NOTICE OF ELECTION

It is hereby proclaimed, and notice is hereby given that the 2026 General Election, Special Election for the city of Alma will be held in Crawford County, Arkansas on Tuesday, November 3rd, 2026, at which there will be submitted to the electors:

PARTISAN CANDIDATES FOR OFFICE

Federal

U.S. Senate
Hallie Shoffner – Democratic
Senator Tom Cotton – Republican
Jeff Wadlin – Libertarian

U.S. Congress District 3
Bobby Wilson – Libertarian
Robb Ryerse – Democratic
Congressman Steve Womack – Republican

State

Governor
Governor Sarah Huckabee Sanders – Republican
Colt Shelby – Libertarian
State Senator Fred Love – Democratic

Lieutenant Governor
Michael Kalagias – Libertarian
Lieutenant Governor Leslie Rutledge – Republican

Secretary of State
Kelly Grappe – Democratic
Senator Kim Hammer – Republican
Michael Pakko – Libertarian

Attorney General
Attorney General Tim Griffin

State Treasurer
Secretary of State John Thurston – Republican

Auditor of State
Auditor of State Dennis Milligan – Republican

Commissioner of State Lands
Secretary of State Cole Jester – Republican
Christopher Olson – Libertarian

State Representative District 24
Ryan Intchauspe – Democratic
Charlene Fite – Republican

State Representative District 25
State Representative Chad Puryear – Republican
Courtney King – Democratic

State Representative District 48
Orion Jackson – Libertarian
State Representative Ryan A. Rose – Republican

County

Assessor
Assessor Sandra Heiner* - Republican

Circuit Clerk
Circuit Clerk- Recorder Sharon Blount-Baker- Republican

County Judge
County Judge Chris Keith*- Republican

County Clerk
County Clerk Stacey Shelly*- Republican

Coroner
Chris Price*- Republican

Treasurer
Treasurer Daniel Watson*- Republican

Sheriff
Sheriff Daniel Perry* - Republican

Tax Collector
Collector Kevin Pixley*- Republican

Justice of the Peace District 01
William Honea – Democratic
JP #1 Kevin Arnold – Republican

Justice of the Peace District 02
Lonnie Myers* - Republican

Justice of the Peace District 03
Jay Baker*- Republican

Justice of the Peace District 04
Maryhelen Rodriguez – Democratic
Jeff Beauchamp – Republican

Justice of the Peace District 05
Justice of the Peace Brad Martin*- Republican

Justice of the Peace District 06
Justice of the Peace Mark Shaffer*- Republican

Justice of the Peace District 07
John Morrison – Democratic
Bruce Neidecker – Republican

Justice of the Peace District 08
Justice of the Peace Dist 8 Tia Woodruf – Republican
Brooke-Lynn Ames – Democratic

Justice of the Peace District 09
Jamie Hammond*- Republican

Justice of the Peace District 10
Jayson Peppas*- Republican

Justice of the Peace District 11
Kevin I. Bell*- Republican

Justice of the Peace District 12
Donna Staton*- Republican

Justice of the Peace District 13
Steve Johnson*- Republican

Constable District 2
Constable Tom Fite – Republican

Constable District 3
Chase H. DeCroo

Constable District 5
Constable Joshua Baker

Constable District 8
Randy Beck

Constable District 9

Constable Tommy Buckner

Constable District 10
Constable Shawn Shelton

Constable District 11
Tim K. Porter

*Unopposed Candidates will not be listed on the ballot

NON-PARTISAN CANDIDATES FOR OFFICE:

City

Alma City Mayor
Jimmy Fincher

Alma City Clerk
Cathy Shores*

Alma City Council Ward 1 Position 1
Sandra L. Kilpatrick*

Alma City Council Ward 1 Position 2
Larry Blasingame*

Alma City Council Ward 2 Position 1
James McGhee*

Alma City Council Ward 2 Position 2
L. Evan Thacker*

Alma City Council Ward 3 Position 1
Leigh A. Brown*

Alma City Council Ward 3 Position 2
Gary O. Perry*

Cedarville City Mayor
William Russell Saddler III

Cedarville City Alderman Ward 1 Position 1
Mark Isenhower*

Cedarville City Alderman Ward 1 Position 2
Carolyn Self*

Cedarville City Alderman Ward 2 Position 2
Roger D. Johnson*

Chester City Mayor
Buddy Duggin
Jeremy Bray

Chester City Treasurer
Sherry Belt*

Chester City Council Position 5
Cherry Henson*

Dyer City Mayor
Lynn Hubbard

Dyer City Alderman Ward 1 Position 1
Stacy Gunn*

Dyer City Alderman Ward 2 Position 1
Eric Bixby*

Dyer City Alderman Ward 2 Position 2
Jeff Brooks*

Dyer City Alderman Ward 3 Position 1
Michael Scantlin*

Kibler City Mayor
Andrew Crow

Kibler City Treasurer
Jennifer M. Maynard*

Kibler City Alderman Ward 1 Position 1
Donald G. Mongold*

Kibler City Alderman Ward 1 Position 2
Julie Hicks*

Kibler City Alderman Ward 2 Position 1
Ronald Peters*

Kibler City Alderman Ward 2 Position 2
Connie Arnold*

Kibler City Alderman Ward 3 Position 1
Brad Maynard*

Kibler City Alderman Ward 3 Position 2
Joe H. White*

Kibler City Alderman Ward 4 Position 1
Miranda Crabtree*

Kibler City Alderman Ward 4 Position 2
Daniel Arnold*

Mountainburg City Mayor
Susan Wilson

Mountainburg City Council Ward 1 Position 1
Ricky Kimes*

Mountainburg City Council Ward 1 Position 2
Susan Sharp*

Mountainburg City Council Ward 2 Position 1
Michelle Henson*

Mountainburg City Council Ward 2 Position 2
Lori Rogers*

Mountainburg City Council Ward 3 Position 1
Gavin Watkins*

Mountainburg City Council Ward 3 Position 2
Mary Heginger*

Mulberry City Mayor
Mayor Gary Baxter
Randy E. Smither

Mulberry City Council Ward 1 Position 1
Stacy Muntz*

Mulberry City Council Ward 1 Position 2
Ronnie Adams*

Mulberry City Council Ward 2 Position 1
Donald Jake Copeland*

Mulberry City Council Ward 2 Position 2
Kimberly Bruce*

Mulberry City Council Ward 3 Position 1
Daimien Sadat Rice
Rebecca S. Correro

Mulberry City Council Ward 3 Position 2
Jeff Marvin*

Rudy City Mayor
James L. Jones

Rudy City Council Position 1
Scott Rogers*

Rudy City Council Position 2
Tanya Rogers*

Rudy City Council Position 3
Kinney "Elaine" Stanfield*

Rudy City Council Position 5
Raymond Winfrey*

Van Buren City Mayor
Joe Hurst

Van Buren City Treasurer
Shawnna M. Reynolds*

Van Buren City Attorney
Jacob Howell*

Van Buren City Council Ward 1 Position 1
Tyler Wood*

Van Buren City Council Ward 1 Position 2
Tonia Fry*

Van Buren City Council Ward 2 Position 2
Madison Simmons*

Van Buren City Council Ward 3 Position 1
Michael S. Kneeland*

Van Buren City Council Ward 3 Position 2
Kody Morris*

MEASURES & QUESTIONS

State Issue No. 1 – The Citizens Only Voting Amendment
State Issue No. 2 – Protect the Right to Keep and Bear Arms
State Issue No. 3 – Promote Economic Development
State Issue No. 4 – Arkansas Water, Waste Removal,
City of Alma Special Election – 1% Gross Receipts Tax
The full text of measures and questions can be viewed at crawford-county-elections.org

EARLY VOTING:

M-F:	Oct 19th- Oct 23rd	8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Sat:	Oct. 24th	10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
M-F:	Oct. 26th- Oct 30th	8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Sat:	Oct. 31st	10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Mon:	Nov. 2nd	8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Poll Name	Address	
Alma Community Center	114 Collum Lane East, Alma	All Ballots
Emergency Operations Center	1820 Chestnut Street, Van Buren	All Ballots

ELECTION DAY VOTING: Tuesday, November 3rd, 2026 7:30 a.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Poll Name	Address	
Alma Community Center	114 Collum Lane East, Alma	All Ballots
Emergency Operations Center	1820 Chestnut Street, Van Buren	All Ballots
Crawford County Extension Office	105 West Pointer Trail, Van Buren	All Ballots
The Current Outreach Church Annex	1819 Rena Road, Van Buren	All Ballots
Living Word Church	1445 Clyde Cate Road, Van Buren	All Ballots
City Heights Methodist Church	1002 Fayetteville Road, Van Buren	All Ballots
Pleasant Valley Church of Christ	6020 Kibler Road, Van Buren	All Ballots
Dyer Community Center	201 Loomis Lane, Dyer	All Ballots
Mountainburg Assembly of God	922 Highway 71, Mountainburg	All Ballots
Mulberry Church of Christ	2304 Keystone Cir., Mulberry	All Ballots
Trinity Baptist Church	5020 North Highway 71, Alma	All Ballots
Figure Five Fire Station	5920 North Highway 59, Van Buren	All Ballots
Cedarville First Baptist Church	10744 North Highway 59, Cedarville	All Ballots
Oliver Springs Freewill Baptist Church	3144 Highway 348, Rudy	All Ballots

ABSENTEE VOTING: To request an absentee ballot, or to see if you are qualified to vote absentee, contact the Crawford County Clerk's office using the information below:

300 Main Street, Room #7, Van Buren, AR
(479)474-1312
Office Hours M-F 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

BALLOT CANVASSING AND COUNTING:
All processes listed below will be conducted at the **Crawford County Election Commission Office** located at **405 South Third Street, Van Buren, AR**. The dates and times are provided below:

Activity	Date	Time
Pre-Election Processing of Absentee Ballots	Nov 2nd	9:00 a.m.
Canvassing and Counting of Absentee Ballots	Nov 3rd	8:30 a.m.
Tabulating & Publishing Unofficial Election Results	Nov 3rd	7:30 p.m.
Duplication and Counting of Election Day Ballots*	Nov 4th	9:00 a.m.
Preliminary Review of Provisional Ballots*	Nov 4th	9:30 a.m.
Provisional Ballot Hearings*	Nov 9th	11:30 a.m.
Final Review and Counting of Provisional Ballots*	Nov 9th	12:00 p.m.
Recount*	Nov 10th	9:00 a.m.
Post Election Audit*	Nov 11th	9:00 a.m.
Canvassing and Counting of UOCAVA Ballots*	Nov 13th	4:30 p.m.
Certification of the Election	Nov 13th	5:00 p.m.

*These meetings may not be necessary and could be canceled with little to no advanced notice.

ELECTION OFFICIALS:
A list of Election Officials appointed to conduct early voting, election day voting, and all other required duties will be posted for public viewing in the Crawford County Clerk's office on October 12th and remain posted for not less than 10 days. The Crawford County Clerk's office is located at 300 Main Street, Room #7, Van Buren, AR. Objections to the service of any appointed official to serve as an election official may be made by filing the completed Election Official Objection form with the Crawford County Clerk by October 9th. The form can be found at crawford-county-elections.org or the Crawford County Clerk's Office.

Viewing Your Ballot Prior to Voting:
Sample ballots can be viewed on the Secretary of State's website at: voterview.ar-nova.org/voterview or the crawford-county-elections.org. Sample ballots will also be available at all polling sites.

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