

Fountain County Conservative Voter Guide

November 3, 2026 General Election

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Election Day: Tue Nov 3, 2026.

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Federal			
United States Representative, Eighth District	Mark Messmer [C] [NRAA]	Jackson Township Board Member, Fountain County	Dan Hesler (Republican nominee)
United States Representative, Fourth District	Jim Baird [C] [MCG] [NRAA]	Jackson Township Board Member, Fountain County	Jay Grubbs (Republican nominee)
State		Jackson Township Board Member, Fountain County	Todd Sarver (Republican nominee)
Attica City Clerk-Treasurer	Joanne Broadwater (Republican nominee)	Jackson Township Trustee, Fountain County	Wade Yater (Republican nominee)
Covington City Clerk-Treasurer	Shannon M Bowling (Republican nominee)	Kingman Town Council Member, Fountain County	Bryan Shields (Republican nominee)
Secretary of State	Max Engling [IRLP] [C] [ACG] [HCG] [ECG] [PCG] [MCG]	Kingman Town Council Member, Fountain County	TJ Powell (Republican nominee)
State Comptroller (Auditor of State)	Elise Nieshalla [C] [ACG] [ECG]	Kingman Town Council Member, Fountain County	Tami Woodrow (Republican nominee)
State Representative, District 013	Matt Commons [C] [TCG] [NRAA]	Logan Township Board Member, Fountain County	Eli French (Republican nominee)
State Representative, District 042	Tim R. Yocum [C] [NRAA]	Logan Township Board Member, Fountain County	James Lathrop (Republican nominee)
State Senator, District 23	Spencer R. Deery [C] [TCG] [NRAA]	Logan Township Board Member, Fountain County	Lisa Askren (Republican nominee)
Treasurer of State	Daniel Elliott [C]	Logan Township Trustee, Fountain County	Rita Lanum (Republican nominee)
County		Millcreek Township Board Member, Fountain County	Allen Brown (Republican nominee)
Cain Township Board Member, Fountain County	Cheryl A Harshbarger (Republican nominee)	Millcreek Township Board Member, Fountain County	Cathy Ratcliff (Republican nominee)
Cain Township Board Member, Fountain County	Joel M Carnahan (Republican nominee)	Millcreek Township Board Member, Fountain County	Ruth Ann Shoaf (Republican nominee)
Cain Township Board Member, Fountain County	Linda L Croft (Republican nominee)	Millcreek Township Trustee, Fountain County	Sue A Bennett (Republican nominee)
Cain Township Trustee, Fountain County	George Deel (Republican nominee)	Prosecuting Attorney of Fountain County, 61st Judicial Circuit	Daniel L. Askren (Republican nominee)
Davis Township Trustee, Fountain County	Nancy Taylor (Republican nominee)	Shawnee Township Board Member, Fountain County	John Allen (Republican nominee)
Fountain County Assessor	Amber Roarks (Republican nominee)	Shawnee Township Board Member, Fountain County	Steve Mroczkiewicz (Republican nominee)
Fountain County Commissioner, District 3	Kerry Randles (Republican nominee)	Shawnee Township Board Member, Fountain County	Sue Spurlin (Republican nominee)
Fountain County Council, District 1	Jeffrey L Fishero (Republican nominee)	Shawnee Township Trustee, Fountain County	Luke B Phillippo (Republican nominee)
Fountain County Council, District 2	Dudley Cruea (Republican nominee)	Troy Township Board Member, Fountain County	Chase M Witsman (Republican nominee)
Fountain County Council, District 3	Denise Crowder (Republican nominee)	Troy Township Trustee, Fountain County	Ryan A McBride (Republican nominee)
Fountain County Council, District 4	Kyle L Knosp (Republican nominee)	Van Buren Township Board Member, Fountain County	Terry A Shields (Republican nominee)
Fountain County Recorder	Lisa Spiering (Republican nominee)		
Fountain County Sheriff	Andrew Krout (Republican nominee)		
Fountain County Surveyor	Nicole M (Nikki) Allen (Republican nominee)		

Wabash Township Board Member, Fountain County	Chris Brunner <small>(Republican nominee)</small>	Covington City Common Council, District 2	Kathy L Easter <small>(Republican nominee)</small>
Wabash Township Board Member, Fountain County	Ronald L Crowder <small>(Republican nominee)</small>	Covington City Common Council, District 3	Brad T Smith <small>(Republican nominee)</small>
Wabash Township Board Member, Fountain County	Tracey Roesner <small>(Republican nominee)</small>	Covington City Common Council, District 4	Teryl D (Terry) Martin <small>(Republican nominee)</small>
Wabash Township Trustee, Fountain County	Tina Holmes <small>(Republican nominee)</small>	Covington City Common Council, District 5	Todd Hegg <small>(Republican nominee)</small>
Judicial		Covington School Board, Fulton (Fountain & Warren)	Heather Martin <small>(Republican nominee)</small>
Attica City Judge	Mark W Mason <small>(Republican nominee)</small>	Covington School Board, Troy (Fountain & Warren)	Chad Herzog <small>(Republican nominee)</small>
Fountain County Circuit Court Clerk	Patty Smith <small>(Republican nominee)</small>	Covington School Board, Wabash (Fountain & Warren)	Ryan Tolley <small>(Republican nominee)</small>
Local		Fountain Attica School Board, Shawnee	Kelly R Hiller <small>(Republican nominee)</small>
Attica City Common Council, At Large	Leslie Davis <small>(Republican nominee)</small>	Mayor of Attica	Larry Grant <small>(Republican nominee)</small>
Attica City Common Council, District 1	Jimmy Poynter <small>(Republican nominee)</small>	Mayor of Covington	Randy Randles <small>(Republican nominee)</small>
Attica City Common Council, District 4	Beth Erwin <small>(Republican nominee)</small>	Southeast Fountain School Board, Millcreek	Josh A Paxton <small>(Republican nominee)</small>
Covington City Common Council, At Large	James D Foley <small>(Republican nominee)</small>		

Key: IRLP = Indiana Right to Life PAC; C = iVoterGuide (Conservative); ACG = Allen County GOP; HCG = Hamilton County GOP; ECG = Elkhart County GOP; PCG = Porter County GOP; MCG = Morgan County GOP; NRA = NRA-PVF (NRA Political Victory Fund grade); TCG = Tippecanoe County GOP. (Republican nominee) = Republican on the ballot, no published endorsement found. NP = nonpartisan race; "Listed by" = a Republican Party's listing, not a nomination. Recommendations are the listed groups', not this guide's; a blank race means no published recommendation was found, not that none exists.