

**NOTICE OF 2016 GENERAL ELECTION**  
**Office of Shannon Wragge, County Clerk, Pierce County, Nebraska**

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of November 2016, at the designated polling places in the precincts of Pierce County, Nebraska, an election will be held for the following offices:

**PRESIDENTIAL TICKET**

**For President and Vice President  
of the United States  
Vote for ONE**

**Republican**

Donald J. Trump, President  
Michael R. Pence, Vice President

**Democratic**

Hillary Clinton, President  
Tim Kaine, Vice President

**Libertarian**

Gary Johnson, President  
Bill Weld, Vice President

**By Petition**

Jill Stein, President  
Ajamu Baraka, Vice President

**Judge of the County Court  
District 7 - 6 Year Term**

Shall Judge Ross A. Stoffer be retained  
in office? Yes No

**Judge of the County Court  
District 7 - 6 Year Term**

Shall Judge Donna Farrell Taylor be retained in  
office? Yes No

**Northeast Community College  
For Board of Governors - District 1**

Shirley J. Petsche  
Vote for ONE

**Northeast Community College  
For Board of Governors - At-Large**

Ted Hillman  
Jeffrey M. Scherer  
Vote for ONE

**Lower Elkhorn  
Natural Resources District**

**For Board of Directors-Subdistrict 1**

Michael C. Krueger  
Vote for ONE

**Elkhorn Rural Public Power District  
For Board of Directors-Subdivision 2**

6 Year Term-Vote for ONE  
Jerrell Dolesh

**Nebraska Public Power District  
For Board of Directors-Subdivision 10**

6 Year Term-Vote for ONE  
Virg Froehlich  
William Johnson

**North Central Public Power District  
For Board of Directors-Subdivision 4**

6 Year Term-Vote for ONE  
Terry L. Strope

**North Central Public Power District  
For Board of Directors-Subdivision 7**

6 Year Term-Vote for ONE  
Curt Zimmerer

**For Educational Service Unit No. 8  
For Member of the Board - District 4**

Vote for ONE  
Dan Garner

**For Educational Service Unit No. 8  
For Member of the Board - District 8**

Vote for ONE  
No Filings

**For Noxious Weed Board Members**

Vote for up to THREE  
Larry Foster  
Eugene M. Schmit  
Gale J. Bretschneider

**SCHOOL TICKET**

**For Pierce Public  
School Board Member**

Vote for up to THREE  
Jacque Collision  
Dave Lienemann  
Dan Unseld  
Robert Hoffmann  
Brandon (Cheeto) Hamilton

**For Plainview Public  
School Board Member**

Vote for up to THREE  
Michael Sauser  
Jan Krause  
Krista K. Hanks, By Petition

**For Osmond Public  
School Board Member**

Vote for up to THREE  
Mark A. Moes  
Michelle Reikofski  
Jennifer Wingert  
Larry M. Krohn

**For Wausa Public  
School Board Members**

Vote for up to THREE  
Terry Nelson  
Otto Wockman  
Dan Story

**For Creighton Public  
School Board Members**

Vote for up to THREE  
Timothy J Gragert  
Daniel J Morrill  
Duane Fanta  
Greg Kuhlman

**For Neligh-Oakdale Public  
School Board Member**

Vote for up to THREE  
Scott Svatos  
Debbie Bentley  
Ron Gilg  
Cory Furstenau

**For Randolph Public  
School Board Member**

Vote for up to THREE  
Jim Scott  
Cody Backer  
James Munter  
Anthony Shearer  
Lisa Linville

**For Elkhorn Valley Public  
School Board Member**

Vote for up to THREE  
Kandace G. Stineman  
Shannon D. Brown  
Brandon Rystrom  
Michael Miller  
Trevor Larson  
Tyler Tegeler

**For Norfolk Public  
School Board Member**

Vote for up to THREE  
Sandy Wolfe  
Arnie Robinson  
Bob Waite

**For Battle Creek Public  
School Board Member**

Vote for up to THREE  
Jeremy Pochop  
Andrew D. Hrabanek  
Beth Welke  
Lori Mink  
Toby Thompson  
Bryan Daum

**CITY TICKET**

**For Member of  
Plainview City Council**

Vote for up to TWO  
Chad Huigens  
Joe Grof  
Dixie Johnston  
Brian J. Schlote

**For Mayor of Osmond**

Vote for ONE  
James J. Bessmer

**For Member of  
Osmond City Council**

Vote for up to TWO  
John R. Aschoff  
Douglas A. Schmit

**For Member of Pierce City Council**

Vote for up to TWO  
Lee Acklie  
Thomas Maas

**VILLAGE TICKET**

**For Hadar Village Board of Trustees**

Vote for up to THREE  
Gene W. Schwede  
Stefanie Brummels  
Robert E. Wehrer  
Val Riedel

**For McLean  
Village Board of Trustees**

Vote for up to TWO  
James Backhaus

**For Foster  
Village Board of Trustees**

Vote for up to TWO  
Jerry E. Reikofski  
Frank Flesner

**SPECIAL ISSUES**

**Pierce City Sales Tax and Restricted Funds  
Authority Issue:**

"The City of Pierce, Nebraska currently imposes a sales and use tax in the amount of one percent (1%), as approved by the majority of voters on November, 2, 2004 with the proceeds collected to be used to fund the general operating expenses of the City of Pierce. The City of Pierce is proposing to increase the existing City sales and use tax by an additional one-half percent (1/2%) with proceeds collected to be used to fund the general operating expenses of the City of Pierce.

Shall the governing body of the City of Pierce impose an additional one-half (1/2%) sales and use tax upon the same transactions within such municipality on which the State of Nebraska is authorized to impose a tax; and shall the City of Pierce be allowed to increase its budgeted restricted funds authority for the fiscal year 2016-2017 by \$194,042.00 (20%) over the current year's restricted funds?"

     FOR said sales and use tax and increase of budgeted restricted funds authority

     AGAINST said sales and use tax and increase of budgeted restricted funds authority

**Pierce County Rural Lottery Issue:**

SHALL the County of Pierce establish and conduct a Lottery as permitted under the Nebraska County and City Lottery Act for the purpose of community betterment as defined in the Act?

     YES (For such Lottery  
     NO (Against such Lottery)

**POLLING SITES**

**Osmond Area** – Osmond City Auditorium; **Plainview Area** – Plainview Public Library; **Pierce Area** – Pierce Public Library; **Hadar Area (South Branch)** – Hadar Fire Hall; **City of Pierce** – Pierce Fire Hall, west door.

The polls will be opened at 8:00 o'clock A.M. and close at 8:00 o'clock P.M.

The Secretary of State will publish a true copy of the title and text of any amendments or referendums once a week for three consecutive weeks preceding the election.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, Shannon Wragge, Pierce County Clerk, have hereunto set my hand and official seal this 19<sup>th</sup> day of September 2016, at Pierce, Nebraska.

(seal)



*Shannon Wragge*  
Shannon Wragge, Pierce County Clerk