

Notice of Primary Election

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 12th of May, 2026, at the usual polling places in the election precincts of Douglas County, Nebraska, a primary election will be held. The polls will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Said election will be for nominating or electing candidates for various offices. All races will not appear on every primary election ballot as the candidates are nominated or elected by specific subdivisions, districts, or wards. The following is a list of all offices and candidates that will appear on the primary ballots and a list of offices and candidates that will be automatically forwarded to the general ballot.

Offices and Candidates Appearing on the Primary Ballot

For United States Senator (Partisan)

Eric Mortimore (Republican)
Pete Ricketts (Republican)
Todd Knobel (Republican)
Mac Stevens (Republican)
Debb Axtell Schultz (Republican)
William J. Forbes (Democratic)
Cindy Burbank (Democratic)
Earl Starkey (Legal Marijuana NOW)
Mike Marvin (Legal Marijuana NOW)

For U.S. House Of Representatives - District Two (Partisan)

Brinker Harding (Republican)
Van Argyrakis (Democratic)
John Cavanaugh (Democratic)
Crystal Rhoades (Democratic)
Kishla Askins (Democratic)
Denise Powell (Democratic)
James Leuschen (Democratic)
Melanie Williams (Democratic)
Eric Michael Foreman (Libertarian)

For Governor (Partisan)

Sheila J. Korth-Focken (Republican)
Gary L. Rogge (Republican)
Jim Pillen (Republican)
Jacy Todd (Republican)
Sal Holguin (Republican)
John Walz (Republican)
Lynne Walz (Democratic)
Larry Marvin (Democratic)
Rick Beard (Legal Marijuana NOW)
James J. Charvat III (Legal Marijuana NOW)

For Secretary Of State (Partisan)

Bob Evnen (Republican)