

**OFFICIAL BALLOT**  
Primary Election, Tuesday, August 6, 2024  
Grand Traverse County, Michigan  
Whitewater Township, Precinct 1 TCAPS

**Partisan Section - Vote Only 1 Party Section**

**Proposal Section**

**Local School District**

Democratic Party Section	Republican Party Section
<b>Congressional</b>	<b>Congressional</b>
<b>United States Senator</b> Vote for not more than 1	<b>United States Senator</b> Vote for not more than 1
Hill Harper <input type="radio"/>	Justin Amash <input type="radio"/>
Elissa Slotkin <input type="radio"/>	Sherry O'Donnell <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	Sandy Pensler <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	Mike Rogers <input type="radio"/>
<b>Representative in Congress 1st District</b> Vote for not more than 1	<b>Representative in Congress 1st District</b> Vote for not more than 1
Callie Barr <input type="radio"/>	Jack Bergman <input type="radio"/>
Bob Lorinser <input type="radio"/>	Josh Saul <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Legislative</b>	<b>Legislative</b>
<b>Representative in State Legislature 104th District</b> Vote for not more than 1	<b>Representative in State Legislature 104th District</b> Vote for not more than 1
Larry Knight <input type="radio"/>	Owen J. Suhy <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	John R. Roth <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>County</b>	<b>County</b>
<b>Prosecuting Attorney</b> Vote for not more than 1	<b>Prosecuting Attorney</b> Vote for not more than 1
<input type="radio"/>	Noelle Moeggenberg <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Sheriff</b> Vote for not more than 1	<b>Sheriff</b> Vote for not more than 1
<input type="radio"/>	Charlie Jetter <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	Michael D. Shea <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Clerk</b> Vote for not more than 1	<b>Clerk</b> Vote for not more than 1
<input type="radio"/>	Bonnie Scheele <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Treasurer</b> Vote for not more than 1	<b>Treasurer</b> Vote for not more than 1
<input type="radio"/>	Jamie Callahan <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	Sarah M. Gum <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Register of Deeds</b> Vote for not more than 1	<b>Register of Deeds</b> Vote for not more than 1
<input type="radio"/>	Terri R. Boven <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	Barb Lund <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	Scott Rokos <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	Joseph G. Underwood <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Drain Commissioner</b> Vote for not more than 1	<b>Drain Commissioner</b> Vote for not more than 1
<input type="radio"/>	Ron Clous <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	Andy Smits <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>County Commissioner 6th District</b> Vote for not more than 1	<b>County Commissioner 6th District</b> Vote for not more than 1
Jan Wyant <input type="radio"/>	Darryl V. Nelson <input type="radio"/>
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**Traverse City Area Public Schools Bond Proposal**

Shall Traverse City Area Public Schools, Grand Traverse, Leelanau and Benzie Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed One Hundred Eighty Million Dollars (\$180,000,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, in one or more series, for the purpose of: erecting, furnishing, and equipping additions to and/or remodeling, furnishing and refurbishing, and equipping and re-equipping existing school facilities; erecting, furnishing, and equipping new school facilities; constructing, equipping, developing, and improving playgrounds and outdoor physical education, athletic, and storage facilities; acquiring, installing, and equipping and re-equipping school facilities for educational technology; purchasing school buses; and acquiring, developing, and improving playgrounds, play fields, athletic fields, and sites? The following is for informational purposes only: If this proposal is approved, it is estimated that the debt millage for the new and existing bond authorization shall be 3.10 mills, for a -0- mill net increase over the prior year's levy. It is anticipated that the bonds will be issued in series. The estimated millage that will be levied for the proposed bonds in 2025 is .67 mill (\$0.67 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation). The maximum number of years the bonds of any series may be outstanding, exclusive of any refunding, is twenty (20) years. The estimated simple average annual millage anticipated to be required to retire this bond debt is .98 mill (\$0.98 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation). (Pursuant to State law, expenditure of bond proceeds must be audited and the proceeds cannot be used for repair or maintenance costs, teacher, administrator or employee salaries, or other operating expenses.)

Yes   
No

**District Library**

**Traverse Area District Library Millage Proposal**

This proposal is to restore the full amount of the 1996 millage that was approved by the voters in the amount of 1.1 mills beginning with the December 2024 tax levy in order to provide funds for the Traverse Area District Library for the next 10 years. For the purpose of providing funds for the Traverse Area District Library for all district library purposes authorized by law at an increased millage level, shall the previous voted annual tax rate which may be levied against all taxable property within the Traverse Area District Library district, Grand Traverse County, and a portion of Leelanau County, Michigan, be increased and shall the Traverse Area District Library be authorized to levy up to 1.1 mills (\$1.10 per \$1,000 of taxable value) as a new, additional millage annually for 10 years, beginning 2024 through 2033, inclusive? If approved and levied in full, this millage will generate an estimated \$8,020,750.00 in revenue for the Traverse Area District Library in the first calendar year of the levy (2024). By law, a portion of the millage may be disbursed to other governmental entities that capture property taxes within their jurisdictions. These are the Grand Traverse County Brownfield Redevelopment Authority, Grand Traverse County Land Bank Authority, and the Leelanau County Brownfield Redevelopment Authority.

Yes

VOTER: PLEASE DO NOT REMOVE STUB  
IF STUB DETACHES, PLEASE RETURN WITH BALLOT

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**Partisan Section - Vote Only 1 Party Section**



Democratic Party Section	Republican Party Section
<b>Township</b>	<b>Township</b>
<b>Supervisor</b> Vote for not more than 1	<b>Supervisor</b> Vote for not more than 1
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Ardella M. Benak</b> <input type="radio"/>
<b>Clerk</b> Vote for not more than 1	<b>Linda Slopsema</b> <input type="radio"/>
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<b>Treasurer</b> Vote for not more than 1	<b>Clerk</b> Vote for not more than 1
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Wendy Hoeksema</b> <input type="radio"/>
<b>Trustee</b> Vote for not more than 2	<b>Treasurer</b> Vote for not more than 1
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Jill Koester</b> <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Lois MacLean</b> <input type="radio"/>
<b>Delegate</b>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Delegate to County Convention</b> Vote for not more than 4	<b>Trustee</b> Vote for not more than 2
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Tim Arends</b> <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Brandon Hubbell</b> <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Randy Mielnik</b> <input type="radio"/>
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<input type="radio"/>	<b>Delegate</b>
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Delegate to County Convention</b> Vote for not more than 9
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Barbara Bachi</b> <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Mark Bak</b> <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Angela Barnes</b> <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Joshua Barnes</b> <input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/>	<b>Robert Barnes</b> <input type="radio"/>
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