

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION  
LAKE COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA

A Special Election will be held on September 19, 2023 in Lake County, South Dakota. If the polls cannot be opened because of bad weather, the election may be postponed one week.

The election polls will be open from seven a.m. to seven p.m. central time on the day of the election.

At the election, the following questions will be voted upon:

The following tax levy opt-out was passed by the governing body of Lake County and referred by petition to the voters. The tax levy opt-out does not become effective unless approved by majority vote.

The Governing Board of Lake County, South Dakota, do state that the above said board is unable to operate under the tax limitation measure currently in statute. We therefore OPT OUT of such tax limitation in the amount of \$2,800,000 starting with calendar year 2023 taxes payable in the calendar year 2024. This opt out will be for 5 years, which will be through taxes payable in the calendar year 2028. This action has been taken by the board and approved by at least a two-thirds vote of the board.

A vote “Yes” will increase the tax levy by the amount of the opt-out.

A vote “NO” will leave the tax levy as it is without the amount of the opt-out.

The polling place in each precinct of this county is as follows:

Precinct 1: Chester & Franklin Townships & Town of Brant Lake  
Precinct 1 Polling Place: Chester Fire Hall/Community Center, 407 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Chester, SD 57016

Precinct 2: Wentworth & Rutland Townships & Town of Wentworth  
Precinct 2 Polling Place: Wentworth Fire Hall, 425 S. Main Street, Wentworth, SD 57075

Precinct 3: Nunda & Summit Townships & Town of Nunda  
Precinct 3 Polling Place: Nunda Fire Hall, 410 Main Street, Nunda, SD 57050

Precinct 4: Concord, Badus & Wayne Townships & Town of Ramona  
Precinct 4 Polling Place: Ramona Parish Hall, 131 W. Main St., Ramona, SD 57054

Precinct 5: Herman & Winfred Townships  
Precinct 5 Polling Place: Dakota Prairie Playhouse, 1205 N. Washington Ave., Madison, SD 57042

Precinct 6: Farmington, Leroy, Clarno & Orland Townships  
Precinct 6 Polling Place: Dakota Prairie Playhouse, 1205 N. Washington Ave., Madison, SD 57042

Precinct 7: Lakeview Township

Precinct 7 Polling Place: Dakota Prairie Playhouse, 1205 N. Washington Ave., Madison, SD 57042

Precinct 8: Ward One – Madison City

Precinct 8 Polling Place: Dakota Prairie Playhouse, 1205 N. Washington Ave., Madison, SD 57042

Precinct 9: Ward Two – Madison City

Precinct 9 Polling Place: Dakota Prairie Playhouse, 1205 N. Washington Ave., Madison, SD 57042

Precinct 10: Ward Three – Madison City

Precinct 10 Polling Place: Dakota Prairie Playhouse, 1205 N. Washington Ave., Madison, SD 57042

Any voter who needs assistance, pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act, may contact the County Auditor at 605-256-7600 before the election for information on polling place accessibility for people with disabilities.

/S/ Paula Barrick, County Auditor

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