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## OFFICIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION BALLOT PHELPS COUNTY, MISSOURI APRIL 8, 2025

## **INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER**

To vote, completely fill in the oval next to your choice, like this .

Use the marking device provided.

CANDIDATES: Complete the oval next to the name of the Candidate for whom you wish to vote.

PROPOSITIONS: If you are in FAVOR of the proposition or question, complete the oval next to the word YES. If you are OPPOSED to the proposition or question, complete the oval next to the word NO. WRITE-IN: To vote for a person whose name is not on the ballot, write his or her name in the blank space provided for such purposes and complete the oval next to the space provided.

## Phelps County Proposition A, Use Tax,

Shall Phelps County impose a local use tax at the same rate as the county sales tax rate, currently 1.125%.

If approved, this measure would impose a use tax for out-of-state purchases of tangible personal property delivered to Phelps County for use, storage, or consumption, where the same items would be subject to sales tax if purchased locally.

Pursuant to Section 144.757 RSMo, and the voter-approved ballot of April 7, 1981, the use tax shall be subject to the same reduction of real property tax as the local sales tax to ensure compliance with statutory requirements.

Revenue generated from the use tax will be dedicated to the improvement and repair of Phelps County roads and infrastructure, this additional Revenue will not subrogate the general fund contribution to the Road and Bridge Department.

The use tax is not an additional tax but ensures that out-of-state purchases are taxed at the same rate as local purchases, preventing the loss of local tax revenue.

YES

 $\bigcirc$  NO

City of Edgar Springs
For Mayor
2 Year Term
(Vote for 1)

- Thomas Riley

(write-in)

City of Edgar Springs South Ward For Alderman 2 Year Term (Vote for 1)

- (write-in)

Phelps County Emergency Services
District 2
For Board Member
4 Year Term
(Vote for 2)

- Steve Zap
- Randy Barr
- (write-in)
- (write-in)