hospital Trustees (Vote for 4)
- Connie Hohertz
- Clark Dolch
- Jodi Bassett
- Mark Schildberg
- Bo Geidel

Soil and Water Conservation District (Vote for 2)
- Phil Kading
- Steve Baudler

Soil and Water Conservation District TFV (Vote for 1)
- Roger Jensen

County Ag Extension Council (Vote for 5)
- Matthew Rohrig
- Beth Davenport
- Lisa Carstens
- Laura Nosbisch
- Gregory Lilly

County Ag Extension Council TFV (Vote for 1)
- Sondra A. Baudler

Judicial Retention

Court of Appeals Judge
- Julie A. Schumacher
- Sharon Soorholtz Greer
- John M. Sandy

District 5B Judge
- Elisabeth S. Reynoldson

District 5B Associate Judge
- Andrew Zimmerman

Iowa Constitutional Amendment

Shall the following amendment to the constitution be adopted?

Summary: Provides that any bill to increase the individual income tax rate or the corporate income tax rate, or the rate of any other type of tax based upon income or legal and special reserves, shall require the affirmative votes of at least two-thirds of the members elected to each house of the legislature for passage. Further, the two-thirds majority vote requirement applies to the passage of a bill to establish a new tax on any type of income or legal and special reserves imposed by the state. The requirement excludes taxes imposed at the option of a local government. A lawsuit challenging the proper enactment of a bill under this section must be filed no later than one year following the enactment.

- Yes
- No

Iowa Constitutional Amendment

Full Text: The Constitution of the State of Iowa is amended by adding the following new section to new Article XIII: Passage of a bill that increases the individual income tax rate or the corporate income tax rate, or the rate of any other type of tax based upon income or legal and special reserves, shall require the affirmative votes of at least two-thirds of the members elected to each house of the general assembly. This requirement does not apply to taxes imposed at the option of a local government. Passage of a bill that establishes a new tax on any type of income or legal and special reserves imposed by the state shall require the affirmative votes of at least two-thirds of the members elected to each house of the general assembly. A lawsuit challenging the proper enactment of a bill under this section must be filed no later than one year following the enactment. If such a lawsuit is not filed within the one-year limit, the bill shall be considered properly enacted under this section . Each bill to which this section applies must include a separate provision describing the requirements for enactment prescribed by this section. The general assembly shall enact laws to implement this section .