Election Summary Report
General Election
Buena Vista County, Iowa
Tuesday, November 3, 2026
2026 General Election Night
UNOFFICIAL RESULTS 11/3/2026

Date: 11/10/2021
Time: 7:40:27 AM CST

Registered Voters 10,817 - Total Ballots 3,593 : 33.22% - Blank Ballots 0 - Write-in Ballots 329

8 of 8 Precincts Reporting 100.00%

United States Senator

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	3,456	
Ashley Hinson (REP)	2,002	57.93%
Josh Turek (DEM)	1,324	38.31%
Thomas Laehn (LIB)	124	3.59%
(Write in vote, if any)	6	0.17%
Undervote	137	
Overvote	0	

United States Representative District 4

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	3,345	
Chris McGowan (REP)	2,114	63.20%
Dave Dawson (DEM)	1,227	36.68%
(Write in vote, if any)	4	0.12%
Undervote	247	
Overvote	1	

Governor / Lieutenant Governor

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	3,552	
Zach Lahn Derek Wulf (REP)	1,999	56.28%
Rob Sand Dave Muhlbauer (DEM)	1,547	43.55%
(Write in vote, if any)	6	0.17%
Undervote	40	
Overvote	1	

Secretary of State

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	3,441	
Paul D. Pate (REP)	2,222	64.57%
Ryan Peterman (DEM)	1,217	35.37%
(Write in vote, if any)	2	0.06%
Undervote	151	
Overvote	1	

Auditor of State

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	3,360	
Chris Cournoyer (REP)	2,114	62.92%
Taylor Wettach (DEM)	1,243	36.99%
(Write in vote, if any)	3	0.09%
Undervote	232	
Overvote	1	

Treasurer of State

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	3,351	
Roby Smith (REP)	2,112	63.03%
John Norwood (DEM)	1,237	36.91%
(Write in vote, if any)	2	0.06%
Undervote	241	
Overvote	1	

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Secretary of Agriculture

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	3,446	
Mike Naig (REP)	2,285	66.31%
Chris Jones (DEM)	1,160	33.66%
(Write in vote, if any)	1	0.03%
Undervote	147	
Overvote	0	

Attorney General

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	3,403	
Brenna Bird (REP)	2,106	61.89%
Nate Willems (DEM)	1,293	38.00%
(Write in vote, if any)	4	0.12%
Undervote	189	
Overvote	1	

State Senator District 3

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	3,430	
Lynn Evans (REP)	2,157	62.89%
Mike Frantz (DEM)	1,270	37.03%
(Write in vote, if any)	3	0.09%
Undervote	162	
Overvote	1	

State Representative District 5

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	772	
Keith Glienke (REP)	629	81.48%
Stephanie Steiner (DEM)	143	18.52%
(Write in vote, if any)	0	0%
Undervote	19	
Overvote	0	

State Representative District 6

Number of Precincts	7	
Precincts Reporting	7	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	1,971	
Megan Jones (REP)	1,925	97.67%
(Write in vote, if any)	46	2.33%
Undervote	831	
Overvote	0	

County Board of Supervisors District 1

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	2,614	
Kathy Croker (REP)	2,572	98.39%
(Write in vote, if any)	42	1.61%
Undervote	978	
Overvote	1	

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County Board of Supervisors District 2

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	2,661	
Kelly Snyder (REP)	2,621	98.50%
(Write in vote, if any)	40	1.50%
Undervote	932	
Overvote	0	

County Board of Supervisors District 3

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	3,397	
Paul Merten (REP)	2,144	63.11%
Tom Grau (DEM)	1,249	36.77%
(Write in vote, if any)	4	0.12%
Undervote	196	
Overvote	0	

County Treasurer

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	2,685	
Danelle Haberman (REP)	2,647	98.58%
(Write in vote, if any)	38	1.42%
Undervote	908	
Overvote	0	

County Recorder

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	2,632	
Curtis J. Reis (REP)	2,594	98.56%
(Write in vote, if any)	38	1.44%
Undervote	961	
Overvote	0	

County Attorney

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	2,584	
Paul Allen (REP)	2,545	98.49%
(Write in vote, if any)	39	1.51%
Undervote	1,009	
Overvote	0	

Barnes Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	49	
Ralph Warkentin	49	100.00%
(Write in vote, if any)	0	0%
Undervote	11	
Overvote	0	

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Barnes Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	47	
Josh Jessen	47	100.00%
(Write in vote, if any)	0	0%
Undervote	13	
Overvote	0	

Coon Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	58	
Randy Richter	57	98.28%
(Write in vote, if any)	1	1.72%
Undervote	10	
Overvote	0	

Brooke Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	6	
(Write in vote, if any)	6	100.00%
Undervote	37	
Overvote	0	

Elk Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	4	
(Write in vote, if any)	4	100.00%
Undervote	55	
Overvote	0	

Brooke Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	6	
(Write in vote, if any)	6	100.00%
Undervote	37	
Overvote	0	

Elk Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	54	
Linda Mattson	54	100.00%
(Write in vote, if any)	0	0%
Undervote	5	
Overvote	0	

Coon Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	60	
Joel Ehlers	60	100.00%
(Write in vote, if any)	0	0%
Undervote	8	
Overvote	0	

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Fairfield Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	54	
Scott Loving	54	100.00%
(Write in vote, if any)	0	0%
Undervote	7	
Overvote	0	

Grant Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	65	
Andrew J. Kelly	65	100.00%
(Write in vote, if any)	0	0%
Undervote	8	
Overvote	0	

Fairfield Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	52	
David Balder	50	96.15%
(Write in vote, if any)	2	3.85%
Undervote	9	
Overvote	0	

Hayes Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	2	
Precincts Reporting	2	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	81	
Doug Imming	81	100.00%
(Write in vote, if any)	0	0%
Undervote	9	
Overvote	0	

Grant Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	66	
Matthew D. Richardson	65	98.48%
(Write in vote, if any)	1	1.52%
Undervote	7	
Overvote	0	

Hayes Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	2	
Precincts Reporting	2	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	79	
Thomas L. Rice	78	98.73%
(Write in vote, if any)	1	1.27%
Undervote	11	
Overvote	0	

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Lee Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	4	
(Write in vote, if any)	4	100.00%
Undervote	77	
Overvote	0	

Lincoln Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	5	
(Write in vote, if any)	5	100.00%
Undervote	36	
Overvote	0	

Lee Township - Trustee To Fill a Vacancy

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 2		
Total Votes	2	
(Write in vote, if any)	2	100.00%
Undervote	160	
Overvote	0	

Maple Valley Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	6	
(Write in vote, if any)	6	100.00%
Undervote	55	
Overvote	0	

Lee Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	3	
(Write in vote, if any)	3	100.00%
Undervote	78	
Overvote	0	

Maple Valley Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	5	
(Write in vote, if any)	5	100.00%
Undervote	56	
Overvote	0	

Lincoln Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	8	
(Write in vote, if any)	8	100.00%
Undervote	33	
Overvote	0	

Newell Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	4	
(Write in vote, if any)	4	100.00%
Undervote	38	
Overvote	0	

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Newell Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	40	
Brad Mahler	40	100.00%
(Write in vote, if any)	0	0%
Undervote	2	
Overvote	0	

Nokomis Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	11	
(Write in vote, if any)	11	100.00%
Undervote	107	
Overvote	0	

Nokomis Township - Trustee To Fill a Vacancy

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	11	
(Write in vote, if any)	11	100.00%
Undervote	107	
Overvote	0	

Nokomis Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	84	
Megan Peterson	83	98.81%
(Write in vote, if any)	1	1.19%
Undervote	34	
Overvote	0	

Poland Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	57	
Steven Lind	57	100.00%
(Write in vote, if any)	0	0%
Undervote	9	
Overvote	0	

Poland Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	56	
Julie Schultze	56	100.00%
(Write in vote, if any)	0	0%
Undervote	10	
Overvote	0	

Providence Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	3	
(Write in vote, if any)	3	100.00%
Undervote	55	
Overvote	0	

Providence Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	1	
(Write in vote, if any)	1	100.00%
Undervote	57	
Overvote	0	

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Scott Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	5	
(Write in vote, if any)	5	100.00%
Undervote	47	
Overvote	0	

Scott Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	46	
Anna Mae Robbins	46	100.00%
(Write in vote, if any)	0	0%
Undervote	6	
Overvote	0	

Washington Township - Trustee

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	4	
(Write in vote, if any)	4	100.00%
Undervote	96	
Overvote	0	

Washington Township - Clerk

Number of Precincts	1	
Precincts Reporting	1	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	2	
(Write in vote, if any)	2	100.00%
Undervote	98	
Overvote	0	

Buena Vista County Hospital - Trustee

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 4		
Total Votes	7,238	
Brenda Halverson	1,953	26.98%
Duane Miller	1,710	23.63%
Richard Lampe	1,785	24.66%
Tara Radke	1,758	24.29%
(Write in vote, if any)	32	0.44%
Undervote	7,122	
Overvote	12	

County Soil and Water Conservation District Commissioner

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 2		
Total Votes	3,798	
Sean Waldstein	1,901	50.05%
Robert R. Donahoo	1,871	49.26%
(Write in vote, if any)	26	0.68%
Undervote	3,386	
Overvote	2	

County Soil and Water Conservation District Commissioner To Fill a Vacancy

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	155	
(Write in vote, if any)	155	100.00%
Undervote	3,438	
Overvote	0	

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County Agricultural Extension Council

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 5		
Total Votes	6,548	
John Wilson	1,655	25.27%
Annie Millard	1,615	24.66%
Salli Nichols	1,625	24.82%
Neira Ek Rodriguez	1,550	23.67%
(Write in vote, if any)	103	1.57%
Undervote	11,417	
Overvote	0	

Retain Court of Appeals Judge Sharon Soorholtz Greer

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	2,142	
YES	1,612	75.26%
NO	530	24.74%
Undervote	1,450	
Overvote	1	

Retain Court of Appeals Judge John M. Sandy

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	2,123	
YES	1,647	77.58%
NO	476	22.42%
Undervote	1,470	
Overvote	0	

Retain Court of Appeals Judge Julie A. Schumacher

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	2,118	
YES	1,671	78.90%
NO	447	21.10%
Undervote	1,475	
Overvote	0	

Retain District 3A Court Judge Charles Borth

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	2,121	
YES	1,662	78.36%
NO	459	21.64%
Undervote	1,469	
Overvote	3	

Retain District 3A Court Judge Carl J. Petersen

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	2,085	
YES	1,625	77.94%
NO	460	22.06%
Undervote	1,508	
Overvote	0	

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Retain District 3A Court Judge Andrew J. Smith

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	2,130	
YES	1,679	78.83%
NO	451	21.17%
Undervote	1,459	
Overvote	4	

Retain District 3A Associate Judge Kristi Busse

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	2,093	
YES	1,657	79.17%
NO	436	20.83%
Undervote	1,500	
Overvote	0	

Retain District 3A Court Judge Adam Miller

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	2,083	
YES	1,651	79.26%
NO	432	20.74%
Undervote	1,509	
Overvote	1	

Constitutional Amendment 1

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Total Votes	2,970	
YES	1,967	66.23%
NO	1,003	33.77%
Undervote	621	
Overvote	2	

Retain District 3A Associate Judge Jennifer Bennett Finn

Number of Precincts	8	
Precincts Reporting	8	100.00%
Vote For 1		
Total Votes	2,076	
YES	1,624	78.23%
NO	452	21.77%
Undervote	1,507	
Overvote	10	