

Franklin 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, Ninth District **Erin Houchin** [C] [HCG2] [CCG] [NRAA]

State

Franklin County Auditor **Austin Jolliff** (Republican nominee)

Secretary of State **Max Engling** [IRLP] [C] [ACG] [HCG] [ECG] [PCG] [MCG]

State Comptroller (Auditor of State) **Elise Nieshalla** [C] [ACG] [ECG]

State Representative, District 055 **Lindsay Patterson** [C] [NRAA]

State Senator, District 27 **Jeff Raatz** [C] [NRAA]

Treasurer of State **Daniel Elliott** [C]

County

Blooming Grove Township Board Member, Franklin County **Kyle Hildebrand** (Republican nominee)

Blooming Grove Township Board Member, Franklin County **Neil Whittington** (Republican nominee)

Brookville Township Board Member, Franklin County **Cindy Kay Hall** (Republican nominee)

Brookville Township Board Member, Franklin County **Gary D Dorrel** (Republican nominee)

Brookville Township Board Member, Franklin County **Roger J Bommer** (Republican nominee)

Brookville Township Trustee, Franklin County **Irwin (Irv) Vonderheide** (Republican nominee)

Franklin County Assessor **Debbie Schoettelkotte** (Republican nominee)

Franklin County Commissioner, District 1/2 — 1: Larry Wiwi (Republican nominee); **2:** Bob Evans (Republican nominee)

Franklin County Community School Board, At Large **Brandy Renae Wilson** (Republican nominee)

Franklin County Community School Board, At Large **Derrike Kolb** (Republican nominee)

Franklin County Community School Board, At Large **Jeffery G Dorrel** (Republican nominee)

Franklin County Community School Board, At Large **Kevin Kaiser** (Republican nominee)

Franklin County Community School Board, At Large **Sara Duffy** (Republican nominee)

Franklin County Coroner **Aaron M Leffingwell** (Republican nominee)

Franklin County Council, District 1/2/3/4 — 1: Joe Sizemore (Republican nominee); **2:** Dean McQueen (Republican nominee); **3:** Eric Doll (Republican nominee); **4:** Jerry (Ruben) Hunt (Republican nominee)

Franklin County Sheriff **Adam W Henson** (Republican nominee)

Highland Township Board Member, Franklin County **Michael E Kohlsdorf** (Republican nominee)

Highland Township Board Member, Franklin County **Michael Hoog** (Republican nominee)

Highland Township Trustee, Franklin County **Greg Reid** (Republican nominee)

Laurel Township Board Member, Franklin County **Jana Connolly** (Republican nominee)

Laurel Township Board Member, Franklin County **Peter Connolly** (Republican nominee)

Laurel Township Trustee, Franklin County **Tonja French** (Republican nominee)

Metamora Township Board Member, Franklin County **Kirk P Shorter** (Republican nominee)

Metamora Township Board Member, Franklin County **Larry Ferman** (Republican nominee)

Metamora Township Board Member, Franklin County **Scott Lyle** (Republican nominee)

Metamora Township Trustee, Franklin County **Mike Ferman** (Republican nominee)

Posey Township Board Member, Franklin County **Annette Hunter** (Republican nominee)

Posey Township Board Member, Franklin County **Roger L McQueen** (Republican nominee)

Posey Township Board Member, Franklin County **Tim Hollars** (Republican nominee)

Posey Township Trustee, Franklin County **Tristan (TJ) Hunter** (Republican nominee)

Prosecuting Attorney of Franklin County, 37th Judicial Circuit **Chris Huerkamp** (Republican nominee)

Ray Township Board Member, Franklin County **John Livers, SR** (Republican nominee)

Ray Township Board Member, Franklin County **Will Kellerman** (Republican nominee)

Ray Township Trustee, Franklin County **Joe Herbert** (Republican nominee)

Salt Creek Township Board Member, Franklin County **Brian Moning** (Republican nominee)

Salt Creek Township Board Member, Franklin County **Laura Moning Wilson** (Republican nominee)

Salt Creek Township Trustee, Franklin County **Louie Lane, III** (Republican nominee)

Springfield Township Board Member, Franklin County **Erv Roberts** (Republican nominee)

Springfield Township Board Member, Franklin County **Judy Dorrel** (Republican nominee)

Springfield Township Board Member, Franklin County **Mary Burk** (Republican nominee)

Springfield Township Trustee, Franklin County **Daniel Joseph Belmonte** (Republican nominee)

Whitewater Township Board Member, Franklin County **Dee Ann Harding** (Republican nominee)

Whitewater Township Board Member, Franklin County **Katharine H Burger** (Republican nominee)

Whitewater Township Board Member, Franklin County **Rosella Goodin** (Republican nominee)

Whitewater Township Trustee, Franklin County **Kelly P McMillin** (Republican nominee)

Judicial

Franklin County Circuit Court Clerk **Ruth Ann Rowlett** (Republican nominee)

Judge of the Franklin Circuit Court, 37th Judicial Circuit, No. 2 **Clay M. Kellerman** (Republican nominee)

Local

Batesville Community School Board, District 2/4 — 2: Lawrence (larry) Merkel (Republican nominee); **4:** Robert (rob) Shane (Republican nominee)

Brookville Town Council Member, Ward 2/4 — 2: Fred Neeley (Republican nominee); **4:** Richard Whitaker (Republican nominee)

North Montgomery School Board, Franklin **Clayton Randolph** (Republican nominee)

Randolph Central School Board, Franklin **Daniel P. Edwards** (Republican nominee)

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); HCG2 = Harrison County GOP; CCG = Clark 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.