

**OFFICIAL NONPARTISAN MUNICIPAL PRIMARY ELECTION BALLOT  
POTTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA  
MAY 18, 2021**

**Sharon Township 1**

**INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER**

1. TO VOTE YOU MUST BLACKEN THE OVAL (●) COMPLETELY. An oval (●) blackened to the left of the name of any candidate indicates a vote for that candidate.
2. To vote for a person whose name is NOT on the ballot, YOU MUST BLACKEN THE OVAL (●) completely to the left of the line provided, and write or print the name in the blank space provided for that purpose.
3. If you make a mistake, DO NOT ERASE. Ask for a new ballot.
4. USE ONLY BLACK OR BLUE INK PEN.
5. DO NOT FOLD THE BALLOT unless voting absentee.

**WARNING** If you receive an absentee or mail-in ballot and return your voted ballot by the deadline, you may not vote at your polling place on election day. If you are unable to return your voted absentee or mail-in ballot by the deadline, you may only vote a provisional ballot at your polling place on election day, unless you surrender your absentee or mail-in ballot and envelope to the judge of elections to be voided to vote by regular ballot.

**PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL  
AMENDMENT 1**

**TERMINATION OR EXTENSION OF  
DISASTER EMERGENCY  
DECLARATIONS**

**Ballot Question**

Shall the Pennsylvania Constitution be amended to change existing law and increase the power of the General Assembly to unilaterally terminate or extend a disaster emergency declaration and the powers of Commonwealth agencies to address the disaster regardless of its severity pursuant to that declaration through passing a concurrent resolution by simple majority, thereby removing the existing check and balance of presenting a resolution to the Governor for approval or disapproval?

YES  
 NO

**PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL  
AMENDMENT 3**

**PROHIBITION AGAINST DENIAL OR  
ABRIDGEMENT OF EQUALITY OF  
RIGHTS BECAUSE OF RACE OR  
ETHNICITY**

**Ballot Question**

Shall the Pennsylvania Constitution be amended by adding a new section providing that equality of rights under the law shall not be denied or abridged because of an individual's race or ethnicity?

YES  
 NO

**PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL  
AMENDMENT 2**

**DISASTER EMERGENCY DECLARATION  
AND MANAGEMENT**

**Ballot Question**

Shall the Pennsylvania Constitution be amended to change existing law so that: a disaster emergency declaration will expire automatically after 21 days, regardless of the severity of the emergency, unless the General Assembly takes action to extend the disaster emergency; the Governor may not declare a new disaster emergency to respond to the dangers facing the Commonwealth unless the General Assembly passes a concurrent resolution; the General Assembly enacts new laws for disaster management?

YES  
 NO

**STATEWIDE REFERENDUM -  
ACT 2020-91**

**MAKING MUNICIPAL FIRE AND  
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES  
COMPANIES ELIGIBLE FOR LOANS**

**Ballot Question**

Do you favor expanding the use of the indebtedness authorized under the referendum for loans to volunteer fire companies, volunteer ambulance services and volunteer rescue squads under 35 PA. C.S. Section 7378.1 (related to referendum for additional indebtedness) to include loans to municipal fire departments or companies that provide services through paid personnel and emergency medical services companies for the purpose of establishing and modernizing facilities to house apparatus equipment, ambulances and rescue vehicles, and for purchasing apparatus equipment, ambulances and rescue vehicles, protective and communications equipment and any other accessory equipment necessary for the proper performance of the duties of the fire companies and emergency medical services companies?

YES  
 NO

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POTTER COUNTY  
BOARD OF ELECTIONS  
Nancy J. Grupp  
Doreen L. Heimer  
Mary [Signature]