

# August 20, 2024 Election Voter Guide Countywide (Ballot #2-1)

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## Democratic Party Election

### US Senator Democratic Party

Stanley Campbell [stanleyforflorida.com](http://stanleyforflorida.com)

Rod Joseph [rodjosephforussenate.com](http://rodjosephforussenate.com)

Debbie Mucarsel-Powell  
[debbieforflorida.com](http://debbieforflorida.com)

Brian Rush [rushforsenate.com](http://rushforsenate.com)

### County Referendum Question

Should the Ad Valorem Tax Exemption program, which grants property tax exemptions to new businesses and existing expanding businesses that are expected to create new, full-time jobs in Pinellas County, be renewed? (The current tax exemption, approved by voters in 2014, expires August 27, 2024.)

Unanimously approved for inclusion on the ballot by the Pinellas County Commission. Does not increase tax rates for Pinellas County citizens.

League of Women Voters Voter Guide  
<https://lwvspa.org/voter-guide>

For info about how to submit your ballot [voteractionpinellas.org/voting-info-august-2024](http://voteractionpinellas.org/voting-info-august-2024)

## Voter Action Pinellas Slate Card for Universal and Nonpartisan Races

All Pinellas voters may vote in these races, regardless of party affiliation. Below are the candidates that Voter Action Pinellas has identified as most closely aligned with our shared values.

### Supervisor of Elections Universal Primary Contest

This is a final election; the candidate with the most votes in the August Primary will be elected.

Julie Marcus (REP) [juliemarcuspinellas.com](http://juliemarcuspinellas.com)

### Circuit Judge, 6th Circuit Group 9

Nicole Pearlman  
Voter record protected from public view

### Circuit Judge, 6th Circuit Group 14

Cornelius Christopher Demps [cdemps.com](http://cdemps.com)  
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### School Board Member District 1 At Large (county-wide seat)

Laura Hine, (No Party Affiliation)  
[laurahine2024.com](http://laurahine2024.com)

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