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City of Nome
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CITY OF NOME
CLERK'S DEPARTMENT

Dear City Clerk:

Last year voters approved Ballot Measure 2 which changed the Primary and General Elections. The Division of Elections has put in the mail a post card to every household with information about these changes, but I would also like to ask that you make these cards available to provide in your community if a voter would like more information.

Please contact my office at 1-866-953-8683 if you need more or have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Rena Greene".

Rena Greene
Election Supervisor, Region IV

Enclosure

RANKED CHOICE VOTING BALLOT MARKING GUIDE

CORRECT:

Fill in one oval per candidate, in each column.

Ranking other candidates does not affect your 1st choice but you do not have to rank all candidates.

	1st Choice	2nd Choice	3rd Choice	4th Choice	5th Choice
Candidate A	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Candidate B	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Candidate C	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Candidate D	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Write in: Tom	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>

Optional Write-in: Write their name on the "write-in line" and fill their oval in the column of your choice.

WRONG:

	1st Choice	2nd Choice	3rd Choice	4th Choice	5th Choice
Candidate A	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Candidate B	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Candidate C	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Candidate D	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Write-in:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Do NOT rank a candidate more than once. Your vote only counts once for that candidate no matter how many times you rank that candidate.

	1st Choice	2nd Choice	3rd Choice	4th Choice	5th Choice
Candidate A	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Candidate B	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Candidate C	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Candidate D	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Write-in:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Do NOT give multiple candidates the same ranking. This is an overvote and counting stops at the point of the overvote.

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Candidate A	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Candidate B	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Candidate C	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Candidate D	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Write-in:	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Do NOT skip two or more sequential rankings. If you do, only the rankings before the skipped rankings will count.

WHAT TO EXPECT

1st choice results reported

Ongoing ballot counting

Counting rounds start

General Election Night

For eligible absentee and questioned ballots

15 days after Election Day
Final unofficial results reported

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RANKED CHOICE VOTING COUNTING GUIDE

WHAT

In all state and federal general elections, voters rank candidates in order of preference, instead of only choosing one.

HOW

Ballots are counted in rounds. If a candidate gets 50% + 1 vote in round one, they win.

Candidates are eliminated until two candidates remain and the candidate with the most votes wins.

ROUND 1

Only your 1st choice ranking is counted.

If a candidate gets 50% + 1 vote, they win.

If not, the counting goes to Round 2.



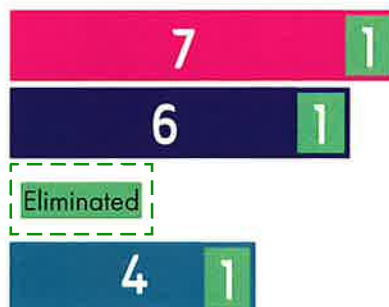
50% + 1 vote to win

ROUND 2

The candidate with the fewest votes gets eliminated.

If you voted for that candidate, your vote goes to your next choice and **you still have a say in who wins.**

If more than two candidates are left, counting continues.

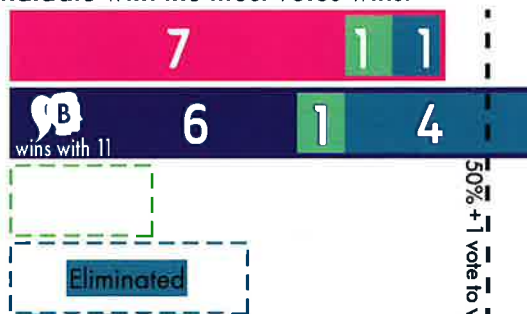


50% + 1 vote to win

ROUND 3 (and beyond)

The candidate with the most votes wins.

If two candidates are left, the candidate with the most votes wins.



50% + 1 vote to win

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NONPARTISAN TOP FOUR PRIMARY ELECTION

THERE WILL ONLY BE
ONE BALLOT

Voters will vote for one candidate in each race and the top four candidates from each race will go on to the general election.

All voters will get the same ballot, regardless of their political affiliation.

All candidates will be on the same ballot, regardless of their political affiliation.

THE PRIMARY WILL NOT DETERMINE THE NOMINEE OF ANY POLITICAL PARTY OR GROUP.

There is no nominating petition process that allows a candidate to run in the general election.



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NONPARTISAN TOP FOUR PRIMARY ELECTION



STATE OF ALASKA
DEMONSTRATION BALLOT
August 16, 2022
Primary Election

House District 1

If you make a mistake, you can ask for a new ballot.

Instructions: To vote, completely fill in the oval to the left of your choice, ● like this.

PLEASE NOTE: A candidate's designated affiliation does not imply that the candidate is nominated or endorsed by the political party or group or that the party or group approves of or associates with that candidate, but only that the candidate is registered as affiliated with the party or group.

United States Senator (vote for one)	State Senator District A (vote for one)
<input type="radio"/> Brandon Johns (Registered Libertarian)	<input type="radio"/> Diana Garcia (Registered Democrat)
<input type="radio"/> Chick Hicks (Registered Republican)	<input type="radio"/> Finn McMissle (Registered Democrat)
<input type="radio"/> Naomi Jackson (Registered AK Indep)	<input type="radio"/> Joey Brown (Registered Republican)
<input type="radio"/> LoyRoy Finch (Registered Democrat)	
<input type="radio"/> Tiffany Strait (Nonpartisan)	
United States Representative (vote for one)	State Representative District 1 (vote for one)
<input type="radio"/> Duke Caboom (Registered Democrat)	<input type="radio"/> Lauren Poorsy (Registered Republican)
<input type="radio"/> Sue Brookes (Registered Republican)	<input type="radio"/> Kristina Lealsko (Registered Democrat)
<input type="radio"/> Bruce Tippers (Registered Republican)	<input type="radio"/> Edna Mode (Registered Republican)
<input type="radio"/> Brent Mustang (Registered Democrat)	<input type="radio"/> Benjamin Monty (Nonpartisan)
<input type="radio"/> Gary Barker Jr. (Undeclared)	
Governor/Lieutenant Governor (vote for one)	
<input type="radio"/> Dirk Prat (Registered Democrat)/ Amber Wheels (Registered Democrat)	
<input type="radio"/> Elena Rivera (Undeclared)/ Jackson Storm (Undeclared)	
<input type="radio"/> Holly Bryans (Registered Republican)/ Judy Goody (Registered Republican)	
<input type="radio"/> Britney Davis (Registered Libertarian)/ Wyatt Shaney (Registered Libertarian)	
<input type="radio"/> Sherri Squibbles (Nonpartisan)/ Amy Dancy (Nonpartisan)	

Candidates with different political affiliations will appear in the same race on the ballot.

If there are four or less candidates in the same race, they will all move on to the general election.

A candidate for Governor must run jointly with a candidate for Lieutenant Governor.

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