

# HOUSTON COUNTY SAMPLE BALLOT

## General/Special Election

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<p><b>For President of the United States</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Donald J. Trump</b> – President <b>Michael R. Pence</b> – Vice President <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Joseph R. Biden</b> – President <b>Kamala D. Harris</b> – Vice President Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Jo Jorgensen</b> – President <b>Jeremy “Spike” Cohen</b> – Vice President Libertarian</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SPECIAL ELECTION</b></p> <p><b>For United States Senate</b> (To Fill the Unexpired Term of Johnny Isakson, Resigned) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Al Bartell</b> Independent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Allen Buckley</b> Independent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Doug Collins</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>John Fortuin</b> Green</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Derrick E. Grayson</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Michael Todd Greene</b> Independent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Annette Davis Jackson</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Deborah Jackson</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Jamesia James</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>A. Wayne Johnson</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Tamara Johnson-Shealey</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Matt Lieberman</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Kelly Loeffler</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Joy Felicia Slade</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Brian Slowinski</b> Libertarian</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Valencia Stovall</b> Independent</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Ed Tarver</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Kandiss Taylor</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Raphael Warnock</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Richard Dien Winfield</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p>	<p><b>For Public Service Commissioner</b> (To Succeed Jason Shaw) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Jason Shaw</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Robert G. Bryant</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Elizabeth Melton</b> Libertarian</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For Public Service Commissioner</b> (To Succeed Lauren Bubba McDonald, Jr.) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Lauren Bubba McDonald, Jr.</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Daniel Blackman</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Nathan Wilson</b> Libertarian</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For U.S. Representative in 117<sup>th</sup> Congress From the 8<sup>th</sup> Congressional District of Georgia</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Austin Scott</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Lindsay Holliday</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For State Senator</b> <b>RUNS BY DISTRICT</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">↓</p> <p><b>For State Senator From 18<sup>th</sup> District</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>John F. Kennedy</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For State Senator From 20<sup>th</sup> District</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Larry Walker</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Julius Newberry Johnson</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For State Senator From 26<sup>th</sup> District</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>David E. Lucas, Sr.</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p>	<p><b>For State Representative</b> <b>RUNS BY DISTRICT</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">↓</p> <p><b>For State Representative in the General Assembly From 140<sup>th</sup> District</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Robert Dickey</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For State Representative in the General Assembly From 144<sup>th</sup> District</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Danny Mathis</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Mary Whipple-Lue</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For State Representative in the General Assembly From 146<sup>th</sup> District</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Shaw Blackmon</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For State Representative in the General Assembly From 147<sup>th</sup> District</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Heath Clark</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Stephen Baughier</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For State Representative in the General Assembly From 148<sup>th</sup> District</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Noel Williams, Jr.</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Regina Awung</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For District Attorney of the Houston Judicial Circuit</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>George Hartwig</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Erikka B. Williams</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p>	<p><b>For Judge of the Probate Court</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Janice Davidson Spires</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For Clerk of Superior Court</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Carolyn V. Sullivan</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Angela King Anderson</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For Sheriff</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>H. Cullen Talton</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For Tax Commissioner</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Mark Kevin Kushinka</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For Coroner</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Daniel L. Galpin</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For Solicitor-General</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Amy E. Smith</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For County Commissioner District 3</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Gail C. Robinson</b> <b>(Incumbent)</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For County Commissioner District 4</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Dan Perdue</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p> <p><b>For County Commissioner District 5</b> (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Mark Byrd</b> Republican</p> <p><input type="radio"/> <b>Keith McCants</b> Democrat</p> <p><input type="radio"/> _____ Write-in</p>
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**For Ocmulgee River Soil and Water  
Conservation District Supervisor**  
(Vote for One)

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Write-in

**PROPOSED  
CONSTITUTIONAL  
AMENDMENTS**

-1-

**Authorizes dedication of fees and taxes to their intended purposes by general state law.**

House Resolution 164  
Act No. 597

“Shall the Constitution of Georgia be amended so as to authorize the General Assembly to dedicate revenues derived from fees or taxes to the public purpose for which such fees or taxes were intended?”

YES

NO

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**Waives state and local sovereign immunity for violation of state laws, state and federal constitutions.**

House Resolution 1023  
Act No. 596

“Shall the Constitution of Georgia be amended to waive sovereign immunity and allow the people of Georgia to petition the superior court for relief from governmental acts done outside the scope of lawful authority or which violate the laws of this state, the Constitution of Georgia, or the Constitution of the United States?”

YES

NO

**STATEWIDE  
REFERENDUM**

-A-

**Establishes a tax exemption for certain real property owned by charities.**

House Bill 344  
Act No. 149

“Shall the Act be approved which provides an exemption from ad valorem taxes for all real property owned by a purely public charity, if such charity is exempt from taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the federal Internal Revenue Code and such real property is held exclusively for the purpose of building or repairing single-family homes to be financed by such charity to individuals using loans that shall not bear interest?”

YES

NO