Nonpartisan Sample Ballot

May 19, 2026 General Primary & Nonpartisan General Election

In today's election, you have three ballot types from which to choose: Nonpartisan ballot type, Democratic ballot type, and Republican ballot type. Georgia is an "open primary" state and voters do not register to vote by party.

- The Forsyth County **Nonpartisan ballot type** contains **ONLY** the nonpartisan state and local judge/judicial contests available countywide for the Nonpartisan General Election.
- The Nonpartisan ballot type **does NOT** include any races/candidates/questions from either the Democratic Party or the Republican Party.

The Nonpartisan General Election contests also appear on the Democratic ballot type and on the Republican ballot type.

To determine the district contests applicable to you and to view your individual sample ballots, visit **www.mvp.sos.ga.gov.**

Nonpartisan General Election

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

- ◯ **Charles "Charlie" Bethel** (I)
- ◯ **Miracle Rankin**
- ◯ Write-in:

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

- ◯ **Ben Land** (I)
- ◯ Write-in:

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

- ◯ **Jen Auer Jordan**
- ◯ **Sarah Hawkins Warren** (I)
- ◯ Write-in:

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

- ◯ **Trenton "Trent" Brown** (I)
- ◯ **Will Wooten**
- ◯ Write-in:

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

- ◯ **Sara Doyle** (I)
- ◯ Write-in:

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

- ◯ **Fatima Harris Felton**
- ◯ **Elizabeth D. Gobeil** (I)
- ◯ Write-in:

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

- ◯ **David Todd Markle** (I)
- ◯ Write-in:

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

- ◯ **J. Wade Padgett** (I)
- ◯ Write-in:

For Judge - Superior Court
Bell-Forsyth Judicial Circuit
(To Succeed Jeffrey S. Bagley) (Vote for One)

- ◯ **Jeffrey Bagley** (I)
- ◯ Write-in:

For Judge - Superior Court
Bell-Forsyth Judicial Circuit
(To Succeed Philip C. Smith) (Vote for One)

- ◯ **Philip C. Smith** (I)
- ◯ Write-in:

For Judge of State Court
of Forsyth County
(To Succeed James A. Dunn) (Vote for One)

- ◯ **James A. Dunn** (I)
- ◯ Write-in:

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Visit
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- View your specific sample ballots
- Confirm you are registered to vote and your registration is up to date
- Confirm your assigned Election Day polling place

Abbreviation Definition:
(I) = Incumbent

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