



JEFFREY PARROTT, County Clerk

OFFICIAL GENERAL ELECTION SAMPLE BALLOT

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ELECTION DAY IS TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7th, 2023

TOWNSHIP OF VERNON

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Vernon Township

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STATE	COUNTY	TOWNSHIP COUNCIL Four-Year Term (Vote for Two)
STATE SENATE Four-Year Term (Vote for One)	SURROGATE Five-Year Term (Vote for One)	Margaret "Peg" Distasi <i>Agent for Positive Change in Vernon</i>
Edmund Khanoo <i>DEMOCRATIC</i>	No Nomination Made <i>DEMOCRATIC</i>	William J. Higgins <i>The Common Sense Team</i>
F. Parker Space <i>REPUBLICAN</i>	Gary Chiusano <i>REPUBLICAN</i>	Bradley D. Sparta <i>The Common Sense Team</i>
Write-in	Write-in	Write-in
GENERAL ASSEMBLY Two-Year Term (Vote for Two)	COUNTY COMMISSIONER Three-Year Term (Vote for One)	TOWNSHIP COUNCIL Two-Year Unexpired Term (Vote for One)
Baramdai "Alicia" Sharma <i>DEMOCRATIC</i>	Damaris Lira <i>DEMOCRATIC</i>	Jessica DeBenedetto <i>Vernon Taxpayers First!!</i>
No Nomination Made <i>DEMOCRATIC</i>	Jack DeGroot <i>REPUBLICAN</i>	Daniel J. Storey <i>The Common Sense Team</i>
Dawn Fantasia <i>REPUBLICAN</i>	Write-in	Mark Heftler <i>Vernon Deserves Better</i>
Michael Inganamort <i>REPUBLICAN</i>	MUNICIPAL	Write-in
Veronica Fernandez <i>END THE CORRUPTION!</i>	MAYOR Four-Year Term (Vote for One)	
Write-in	Anthony Rossi <i>Vernon Taxpayers First</i>	
Write-in	Sally Rinker <i>Competence for Change</i>	
	Harry J. Shortway <i>Strength and Accomplishment</i>	
	Write-in	

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SCHOOL	MUNICIPAL QUESTION
VERNON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION Membership to Board of Education Three-Year Term (Vote for Three)	Vernon Township Public Question
Carl Contino <i>Transparency & Dedication</i>	Should the Township of Vernon provide a monetary Length of Service Award Program for volunteer fire departments and volunteer emergency medical services organization members on an annual basis as a tool for recruitment and retention of volunteers?
Charles Cimaglia	Interpretive Statement
Elaine Colianni <i>Parental Rights Integrity</i>	If passed by the voters, this referendum will approve the provision of a Length of Service Award Program (LOSAP) for volunteers with the Vernon Township Fire Suppression Division and the Emergency Medical Services Division. If passed by the voters, additional monetary provisions to the Township Annual Budget will be added for this annual award based on a point system for call responses, training, fundraising, recruitment, community services, specified prior years of service, etc. The maximum annual contribution per volunteer will not exceed more than \$1150.00 or the maximum amount legally permitted by the State of New Jersey. Copies of the proposed program documents are available for public view at the Vernon Township location of the Sussex County Public Library, as well as the Township Clerk's office located at 21 Church Street, Vernon, NJ 07462.
Adina Hope <i>Leadership, Integrity, Commitment</i>	Yes
Write-in	No
Write-in	
Write-in	
VERNON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION Membership to Board of Education One-Year Unexpired Term (Vote for One)	
Veronica Castner	
Write-in	

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<http://sussexcountyclerk.org/elections/nj-voters-bill-of-rights/>

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