

MY UNION. MY VOTE. NOV. 6TH



How you vote is a personal decision, but unions of working people like yours did the research, conducted interviews, and recommend these votes. Learn more at AFL-CIO.org.

STATEWIDE	
Office	Candidate
NC Supreme Court	Anita Earls
NC Ct. of Appeals	Allegra Collins
NC Ct. of Appeals	John Arrowood
NC Ct. of Appeals	Toby Hampson
AMENDMENTS	
Issue	Vote
Income Tax Cap	AGAINST
Photo ID Restriction	AGAINST
Judicial Vacancy Appt.	AGAINST
Elections and Ethics	AGAINST

US HOUSE	
District	Candidate
1	GK Butterfield
2	Linda Coleman
4	David Price
5	DD Adams
7	Kyle Horton
8	Frank McNeill
9	Dan McCready
10	David Brown
11	Phillip Price
12	Alma Adams
13	Kathy Manning

NC SENATE	
District	Candidate
1	D. Cole Phelps
2	Ginger Garner
4	Milton (Toby) Fitch Jr
8	David Sink Jr
9	Harper Peterson
11	Albert Pacer
14	Dan Blue Jr
15	Jay Chaudhuri
16	Wiley Nickel
17	Sam Searcy
18	Mack Paul
19	Kirk DeViere
20	Floyd McKissick
22	Mike Woodard
23	Valerie Foushee
24	JD Wooten
27	Michael Garrett
28	Gladys A Robinson
29	Cheraton Love
30	Jen Mangrum
31	John Motsinger Jr
32	Paul Lowe Jr
34	Beniah McMiller
37	Jeff Jackson
38	Mujtaba Mohammed
39	Chad Stachowicz
40	Joyce Waddell
41	Natasha Marcus
46	Art Sherwood
47	David Wheeler
48	Norm Bossert
49	Terry Van Duyen

NC HOUSE	
District	Candidate
1	Ronald Wesson
2	Darryl Moss
5	Howard Hunter III
7	Bobbie Richardson
9	Kristoffer Rixon
11	Allison Dahle
16	John Johnson
17	Tom Simmons
18	Deb Butler
19	Marcia Morgan
20	Leslie Cohen
21	Raymond Smith Jr
23	Shelly Willingham
24	Jean Farmer-Butterfield
26	Linda Bennett
27	Michael Wray
29	MaryAnn Black
30	Marcia Morey
31	Zack Forde-Hawkins
32	Terry Garrison
33	Rosa Gill
34	Grier Martin
35	Terrence Everitt
36	Julie Von Haefen
37	Sydney Batch
38	Yvonne Lewis Holley
39	Darren Jackson
40	Joe John
42	Marvin Lucas, Jr
43	Elmer Floyd
44	William O Richardson
46	Barbara Yates-Lockamy
47	Charles Graham
48	Garland Pierce
49	Cynthia Ball
50	Graig Meyer
52	Lowell Simon
53	Richard Chapman
56	Verla Insko
57	Ashton Clemmons
58	Amos Quick
59	Steve Buccini
60	Cecil Brockman
61	Mary (Pricey) Harrison
62	Martha Shafer
63	Erica McAdoo
65	Michael H (Mike) Lee
69	Jennifer Benson
71	Evelyn Terry
74	Terri Legrand
75	Dan Besse
77	Bonnie Clark
80	Wendy Sellars
82	Aimy Steele
83	Gail Young
85	Howard Larsen
88	Mary Belk
89	Greg Cranford
92	Chaz Beasley
94	Dianne Little

NC HOUSE (CONT.)	
District	Candidate
97	Natalie Robertson
98	Christy Clark
99	Nasif Majeed
100	John Autry
101	Carolyn Logan
102	Becky Carney
103	Rachel Hunt
104	Brandon Lofton
105	Wesley Harris
106	Carla Cunningham
107	Kelly Alexander Jr
108	Robert Kellogg
110	Christy McCleary
112	Gregory Gallagher
113	Samuel Edney
114	Susan Fisher
115	John Ager
116	Brian Turner
117	Gayle Kemp
118	Rhonda Cole Schandavel
119	Joe Sam Queen

COUNTIES	
Office	Candidate
ALAMANCE CO.	
Commission	Kristen Powers
ANSON CO.	
Commission	Vancine Sturdivant
Sheriff	Landric Reid

BLADEN CO.	
Office	Candidate
Sheriff	Hakeem Brown

BUNCOMBE CO.	
Office	Candidate
Commission 2	Amanda Edwards
Commission 3	Donna Ensley
District Atty. 40	Todd Williams

CABARRUS CO.	
Office	Candidate
Board of Ed.	Richard Bovard

CUMBERLAND CO.	
Office	Candidate
Commission	Charles Evans

GUILFORD CO.	
Office	Candidate
District Atty 24	Avery Michelle Crump
Board of Ed. 8	Deena Hayes
Board of Ed. At-large	Alan Duncan

HENDERSON CO.	
Office	Candidate
Commission 1	Patricia (Pat) Sheley

LINCOLN CO.	
Office	Candidate
Clerk of Court	Franklin E. Lowry
Board of Ed.	Clifidean Foster Bethea

COUNTIES (CONT.)	
Office	Candidate
MECKLENBURG CO.	
Commission 2	Vilma Leake
Commission 3	George Dunlap
Commission 4	Mark Jerrell
Commission 6	Susan Rodriguez McDowell
Commision At-large	Trevor M. Fuller
Commision At-large	Pat Cotham
District Atty. 37	Spencer Merriweather
Sheriff	Garry L. McFadden
Superior Ct. 26C	Reggie McKnight
Superior Ct. 26E	Donnie Hoover
District Ct. 26A-1	Alicia D. Brooks
District Ct. 26A-2	Donald Cureton Jr
District Ct. 26F-2	Khalif Rhodes
District Ct. 26G-1	Ricky McKoy-Mitchell

NEW HANOVER CO.	
Office	Candidate
Commission	Rob Zapple
Commission	Julia Olson-Boseman
Board of Ed.	Stefanie Adams
Board of Ed.	Nelson Beaulieu
Board of Ed.	Judy Justice
Board of Ed.	Elena Rosemond-Hoerr

RANDOLPH CO.	
Office	Candidate
Commission 3	Elworth (Boo) Cheek

ROCKINGHAM CO.	
Office	Candidate
Board of Ed.	Debbie Smith
Commission	Ann Brady

WAKE CO.	
Office	Candidate
Commission 1	Sig Hutchinson
Commission 2	Matt Calabria
Commission 3	Jessica Holmes
Commission 4	Susan Evans
Commission 5	James West
Commission 7	Vickie Adamson

bold = current or former union member

= may appear at the end of the ballot. Be sure to vote the **WHOLE** ballot!



On Nov. 6, Vote **AGAINST** These Amendments

Income Tax Cap Amendment

What it would do: Permanently bar the N.C. General Assembly from raising the income tax rate above 7% even though the current tax rate is already lower than that at 5.49%.

3 fast facts to know and share:

1. This would limit the income tax to a level lower than the state's wealthiest taxpayers paid before 2013. **This proposal is a permanent tax shift to help the rich. It is NOT a tax cut!**
2. This change would **hinder the state's ability to fund vital public needs**, like roads and schools.
3. To make up for the lost income tax revenue, **lawmakers will be forced to increase taxes elsewhere, including property and sales taxes, which more frequently burden working and lower-income voters.**

Elections and Ethics Amendment

What it is: Legislative takeover of the Governor's power to appoint the State Board of Elections & Ethics.

3 fast facts to know and share:

1. A prior attempt to remake the N.C. Board of Elections **was rejected by the N.C. Supreme Court for violating the state's constitution.** Now legislators are trying to change the constitution to get their way.
2. Despite the name, this amendment would lead to a **deadlocked 8-member state elections board, meaning partisan gridlock and less ballot access for voters.**
3. It is unnecessary — **North Carolinians already have a 9-member, bipartisan state elections board**, with one Unaffiliated member, four Democrats, and four Republicans.

Photo ID Restriction Amendment

What it would do: Require N.C. voters to provide "photo ID" to vote, beginning in 2019.

3 fast facts to know and share:

1. **Voters don't know what kind of "photo ID" will be included. Current lawmakers will choose what "photo ID" is valid for N.C. voters after the Nov. election**, without any details about whether there will be free IDs available, what exceptions may be put in place, or how voters will be educated about the new ID rule.
2. **The last ID law did not include common forms of ID like student or employee IDs** and was thrown out in court for using racial data to discriminate against Black voters.
3. **This amendment isn't mainstream, it's extreme.** Only one state has a photo ID requirement in its constitution: Mississippi. This amendment is *worse*.

Judicial Vacancy Appointment Amendment

What it is: Legislative takeover of the Governor's power to decide whom to appoint to fill judicial vacancies.

3 fast facts to know and share:

1. The amendment provides few details on how the so-called "merit commission" would be assembled or who would have a say, so **voters wouldn't know these critical details of the process before casting their vote.**
2. This proposal threatens the separation of powers in our government by dramatically changing the power legislators have to control who sits on our state courts, **a slippery slope that amendment sponsors said could lead to voters losing the ability to elect judges altogether.**
3. If approved, **it would enable lawmakers to engage in partisan "court-packing"** — allowing them to add two seats to the N.C. Supreme Court and fill those high court "vacancies" with justices who agree with them. Voters wouldn't have a chance to vote on these new N.C. Supreme Court Justices until 2022.

Vote the **Whole** Ballot! Vote **AGAINST** these Amendments! **Fight Back!**