

**FLATHEAD COUNTY SAMPLE BALLOT**  
**2010 FEDERAL GENERAL ELECTION – NOVEMBER 2, 2010**

FEDERAL AND STATE	FEDERAL AND STATE
FOR UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE	FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 4
<input type="radio"/> Mike Fellows - <i>Libertarian</i> <input type="radio"/> Dennis McDonald - <i>Democrat</i> <input type="radio"/> Denny Rehberg - <i>Republican</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in	<input type="radio"/> Will Hammerquist – <i>Democrat</i> <input type="radio"/> Derek Skees – <i>Republican</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write – in
FOR PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER #5	FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 5
<input type="radio"/> Bill Gallagher - <i>Republican</i> <input type="radio"/> Ken Toole - <i>Democrat</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in	<input type="radio"/> James Henry Mahnke - <i>Democrat</i> <input type="radio"/> Keith Regier - <i>Republican</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in
FOR SUPREME COURT JUSTICE #4 FULL TERM	FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 6
<input type="radio"/> Beth Baker <i>Nominated without party designation</i> <input type="radio"/> Nels Swandal <i>Nominated without party designation</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in	<input type="radio"/> Bill Beck – <i>Republican</i> <input type="radio"/> Scott Wheeler - <i>Democrat</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in
FOR SUPREME COURT JUSTICE #2 UNEXPIRED TERM	FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 7
<p>Shall Justice #2 Mike Wheat of the Supreme Court of the state of Montana be retained in office for another term? Fill in the oval before the word “YES” if you wish the official to remain in office. Fill in the oval before the word “NO” if you do not wish the official to remain in office.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>	<input type="radio"/> Randy Brodehl – <i>Republican</i> <input type="radio"/> Karen Reeves – <i>Democrat</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in
FOR DISTRICT COURT JUDGE DISTRICT. 11, DEPT. 4	FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 8
<input type="radio"/> David M. Ortley <i>Nominated without party designation</i> <input type="radio"/> Heidi J. Ulbricht <i>Nominated without party designation</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in	<input type="radio"/> Bill Jones - <i>Independent</i> <input type="radio"/> Steve Lavin - <i>Republican</i> <input type="radio"/> Bryan Schutt - <i>Democrat</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in
FOR STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 4	FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 9
<input type="radio"/> Mary Reckin - <i>Democrat</i> <input type="radio"/> Jon Sonju- <i>Republican</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in	<input type="radio"/> Neal Brown - <i>Democrat</i> <input type="radio"/> Scott Reichner - <i>Republican</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in
FOR STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 5	FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 10
<input type="radio"/> Edd Blackler - <i>Democrat</i> <input type="radio"/> Verdell Jackson – <i>Republican</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in	<input type="radio"/> Carla Augustad - <i>Democrat</i> <input type="radio"/> Mark W. Blasdel - <i>Republican</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in
FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 3	FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 11
<input type="radio"/> Shawn Guymon - <i>Independent</i> <input type="radio"/> Jerry O’Neil - <i>Republican</i> <input type="radio"/> Zac Perry - <i>Democrat</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in	<input type="radio"/> Janna Taylor – <i>Republican</i> <input type="radio"/> Cheryl Wolfe - <i>Green</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in

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COUNTY	COUNTY
<b>FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER DIST 2</b>	<b>FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS</b>
<input type="radio"/> <b>Joe Brenneman - Democrat</b> <input type="radio"/> <b>Pam Holmquist – Republican</b> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in	<input type="radio"/> <b>Marcia M. Sheffels - Republican</b> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in
<b>FOR COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER/AUDITOR/SURVEYOR</b>	<b>FOR COUNTY TREASURER/ASSESSOR/PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR</b>
<input type="radio"/> <b>Paula Robinson -Republican</b> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in	<input type="radio"/> <b>Adele Krantz - Republican</b> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in
<b>FOR COUNTY SHERIFF-CORONER</b>	<b>FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, DEPT. 1</b>
<input type="radio"/> <b>Chuck Curry - Republican</b> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in	<input type="radio"/> <b>Glen Neier</b> <i>Nominated without party designation</i> <input type="radio"/> <b>Daniel R. Wilson</b> <i>Nominated without party designation</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in
<b>FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY</b>	<b>FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, DEPT. 2</b>
<input type="radio"/> <b>Ed Corrigan - Republican</b> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in	<input type="radio"/> <b>Travis W. Bruyer</b> <i>Nominated without party designation</i> <input type="radio"/> <b>Mark R. Sullivan</b> <i>Nominated without party designation</i> <input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in

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BALLOT ISSUES	BALLOT ISSUES
<b>CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION CALL NO. 2</b>	<b>CONSTITUTIONAL INITIATIVE NO. 105</b>
<b>A CALL FOR A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION REQUIRED BY THE MONTANA CONSTITUTION</b>	<b>A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION</b>
<p>Article XIV, sections 3 and 4, of the Montana constitution requires the question of holding an unlimited constitutional convention to be submitted to the people at the general election in each 20<sup>th</sup> year following its last submission. If a majority of those voting on the question answer in the affirmative, the legislature shall provide for the calling thereof at its next session.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> FOR calling a constitutional convention.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> AGAINST calling a constitutional convention.</p>	<p>There is no existing state or local tax on transactions that sell or transfer real property in Montana. CI-105 amends the Montana Constitution to prohibit state or local governments from imposing any new tax on transactions that sell or transfer real property, such as residential homes, apartments, condominiums, townhouses, farms, ranches, land and commercial property, after January 1, 2010.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> FOR amending the Montana Constitution to prohibit state or local governments from imposing any new tax on transactions that sell or transfer real property.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> AGAINST amending the Montana Constitution to prohibit state or local governments from imposing any new tax on transactions that sell or transfer real property.</p>
<b>INITIATIVE NO. 161</b>	<b>INITIATIVE NO. 164</b>
<b>A LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION</b>	<b>A LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION</b>
<p>I-161 revises the laws related to nonresident big game and deer hunting licenses. It abolishes outfitter-sponsored nonresident big game and deer combination licenses, replacing the 5,500 outfitter-sponsored big game licenses with 5,500 additional general nonresident big game licenses. It also increases the nonresident big game combination license fee from \$628 to \$897 and the nonresident deer combination license fee from \$328 to \$527. It provides for future adjustments of these fees for inflation. The initiative allocates a share of the proceeds from these nonresident hunting license fees to provide hunting access and preserve and restore habitat.</p> <p>I-161 increases state revenues over the next four years by an estimated \$700,000 annually for hunting access and an estimated \$1.5 million annually for habitat preservation and restoration, assuming that all nonresident hunting licenses are sold. It also increases general nonresident hunting license revenues by inflation.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> FOR abolishing outfitter-sponsored hunting licenses, replacing outfitter-sponsored big game licenses with nonresident licenses, increasing nonresident license fees, and increasing funding for hunting access and habitat.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> AGAINST abolishing outfitter-sponsored hunting licenses, replacing outfitter-sponsored big game licenses with nonresident licenses, increasing nonresident license fees, and increasing funding for hunting access and habitat.</p>	<p>Under Montana law, deferred deposit (payday) lenders may charge fees equaling one-fourth of the loan, which, as an annual interest rate could range from 300 percent to 650 percent. Title lenders may charge similar interest rates. I-164 reduces the interest, fees, and charges that payday lenders, title lenders, retail installment lenders, and consumer loan licensees may charge to an annual interest rate of 36 percent. It prohibits businesses from structuring other transactions to avoid the rate limit. It also revises statutes applicable to pawn brokers and junk dealers.</p> <p>I-164 reduces the licenses and examination fee revenue paid to the State because certain lenders may not renew their licenses.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> FOR reducing the annual interest, fees, and charges payday, title, and retail installment lenders and consumer loan licensees may charge on loans to 36 percent.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> AGAINST reducing the annual interest, fees, and charges payday, title, and retail installment lenders and consumer loan licensees may charge on loans to 36 percent.</p>