

Benzie Democrats Voter Guide for Nov. 3, 2026

Governor/Lieutenant Governor

Jocelyn Benson/Winnie Brinks

Secretary of State

Garlin Gilchrist II

Attorney General

Eli Savit

U.S. Senate Michigan

Abdul El-Sayed

1st Congressional District

Callie Barr

State Senate District 32

Rebecca Amidon

House of Representatives District 103

(Platte, Almira Townships)

Betsy Coffia (Incumbent)

House Of Representatives District 104

(All other Benzie jurisdictions)

Mitchell Distin

COUNTY MILLAGE PROPOSALS

Vote YES on three proposals:

“Tax Limitation”, “Drug Enforcement” and
“Animal Control”

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How to Vote STRAIGHT DEMOCRATIC

Mark Democratic “Straight Ticket” bubble at top of ballot. Mark any Independents you prefer. All other Dems get your vote.

NOTE: “Straight” vote EXCLUDES all Judges, School Boards, and University boards. You MUST vote those offices separately.

VOTE JUSTICE FIRST:

*Make sure to look for, and vote for, the non-partisan ballot for two Michigan Supreme Court Justices:
Megan Cavanagh and Noah Hood.*

NON-PARTISAN SECTION

Michigan Supreme Court (2)

Megan Cavanagh (Incumbent)

Noah Hood (Incumbent)

Michigan 4th District Appeals Court (2)

Allie Greenleaf Maldonado (Incumbent)

Michelle Rick (Incumbent)

Michael J. Kelly (Incumbent)

Michigan State Board of Education (2)

Tiffany Tilley (D) (Incumbent)

Judith Pritchett (D) (Incumbent)

MSU Board of Trustees (2)

Brianna Scott (D) (Incumbent)

Kelly Tebay (D) (Incumbent)

U of M Board of Regents (2)

Amir Makled (D)

Paul Brown (D)

WSU Board of Governors (2)

Shereef Akeel (D)

Richard Mack (D)

Benzie Central School Board

Chandler Williams

STATEWIDE BALLOT PROPOSALS

Vote YES on Money Out of Politics

Vote NO on Constitutional Convention

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IMPORTANT VOTING DATES

Sept. 24: Absentee Ballots Mailed

Oct. 24 to Nov. 1: Early Voting, All Polls

Tues. Nov. 3: Polls open 7 am to 8 pm.

You can request absentee ballot and register online until Oct. 30. On Election Day, register at your polling place.

To register, request absentee ballot, find polling place, track your ballot and other voting info visit **Michigan.gov/vote**. Call Benzie Dems at 231-325-0008 for more information.