

# Official Notice of Election for Military and Overseas Voters County of ELK

2026 GENERAL Primary (MAY 19, 2026)

This is an official notice of an election to be conducted on 5/19/2026 in Elk County. You may register to vote and request an official absentee ballot by using the Federal Postcard Application (FPCA), available at [www.vote.pa.gov](http://www.vote.pa.gov) or [www.fvap.gov](http://www.fvap.gov). You may apply for an absentee ballot by submitting your FPCA by fax to (814) 776-5362, or by email to [kfrey@countyofelkpa.gov](mailto:kfrey@countyofelkpa.gov)

You may request an absentee ballot from this office at any time prior to a primary or election. However, if time does not permit you to receive and return an official absentee ballot, you are also entitled to vote using the Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot (FWAB). Military electors may also use the FWAB to register to vote and vote simultaneously.

You may use the FWAB to vote for a candidate for President of the United States, United States Senator and U.S. Representative (Representative in Congress) as well as candidates for all state and local offices, and ballot initiatives.

To vote, refer to page 3 of the FWAB.

To vote for President of the United States, United States Senator, and U.S. Representative (Representative in Congress), write in the name of the candidate of your choice in the space provided on the FWAB.

To vote for state and local offices or for ballot initiatives, write the names of candidates or ballot initiatives in the Addendum section of the FWAB. Under the **Office/Ballot Initiative** heading, enter the office the candidate is running for or the title of the Ballot Initiative (referendum). Under the **Candidate Name, Party Affiliation or Initiative Vote** heading, list the name of the candidate you wish to vote for, or if you are voting on a Referendum question write "yes" or "no."

**NOTE:** The official list of candidates for nomination to public offices and election to party offices may be updated due to candidate withdrawals and litigation. This notice will be updated as the official list of candidates is being finalized.

## **DEMOCRATIC BALLOT**

### **GOVERNOR - Vote for One – All Precincts within Elk County**

JOSH SHAPIRO – Montgomery County

### **LT. GOVERNOR - Vote for One – All Precincts within Elk County**

AUSTIN DAVIS – Allegheny County

### **REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS – 15<sup>TH</sup> District - Vote for One – All Precincts within Elk County**

RAY BILGER – Centre County

**REPRESENTATIVE IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY – 75<sup>TH</sup> District - Vote for One – All Precincts within Elk County**

KIM KOHLHEPP – Clearfield County

**MEMBER OF DEMOCRATIC STATE COMMITTEE – Vote for One – All Precincts within Elk County**

RYAN GRIMM – Fox Township

**ELK COUNTY DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE MEMBER – Vote for not more than Two (One Male & One Female) - Per Precinct – All Precincts within Elk County**

**FOX #1**

JOHN GLANTZ (Male)

JOAN KAMANDULIS (Female)

**RIDGWAY 3RD**

KAREN GRANCHE (Female)

WILLIAM GRANCHE (Male)

**ST MARYS 8<sup>TH</sup>**

GAIL SHTURTZ (Female)

**REPUBLICAN BALLOT**

**GOVERNOR - Vote for One – All Precincts within Elk County**

STACY GARRITY – Bradford County

**LT. GOVERNOR - Vote for One – All Precincts within Elk County**

JOHN VENTRE – Westmoreland County

JASON RICHEY – Allegheny County

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MIKE ARMANINI – Clearfield County

**MEMBER OF REPUBLICAN STATE COMMITTEE – Vote for One – All Precincts within Elk County**

C MARCIE LYNCH ASSETTA – City of St Marys

**ELK COUNTY REPUBLICAN CHAIRPERSON - Vote for One – All Precincts within Elk County**

SALLY GEYER – City of St Marys