

**Notice of Combined City and School Election**

**PUBLIC NOTICE** is hereby given to the qualified electors of Cerro Gordo County that the 2021 City/School Election will be held on Tuesday, the 2nd day of November, 2021. The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. and will be in the election precincts of the County and at the following locations:

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| 1 Clear Lake Ward 1 - Clear Lake/GHV School        | Zion Lutheran Church   | 112 N 4th St, Clear Lake       |
| 2 Clear Lake Ward 2 - Clear Lake School            | Clear Lake City Hall   | 15 N 6th St, Clear Lake        |
| 3 Clear Lake Ward 3 - Clear Lake School            | Clear Lake Church of Christ                                    | 2010 14th Ave N, Clear Lake    |
| 4 City of Ventura - CL/FC/GHV/WF School            | Ventura Community Center                                       | 4 N Weimer St, Ventura         |
| 5 City of Plymouth - Central Springs School        | Plymouth City Hall   | 616 Broad St, Plymouth         |
| 6 City of Rock Falls - Central Springs School      | Rock Falls Community Center                                    | 3 S Nottingham, Rock Falls     |
| 7 City of Rockwell - West Fork School              | Rockwell Community Center                                      | 114 3rd St N, Rockwell         |
| 8 City of Meservey - GHV/WF School                 | Meservey Fire Station  | 428 1st St, Meservey           |
| 9 City of Thornton - West Fork School              | Thornton City Hall   | 404 Main St, Thornton          |
| 10 CS/CL/FC/MC School                              | Area Education Agency  | 9184-B 265th St, Clear Lake    |
| 11 Central Springs/Mason City School               | Lime Creek Nature Center                                       | 3501 Lime Creek Rd, Mason City |
| 12 Mason City Ward 1 Pct 1 - Mason City School     | Trinity Lutheran Church  | 213 N Pennsylvania Ave         |
| 13 Pct 2 - Mason City School                       | Highland Golf Course Club House                                | 944 17th St NE                 |
| 14 Pct 3 - Mason City School                       | Grace Evangelical Free Church                                  | 440 N Illinois Ave             |
| 15 Mason City Ward 2 Pct 1 - Mason City School     | Cerro Gordo Courthouse Boardroom                               | 220 N Washington Ave           |
| 16 Pct 2 - Mason City School                       | First Presbyterian Church                                      | 100 S Pierce Ave               |
| 17 Pct 3 - Mason City School                       | Grace United Methodist Church                                  | 200 14th St NW                 |
| 18 Mason City Ward 3 Pct 1 - Mason City School     | Masonic Temple   | 304 1st St SE                  |
| 19 Pct 2 - Mason City School                       | Mason City School Admin Building                               | 1515 S Pennsylvania Ave        |
| 20 Pct 3 - Mason City School                       | First Covenant Church  | 411 S Ohio Ave                 |
| 21 Mason City Ward 4 Pct 1 - Mason City School     | NIACOG Building  | 525 6th St SW                  |
| 22 Pct 2 - Mason City School                       | Rolling Acres CR Church  | 341 19th St SW                 |
| 23 Pct 3 - Mason City School                       | Farm Bureau Building   | 2650 Skyview Lane              |
| 24 Mason City/West Fork School                     | Emergency Management Agency (formerly County Engineers Office) | 2716 S Federal Ave, Mason City |
|  | Swaledale City Hall  | 402 Main St, Swaledale         |
| 25 City of Swaledale - Clear Lake/West Fork School | Hanford Community Church                                       | 12411 Spruce Ave, Mason City   |

At which election all of the qualified electors of Cerro Gordo County are hereby notified to appear at said time and place, each voter to vote at the polling place of the respective voting precinct in which such voter resides. Absentee and provisional ballots will be counted at the County Election Annex at 121 3rd Street NW, Mason City. All voters are also advised as to the requirements of Voter Registration in order to be eligible to vote at this election.

**Voter Identification:** Pre-registered voters are required to provide an approved form of identification at the polling place before receiving and casting a regular ballot. Voters who are not pre-registered – such as voters registering to vote on election day – and voters changing precincts must also provide proof of residence. A voter who is unable to provide an approved form of identification (or prove residence if required) 1) may have the voter's identity/residence attested to by another registered voter in the precinct, 2) prove identity and residence using Election Day Registration documents, or 3) cast a provisional ballot and provide proof of identity/residence at the county auditor's office by November 8, 2021. Election Day Registrant attestors must provide an approved form of identification. For additional information about providing proof of identity and/or residence visit the following website: <https://sos.iowa.gov/voterid> or phone (641)421-3041.

**Voter Accessibility:** All polling places are accessible to persons with physical disabilities. Each polling place also has a ballot marking machine that allows a voter with blindness or visual impairment to vote privately. A voter may choose another person to assist the voter in voting, except the voter's employer, employer's agent, or an officer or agent of the voter's union. Any voter who is physically unable to enter a polling place has the right to vote in the voter's vehicle.

Sample ballot below:

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Precinct official initials

**OFFICIAL BALLOT**

City/School Election  
Cerro Gordo County, IA  
November 2, 2021

Clear Lake W-1 - Clear Lake School



**Instructions to Voters**

**1. Voting mark.** To vote, fill in the voting target next to your choice.

(○) Candidate Name

(●) Candidate Name

**2. Write-in votes.** To vote for a person whose name is not on the ballot, write the name on the write-in line provided and fill in the voting target next to it.

**3. Do not cross out.** If you make a mistake or change your mind, exchange your ballot for a new one.

**Clear Lake School**

**Clear Lake School Board  
Director At-Large**

Vote for no more than two

Greg Southgate

Chyrl Bergvig

Tony Brownlee

Write-in vote, if any \_\_\_\_\_

Write-in vote, if any \_\_\_\_\_

**City of Clear Lake**

**Clear Lake  
Mayor**

Vote for no more than one

Nelson P. Crabb

Write-in vote, if any \_\_\_\_\_

**North Iowa Area Community College**

**North Iowa Area Community College  
Director District 3**

Vote for no more than one

David H. Moore

Write-in vote, if any \_\_\_\_\_

**Clear Lake  
City Council At-Large**

Vote for no more than one

Dana Brant

Write-in vote, if any \_\_\_\_\_

CITY CANDIDATES		
Candidates are listed in the order they will appear on the ballots for voters in the respective city.		
<p><b>CITY OF CLEAR LAKE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mayor                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Nelson P. Crabb</li> </ul> </li> <li>Council At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Dana Brant</li> </ul> </li> <li>Council Ward 2                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Bennett Smith</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>CITY OF DOUGHERTY</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mayor                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Lynn R. Nagel</li> </ul> </li> <li>Council At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than two</li> <li>Nicolette Nagel</li> <li>Amy Noss</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>CITY OF MASON CITY</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mayor                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Bill Schickel</li> </ul> </li> <li>Council At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Tom Thoma</li> <li>Troy Levenhagen</li> </ul> </li> <li>Council Ward 2                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Will Symonds</li> </ul> </li> <li>Council Ward 4                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>John Jaszewski</li> </ul> </li> <li>Park Board member                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than three</li> <li>Anne Hansen</li> <li>Mike Doc Adams</li> <li>Melissa Fabian</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p><b>CITY OF MESERVEY</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mayor                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Richard M. Miller</li> </ul> </li> <li>Council At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than two</li> <li>Cyneva Zoe Myers</li> <li>Michael Gobel</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>CITY OF PLYMOUTH</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mayor                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Cecil W. Kuhlert</li> </ul> </li> <li>Council At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than three</li> <li>Beth McDonough</li> <li>Craig Howard</li> <li>Allan Rye</li> <li>Sarah Innis</li> <li>Wade Eastman</li> <li>Chad Fluhrer</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>CITY OF ROCK FALLS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mayor                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Tim Dodd</li> </ul> </li> <li>Council At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than three</li> <li>Scott Ennis</li> <li>Mark Brosz</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>CITY OF ROCKWELL</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mayor                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Larry Wentz</li> </ul> </li> <li>Council At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than three</li> <li>Blake Pommrehn</li> <li>Jeremy Poole</li> <li>Tracy Jo Worley</li> <li>Patrick Hurley</li> <li>Dylan L. Williams</li> <li>Chelsey Morrison</li> <li>Richard L. Whitney Jr.</li> <li>Randy Meyer</li> <li>Abbie Emhoff</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p><b>CITY OF SWALEDALE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mayor                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Geno Stowe</li> </ul> </li> <li>Council At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than two</li> <li>no candidate filed</li> </ul> </li> <li>Council At-Large – To Fill Vacancy                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>no candidate filed</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>CITY OF THORNTON</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mayor                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Mike Jensen</li> </ul> </li> <li>Council At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than two</li> <li>Roger Engebretson</li> <li>Randall A. Bohman</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>CITY OF VENTURA</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mayor                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Joe Schmit</li> </ul> </li> <li>Council At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than two</li> <li>Pete Cash</li> <li>Brad Peterson</li> <li>John A. Horrigan</li> </ul> </li> <li>Council At-Large – To Fill Vacancy                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Michael Thackery</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

SCHOOL CANDIDATES		
Candidates are listed in the order they will appear on the ballots for voters in the respective school districts.		
<p><b>CLEAR LAKE COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Director At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than two</li> <li>Greg Southgate</li> <li>Chyrl Bergvig</li> <li>Tony Brownlee</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>CENTRAL SPRINGS COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Director District 1 North A                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Jean Schilling</li> </ul> </li> <li>Director District 1 North B                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To Fill Vacancy</li> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Joseph Rowe</li> </ul> </li> <li>Director District 2 South A                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Ashley Kohler</li> </ul> </li> <li>Jason Blickenderfer</li> </ul> <p><b>FOREST CITY COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Director District 1                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than two</li> <li>Eric Kingland</li> <li>Andrew Fedders</li> <li>Beth Clouse</li> </ul> </li> <li>Director District 2                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Troy J. Thompson</li> </ul> </li> <li>Director District 3                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>David Reese</li> <li>Rick F. Wiley</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p><b>GARNER/HAYFIELD/VENTURA COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Director At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than three</li> <li>Jay Larkin</li> <li>Dan Goll</li> <li>Scott Gaskill</li> <li>Jack Toppin</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>MASON CITY COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Director At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than three</li> <li>Constance Dianda</li> <li>Carol Dettmer</li> <li>Alan Steckman</li> <li>Cindy Garza</li> <li>Jacob Schweitzer</li> </ul> </li> <li>Director At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To Fill Vacancy</li> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Peterson Jean-Pierre</li> <li>Cristy Tass</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>RUDD/ROCKFORD/MARBLE ROCK COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Director At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than two</li> <li>Courtney Ritter</li> <li>Justin Abell</li> <li>Tammie Hirv</li> <li>Bobbi Hinrichsen</li> <li>Spencer Rooney</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p><b>WEST FORK COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Director At-Large                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Rachael Etnier</li> <li>Grant F. Petersen</li> </ul> </li> <li>Director District 1                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Holly Henricks</li> <li>Roger Allan Witte</li> </ul> </li> <li>Director District 2                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Amber Marzen</li> <li>Sara Harms</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>NORTH IOWA AREA COMMUNITY COLLEGE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Director District 1                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>David A. Steffens</li> </ul> </li> <li>Director District 2                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Catherine J. Rottinghaus</li> </ul> </li> <li>Director District 3                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>David H. Moore</li> </ul> </li> <li>Director District 5                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Doug Krabbe</li> </ul> </li> <li>Director District 8                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To Fill Vacancy</li> <li>vote for no more than one</li> <li>Debra M. Hill</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

**Public Measure DS**  
"Shall the City of Meservey levy a tax for the purpose of supporting the Meservey Public Library at a rate not to exceed \$0.27 per thousand dollars of assessed value?"

**Public Measure VX**  
Summary: To adopt a Revenue Purpose Statement specifying the use of revenues the Forest City Community School District will receive from the State of Iowa Secure an Advanced Vision for Education Fund.

In the Forest City Community School District, the following Revenue Purpose Statement which specifies the use of revenues the Forest City Community School District will receive from the State of Iowa Secure an Advanced Vision for Education Fund shall be adopted.

To provide funds to acquire or install information technology infrastructure (including improving buildings or sites for the purpose of accessing broadband digital telecommunications) and school safety and security infrastructure. To provide funds to build and furnish a new school building or buildings; to build and furnish addition(s) to school buildings in the District; to remodel, reconstruct, repair, expand, and improve the school buildings in the District; to purchase and improve grounds; for demolition work; to furnish and equip district facilities. To provide funds for the purchase, lease or lease-purchase of buildings, equipment (including transportation and recreation equipment), or technology and to repair transportation equipment for transporting students as authorized by law, to implement energy conservation measures, sharing or rental of facilities including a joint infrastructure project for the purposes of offering classes under district-to-community college programs as authorized in Iowa Code Section 423F.3(3)(c), procuring or acquisition of libraries, or opening roads to schoolhouses or buildings. To provide funds to purchase land as part of start-up costs for new student construction program or if the sale of the previous student construction was insufficient to purchase land, and to purchase construction materials and supplies for a student-constructed building or shed intended to be retained by and used by the District. To provide funds to make payments to a municipality or other entity as required under Iowa Code Section 403.19(2). To provide funds for demolition, cleanup, and other costs if such costs are necessitated by, and incurred within two years of, a disaster. To provide funds to establish and maintain public recreation places and playgrounds; provide for supervision and instruction for recreational activities; or for community education purposes. To provide funds for the payment of principal and interest or retirement of general obligation bonds issued for school infrastructure purposes, energy improvement loans, loan agreements authorized by Iowa Code Section 297.36, sales, service and use tax revenue bonds issued under Iowa Code Section 423E.5 or Iowa Code Section 423F.4. To provide funds for property tax relief; and to provide funds for other authorized expenditure and purposes as now or hereafter permitted by law and designated by the Forest City Community School District. It being understood that if this proposition should fail to be approved by the voters, such failure shall not be construed to terminate or restrict authority previously granted by the voters to expend receipts from the Secure an Advanced Vision for Education Fund. If approved, this Revenue Purpose Statement shall remain in effect until replaced or amended by the Forest City Community School District.

If a majority of eligible electors voting on the question fail to approve this Revenue Purpose Statement, then upon expiration of the current Revenue Purpose Statement, revenues received by the School District from the Secure an Advanced Vision for Education Fund shall be expended in the following order: The payment of bonds for which SAVE Revenue has been pledged; Reduction of bond levies under Iowa Code Sections 298.18 and 298.18A and all other debt levies; Reduction of the regular and voter-approved physical plant and equipment levy under Iowa Code Section 298.2; Reduction of the public educational and recreational levy under Iowa Code Section 300.2; For any authorized infrastructure purpose of the school district as defined in Iowa Code Section 423F.3(6); and for the payment of principal and interest on bonds issued under Iowa Code Sections 423E.5 and 423F.4.

For further information a voter may contact the auditor's office at telephone number 641-421-3041, or TTY number 711-641-421-3041, or may visit the Cerro Gordo County website at [www.cgcounty.org](http://www.cgcounty.org), or use the following email address: [tsiemers@cgcounty.org](mailto:tsiemers@cgcounty.org).  
Adam Wedmore, Cerro Gordo County Auditor and County Commissioner of Elections