The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
STATE ELECTION
OFFICIAL
EARLY / ABSENTEE
BALLOT
Tuesday, November 8, 2022

GOVERNOR and LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

COUNCILLOR

VOTE FOR ONE

DELIA and ALLEN
Harry and Allen
HEALEY and DROSBEL

COUNCILLOR

VOTE FOR ONE

JOSEPH C. FERRARIA
Joseph C. Ferraria

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WRITE-IN CANDIDATE

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SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT

VOTE FOR ONE

MARK R. FRANCISCO
Mark R. Francisco

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WRITE-IN CANDIDATE

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REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

VOTE FOR ONE

MARCELLA L. DONO
Marcella L. Dono

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WRITE-IN CANDIDATE

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY

VOTE FOR ONE

THERESA M. QUINN
Theresa M. Quinn

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WRITE-IN CANDIDATE

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SHERIFF

VOTE FOR ONE

THOMAS J. HODGSON
Thomas J. Hodgson

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WRITE-IN CANDIDATE

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CITY COMMISSIONER

VOTE FOR ONE

JOHN THOMAS SAUMER
John Thomas Saumer

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WRITE-IN CANDIDATE

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SERIAL-INDIAN AND CONGRESS

VOTE FOR ONE

JAKE JORDAN
Jake Jordan

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WRITE-IN CANDIDATE

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SECRETARY OF STATE

VOTE FOR ONE

WILLIAM FRANKS CLARK
William Frank Carbon

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WRITE-IN CANDIDATE

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TREASURER

VOTE FOR ONE

DEE N. GOULD
Dee N. Gould

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WRITE-IN CANDIDATE

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AUDITOR

VOTE FOR ONE

ANTHONY ANDRE
Anthony Andre

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WRITE-IN CANDIDATE

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COUNTY COMMISSIONER

VOTE FOR ONE

MARTHA L. MILLER
Martha L. Miller

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WRITE-IN CANDIDATE

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REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS

VOTE FOR ONE

JIM MURPHY
Jim Murphy

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WRITE-IN CANDIDATE

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VOTE BOTH SIDES

TAUNTON
QUESTION 1
PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in joint sessions of the two houses on June 12, 2019, (House no. 147 – House no. 44), and again on June 3, 2021, (House no. 150 – House no. 45)?

SUMMARY
This proposed constitutional amendment would establish an additional 4% state income tax on that portion of annual taxable income in excess of $1 million. This income level would be adjusted annually, by the same method used for federal income tax brackets, to reflect increases in the cost of living. Revenue generated from this tax would be used to support, among other things, preservation, operation, and enhancement of public schools, libraries, mental health services, museums, and water systems.

A YES VOTE would add a new Article to the Massachusetts Constitution that permits the Commonwealth to impose an additional 4% income tax on that portion of incomes over one million dollars to be used, subject to appropriation by the state legislature, on education and transportation.

A NO VOTE would make no change to the state Constitution relative to income tax.

QUESTION 2
LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION
Do you approve of the law summarized below, which was signed into law by the Governor of Massachusetts on or before May 3, 2022?

SUMMARY
This proposed law would allow driver's license applicants to request a “limited” driver’s license, which would permit them to drive only to and from work, school, or other specified locations. This law would also provide a grace period of one year for individuals who receive a limited license to obtain a full license.

A YES VOTE would approve this law.

A NO VOTE would disapprove this law.

QUESTION 3
LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION
Do you approve of the law summarized below, which was signed into law by the Governor of Massachusetts on or before May 3, 2022?

SUMMARY
This proposed law would expand the definition of “alcoholic beverages” to include not only beer and wine but also spirits. It would also prohibit the sale of alcoholic beverages at or near certain public events and restrict the sale of alcoholic beverages at certain locations, such as schools.

A YES VOTE would approve this law.

A NO VOTE would disapprove this law.

QUESTION 4
REFERENDUM ON AN EXISTING LAW
Do you approve of the law summarized below, which was approved by the House of Representatives and the Senate on May 25, 2022?

SUMMARY
This law allows Massachusetts residents who are 21 years old or older to possess, purchase, and consume alcoholic beverages for personal use. The law also requires the holder of a license to sell alcoholic beverages to obtain a business license and to pass a background check.

A YES VOTE would approve this law.

A NO VOTE would disapprove this law.