

**SAMPLE REPUBLICAN BALLOT GENERAL PRIMARY / GENERAL NONPARTISAN ELECTION
DODGE COUNTY, GEORGIA
MAY 19, 2026**

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GENERAL PRIMARY

For United States Senate
(Vote for One)

- EARL L. "BUDDY" CARTER
- MIKE COLLINS
- JOHN F. COYNE III
- DEREK DOOLEY
- JONATHAN "JON" MCCOLUMN

For Governor
(Vote for One)

- CHRIS CARR
- CLARK DEAN
- RICK JACKSON
- BURT JONES
- GREGG KIRKPATRICK
- BRAD RAFFENSPERGER
- TOM WILLIAMS
- KEN YASGER

For Lieutenant Governor
(Vote for One)

- DAVID CLARK
- GREG DOLEZAL
- STEVE GOOCH
- JOHN F. KENNEDY
- BRENDA LYNN NELSON-PORTER
- TAKOSHA SWAN
- BLAKE TILLERY

For Secretary of State
(Vote for One)

- TIM FLEMING
- VERNON JONES
- KELVIN KING
- TED METZ
- GABRIEL "GABE" STERLING

For Attorney General
(Vote for One)

- BILL COWSERT
- BRIAN STRICKLAND

For Commissioner of Agriculture
(Vote for One)

- TYLER HARPER (Incumbent)

For Commissioner of Insurance
(Vote for One)

- JOHN KING (Incumbent)

For State School Superintendent
(Vote for One)

- NELVA LEE
- FRED "BUBBA" LONGGREAR
- MESHIA MAINOR
- RANDELL E. TRAMMELL
- RICHARD WOODS (Incumbent)

For Commissioner of Labor
(Vote for One)

- BARBARA RIVERA HOLMES (Incumbent)

For Public Service Commissioner District 3
(Vote for One)

- FITZ JOHNSON
- BRANDON MARTIN

For Public Service Commissioner District 5
(Vote for One)

- BOBBY MEHAN
- CAROLYN TATUM RODDY
- JOSH TOLBERT

For United States House of Representatives – District 8
(Vote for One)

- AUSTIN SCOTT (Incumbent)

For State Senate District 20
(Vote for One)

- LARRY WALKER (Incumbent)

For State House of Representatives District 133
(Vote for One)

- DANNY MATHIS (Incumbent)
- ROBERT PRUITT

The Following Commission Races are District Specific and Will NOT APPEAR on all Ballots

For County Commissioner District 2
(Vote for One)

- LYNN BROWN
- LEIGH ANN COBB GREENE (Incumbent)

For County Commissioner District 3
(Vote for One)

- BRIAN WATKINS (Incumbent)

REPUBLICAN PARTY QUESTIONS

- 1 -

SHOULD GEORGIA ENACT THE STRONGEST ELECTION INTEGRITY MEASURES POSSIBLE, WHICH MAY INCLUDE HAND MARKED PAPER BALLOTS, FINES FOR COUNTIES THAT REFUSE TO MAINTAIN CURRENT VOTER ROLLS, AND RESTRICTIONS ON NO-EXCUSE ABSENTEE VOTING TO RESTORE TRUST IN ELECTIONS?

- YES
- NO

- 2 -

SHOULD GEORGIA PROHIBIT JUDGES FROM RELEASING CRIMINAL DEFENDANTS ACCUSED OF MURDER AND OTHER FELONIES WITHOUT POSTING SECURE BAIL?

- YES
- NO

- 3 -

SHOULD GEORGIA EXTEND THE DEATH PENALTY TO INCLUDE SEXUAL CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN?

- YES
- NO

- 4 -

SHOULD THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION BE AMENDED TO LIMIT THE NUMBER OF SUPREME COURT JUSTICES TO A MAXIMUM OF NINE TO PREVENT PARTISAN COURT PACKING SCHEMES?

- YES
- NO

- 5 -

SHOULD GEORGIA REQUIRE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEMS TO MAKE ALL INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS AND LIBRARY CONTENT PUBLICALLY ACCESSIBLE ONLINE FOR PARENTAL REVIEW?

- YES
- NO

- 6 -

DO YOU SUPPORT MAKING GEORGIA ENERGY-INDEPENDENT BY PRIORITIZING AMERICAN OIL/GAS PRODUCTION, REDUCING REGULATIONS, AND DELIVERING LOWER ENERGY COSTS FOR FAMILIES?

- YES
- NO

- 7 -

DO YOU SUPPORT BANNING CELLPHONE USE IN GEORGIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO IMPROVE STUDENT FOCUS, SAFETY, AND DISCIPLINE?

- YES
- NO

- 8 -

SHOULD GEORGIA ENACT LAWS PUNISHING STATE AND LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT WHO REFUSE TO COOPERATE WITH FEDERAL IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES IN THE DEPORTATION OF ILLEGAL AILENS CHARGED WITH SERIOUS CRIMES?

- YES
- NO

NONPARTISAN CANIDATES

For Justice
Supreme Court of Georgia
(To Succeed Charlie Bethel)
(Vote for One)

- Charles "Charlie" Bethel (Incumbent)
- MIRACLE RANKIN
- _____
Write-in

For Justice
Supreme Court of Georgia
(To Succeed Benjamin Land)
(Vote for One)

- BEN LAND (Incumbent)
- _____
Write-in

For Justice
Supreme Court of Georgia
(To Succeed Sarah Hawkins Warren)
(Vote for One)

- JEN AUER JORDAN
- SARAH HAWKINS WARREN (Incumbent)
- _____
Write-in

For Judge
Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed Trenton "Trent" Brown, III)
(Vote for One)

- TRENTON "TRENT" BROWN (Incumbent)
- WILL WOOTEN
- _____
Write-in

For Judge
Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed Sara Doyle)
(Vote for One)

- SARA DOYLE (Incumbent)
- _____
Write-in

For Judge
Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed Elizabeth Dallas Gobeil)
(Vote for One)

- FATIMA HARRIS FELTON
- ELIZABETH D. GOBEIL (Incumbent)
- _____
Write-in

For Judge
Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed David Todd Markle)
(Vote for One)

- DAVID TODD MARKLE (Incumbent)
- _____
Write-in

For Judge
Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed J. Wade Padgett)
(Vote for One)

- J. WADE PADGETT (Incumbent)
- _____
Write-in

The Following School Board Races are District Specific and Will NOT APPEAR on all Ballots

For County Board of Education District 1
(Vote for One)

- SONYA S. BUNDICK (Incumbent)
- _____
Write-in

For County Board of Education District 3
(Vote for One)

- JANNIE RYALS LAMB
- _____
Write-in

For County Board of Education District 5
(Vote for One)

- BLAKE SOUTHERLAND
- _____
Write-in

For County Board of Education District 7
(Vote for One)

- LENIECE JOHNSON (Incumbent)
- _____
Write-in