Notice of Special Partisan Election and

Sample Ballots

June 12, 2018

OFFICE OF THE MANITOWOC COUNTY CLERK

TO THE VOTERS OF MANITOWOC COUNTY:

Notice is hereby given of a special partisan election to be held in MANITOWOC County on June 12, 2018, at which the officer named below shall be chosen. The names of the candidates for this office, whose nominations have been certified to or filed in this office, are given under the title of the office under the appropriate party or other designation, each in its proper column in the sample ballot below.

INFORMATION TO VOTERS

Upon entering the polling place, a voter shall state his or her name and address, show an acceptable form of photo identification and sign the poll book before being permitted to vote. If a voter does not have acceptable photo identification, the voter may obtain a free photo ID for voting from the Division of Motor Vehicles. If a voter is not registered to vote, a voter may register to vote at the polling place serving his or her residence if the voter provides proof of residence in a form specified by law. Where ballots are distributed to voters, the initials of two inspectors must appear on the ballot. Upon being permitted to vote, the voter shall retire alone to a voting booth and cast his or her ballot except that a voter who is a parent or guardian may be accompanied by the voter's minor child or minor ward. An election official may inform the voter of the proper manner for casting a vote, but the official may not in any manner advise or indicate a particular voting choice.

<u>Where Paper Ballots are Used</u>, the voter shall fill in the oval next to the name of the candidate of his or her choice for each office for which he or she intends to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall write in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote.

Where Optical Scan Voting is Used, when using an electronic ballot marking device ("Automark") to mark an optical scan ballot, the voter shall touch the screen at the name of the candidate of his or her choice for each office for which he or she intends to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall type in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote.

The vote should not be cast in any other manner. Not more than five minutes' time shall be allowed inside a voting booth. Sample ballots or other materials to assist the voter in casting his or her vote may be taken into the booth and copied. The sample ballot shall not be shown to anyone so as to reveal how the ballot is marked.

If the voter spoils a **paper or optical scan ballot**, he or she shall return it to an election official who shall issue another ballot in its place, but not more than three ballots shall be issued to any one elector. If the ballot has not been initialed by two inspectors or is defective in any other way, the voter shall return it to the election official, who shall issue a proper ballot in its place.

The voter may spoil a **touch screen** ballot at the voting station before the ballot is cast.

After Voting the Ballot

After an official **paper or optical scan** ballot is marked, it shall be folded so the inside marks do not show, but so the printed endorsements and inspectors' initials on the outside do show. The voter shall then deposit the voted ballot in the ballot box and promptly leave the polling place

A voter may select an individual to assist in casting his or her vote if the voter declares to the presiding official that he or she is unable to read, has difficulty reading, writing or understanding English or that due to disability is unable to cast his or her ballot. The selected individual rendering assistance may not be the voter's employer or an agent of that employer or an officer or agent of a labor organization which represents the voter.

Rois Kiel, Manitowoc County Clerk

** The 1st Senate District in a portion of Manitowoc County consists of Towns of Cooperstown, Franklin, Gibson, Kossuth, Mishicot, Two Creeks, and Two Rivers; Villages of Francis Creek, Kellnersville, Maribel and Mishicot; and the City of Two Rivers

The following is a sample of the official ballot:

June 12, 2018 Special Election

State Senator - District 1:

André M. Jacque – Republican Caleb Frostman - Democratic

Publish in Herald Times Reporter on Sunday, June 10, 2018 - City of Two Rivers ballot

Official Ballot Special Election for Partisan Office June 12, 2018

Manitowoc County State of Wisconsin June 12, 2018 **Notice to voters:** If you are voting on Election Day, your ballot must be initialed by two election inspectors. If you are voting absentee, your ballot must be initialed by the municipal clerk or deputy clerk. Your ballot may not be counted without initials. (See end of ballot for initials) 11 Instructions to Voters Official Ballot **Special Election** If you make a mistake on your for Partisan Office ballot or have a question, ask an election inspector for help. June 12, 2018 (Absentee voters: Contact your for municipal clerk.) Town of Cooperstown To vote for a name on the ballot, Wards 1-2 fill in the oval next to the name like this • Ballot issued by To vote for a name that is not on the ballot, write the name on the line marked "write-in" and fill in the Initials of election inspectors oval next to the name like this Fill in only 1 oval. Absentee ballot issued by Legislative State Senator Initials of municipal clerk or deputy clerk (If District 1 issued by SVDs, both SVDs must initial.) Vote for 1 André M. Jacque (Republican) Certification of Voter Assistance I certify that I marked or read aloud this Caleb Frostman ballot at the request and direction of a (Democratic) voter who is authorized under Wis. Stat. §6.82 to receive assistance. Signature of assistor write-in: For Official Use Only Inspectors: Identify ballots required to be remade. Reason for remaking ballot: ☐ Overvoted ☐ Damaged ☐ Other Original Ballot No. or Duplicate Ballot No. Initials of inspectors who remade ballot Town of Cooperstown Typ:01 Seq:0001 Spl:01 Wards 1-2

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