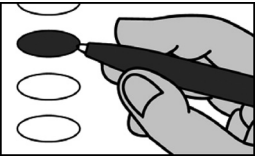


Sample Ballot
Transylvania County, North Carolina
November 3, 2026

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BALLOT MARKING INSTRUCTIONS

A. With the marking device provided or a black ball point pen, completely fill in the oval to the left of each candidate or selection of your choice as shown.
B. Where authorized, you may write in a candidate by filling in the oval and writing the name on the Write-in line.
C. If you tear, deface or wrongly mark this ballot, return it to request a replacement.



PARTISAN ELECTIONS	NC State Senate District 50 (You may vote for ONE)	Transylvania County Board of Education (You may vote for TWO)
US Senate (You may vote for ONE)	☐ Tom Downing Democratic Party ☐ Kevin Corbin Republican Party	☐ Shanaia Powell Republican Party ☐ Chad Owen Republican Party ☐ John Lanier Democratic Party ☐ Bonnie Kelley Democratic Party
☐ Michael Dublin Green Party ☐ Roy Cooper Democratic Party ☐ Shannon W. Bray Libertarian Party ☐ Michael Whatley Republican Party	NC House of Representatives District 119 (You may vote for ONE)	
	☐ Anna Ferguson Republican Party ☐ Mark Burrows Democratic Party	Transylvania County Clerk of Superior Court (You may vote for ONE)
US House of Representatives District 11 (You may vote for ONE)		☐ Kristi B. Brown Republican Party
☐ Jennifer Capps Balkcom Republican Party ☐ Jamie Ager Democratic Party ☐ Travis Groo Libertarian Party	NC Superior Court Judge District 42 Seat 1 (You may vote for ONE)	Transylvania County Sheriff (You may vote for ONE)
	☐ Gene B. Johnson Republican Party	☐ Chuck Owenby Republican Party
NC Supreme Court Associate Justice Seat 1 (You may vote for ONE)	NC District Court Judge District 42 Seat 5 (You may vote for ONE)	NONPARTISAN ELECTIONS
☐ Anita Earls Democratic Party ☐ Sarah Stevens Republican Party	☐ Abe Hudson Republican Party	Transylvania County Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor (You may vote for TWO)
	District Attorney District 42 (You may vote for ONE)	
NC Court of Appeals Judge Seat 1 (You may vote for ONE)	☐ Andrew Murray Republican Party	☐ Bob Twomey ☐ Aaron Siniard ☐ Write-in ☐ Write-in
☐ Michael C. Byrne Republican Party ☐ John S. Arrowood Democratic Party	Transylvania County Board of Commissioners (You may vote for TWO)	
NC Court of Appeals Judge Seat 2 (You may vote for ONE)	☐ Owen Carson Democratic Party ☐ George C. Sutherland Republican Party ☐ Bryan O'Neill Democratic Party ☐ Kevin Howell Republican Party	
☐ George Cooper Bell Republican Party ☐ Tobias (Toby) Hampson Democratic Party		
NC Court of Appeals Judge Seat 3 (You may vote for ONE)		
☐ Craig Collins Republican Party ☐ Christine Marie Walczyk Democratic Party		
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REFERENDA		
Constitutional Amendment		
Constitutional amendment to require all voters, not just those presenting to vote in person, to present photo identification before voting. For Against		
Constitutional Amendment		
Constitutional amendment to keep the State income tax rate from being raised higher than three and one-half percent (3.5%). For Against		
Constitutional Amendment		
Constitutional amendment requiring limits on property tax increases by local governments. For Against		
End of Ballot		