

**Official General Election Ballot, November 8, 2016
Citrus County, Florida**

- Instructions: To vote, fill in the oval completely next to your choice. Use a black or blue pen.
- If you make a mistake, ask for a new ballot. Do not cross out or your vote may not count.
- To vote for a write-in candidate, fill in the oval and print the name clearly on the blank line provided for the write-in candidate.

SAMPLE BALLOT

(City of Inv. Pct. 403)

President and Vice President (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> Donald J. Trump Michael R. Pence REP <input type="radio"/> Hillary Rodham Clinton Timothy Michael Kaine DEM <input type="radio"/> Gary Johnson Bill Weld LPF <input type="radio"/> Darrell L. Castle Scott N. Bradley CPF <input type="radio"/> Jill Stein Ajamu Baraka GRE <input type="radio"/> Roque "Rocky" De La Fuente Michael Steinberg REF <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in Candidate	Representative in Congress District 11 (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> Daniel Webster REP <input type="radio"/> Dave Koller DEM <input type="radio"/> Bruce Ray Riggs NPA	Justice of the Supreme Court Shall Justice Jorge Labarga of the Supreme Court be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
	Sheriff (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> Michael Prendergast REP <input type="radio"/> Michael Klyap Jr NPA	Justice of the Supreme Court Shall Justice Ricky L. Polston of the Supreme Court be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
	County Commissioner District 1 (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> Jeff Kinnard REP <input type="radio"/> Duane Godfrey DEM	Fifth District Court of Appeal Shall Judge Jay Cohen of the Fifth District Court of Appeal be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
	County Commissioner District 3 (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> Jimmie T. Smith REP <input type="radio"/> Tim Langer DEM	Fifth District Court of Appeal Shall Judge James A. Edwards of the Fifth District Court of Appeal be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
	County Commissioner District 5 (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> Brian J. Coleman REP <input type="radio"/> Hank Hemrick NPA	Fifth District Court of Appeal Shall Judge Brian Lambert of the Fifth District Court of Appeal be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
	Justice of the Supreme Court Shall Justice Charles T. Canady of the Supreme Court be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Fifth District Court of Appeal Shall Justice Vincent G. Torpy Jr of the Fifth District Court of Appeal be retained in office? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
United States Senator (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> Marco Rubio REP <input type="radio"/> Patrick Murphy DEM <input type="radio"/> Paul Stanton LPF <input type="radio"/> Tony Khoury NPA <input type="radio"/> Bruce Nathan NPA <input type="radio"/> Steven Machat NPA <input type="radio"/> Basil E. Dalack NPA <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in Candidate		

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School Board Member District 4 (Vote for One)	No. 2 Constitutional Amendment, Article X, Section 29	No. 5 Constitutional Amendment, Article VII, Section 6 Article XII	
<input type="radio"/> Sandy B. Counts <input type="radio"/> Bill Murray	Use of Marijuana for Debilitating Medical Conditions.	Homestead Tax Exemption for Certain Senior, Low-income, Long- term Residents; Determination of Just Value.	
Citrus County Community Charitable Foundation Seat 1 (Vote for One)	<p>Allows medical use of marijuana for individuals with debilitating medical conditions as determined by a licensed Florida physician. Allows caregivers to assist patients' medical use of marijuana. The Department of Health shall register and regulate centers that produce and distribute marijuana for medical purposes and shall issue identification cards to patients and caregivers. Applies only to Florida law. Does not immunize violations of federal law or any non-medical use, possession or production of marijuana.</p> <p>Increased costs from this amendment to state and local governments cannot be determined. There will be additional regulatory costs and enforcement activities associated with the production, sale, use and possession of medical marijuana. Fees may offset some of the regulatory costs. Sales tax will likely apply to most purchases, resulting in a substantial increase in state and local government revenues that cannot be determined precisely. The impact on property tax revenues cannot be determined.</p>	<p>Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution to revise the homestead tax exemption that may be granted by counties or municipalities for property with just value less than \$250,000 owned by certain senior, low-income, long-term residents to specify that just value is determined in the first tax year the owner applies and is eligible for the exemption. The amendment takes effect January 1, 2017, and applies retroactively to exemptions granted before January 1, 2017.</p>	
<input type="radio"/> Sophia Diaz-Fonseca <input type="radio"/> Stephen L. Teaster II			<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Citrus County Community Charitable Foundation Seat 2 (Vote for One)			<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
<input type="radio"/> Sondra L. Moylan <input type="radio"/> Paul Perregaux			<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Mosquito Control Board Seat 2 (Vote for One)	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	City of Inverness Charter Amendment 1	
<input type="radio"/> Janet A. Barek <input type="radio"/> Mark Hammer <input type="radio"/> Steve Henninger <input type="radio"/> Leon Dale McClellan <input type="radio"/> Robert B. Waters	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<p>Should Article V, Section 5.07, sale, leasing or subleasing of city property, be amended to provide that leasing of real property for commercial, professional and public use may be leased for an initial term of up to 25 years, with renewals up to 10 year increments, for up to a 99 year term.</p>	
No. 1 Constitutional Amendment, Article X, Section 29	No. 3 Constitutional Amendment, Article VII, Section 6 Article XII	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	
Rights of Electricity Consumers Regarding Solar Energy Choice.	Tax Exemption for Totally and Permanently Disabled First Responders.	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	
<p>This amendment establishes a right under Florida's constitution for consumers to own or lease solar equipment installed on their property to generate electricity for their own use. State and local governments shall retain their abilities to protect consumer rights and public health, safety and welfare, and to ensure that consumers who do not choose to install solar are not required to subsidize the costs of backup power and electric grid access to those who do.</p>	<p>Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution to authorize a first responder, who is totally and permanently disabled as a result of injuries sustained in the line of duty, to receive relief from ad valorem taxes assessed on homestead property, if authorized by general law. If approved by voters, the amendment takes effect January 1, 2017.</p>	City of Inverness Charter Amendment 2	
<p>The amendment is not expected to result in an increase or decrease in any revenues or costs to state and local government.</p>	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<p>Should a new Article V, Section 5.22, purchase of real property, be adopted providing procedures for the acquisition of real property and for the purchase of real property which exceeds \$200,000.00 in value, that the city council shall obtain at least one governor and cabinet approved appraisal organization or state certified general appraiser.</p>	
<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	
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