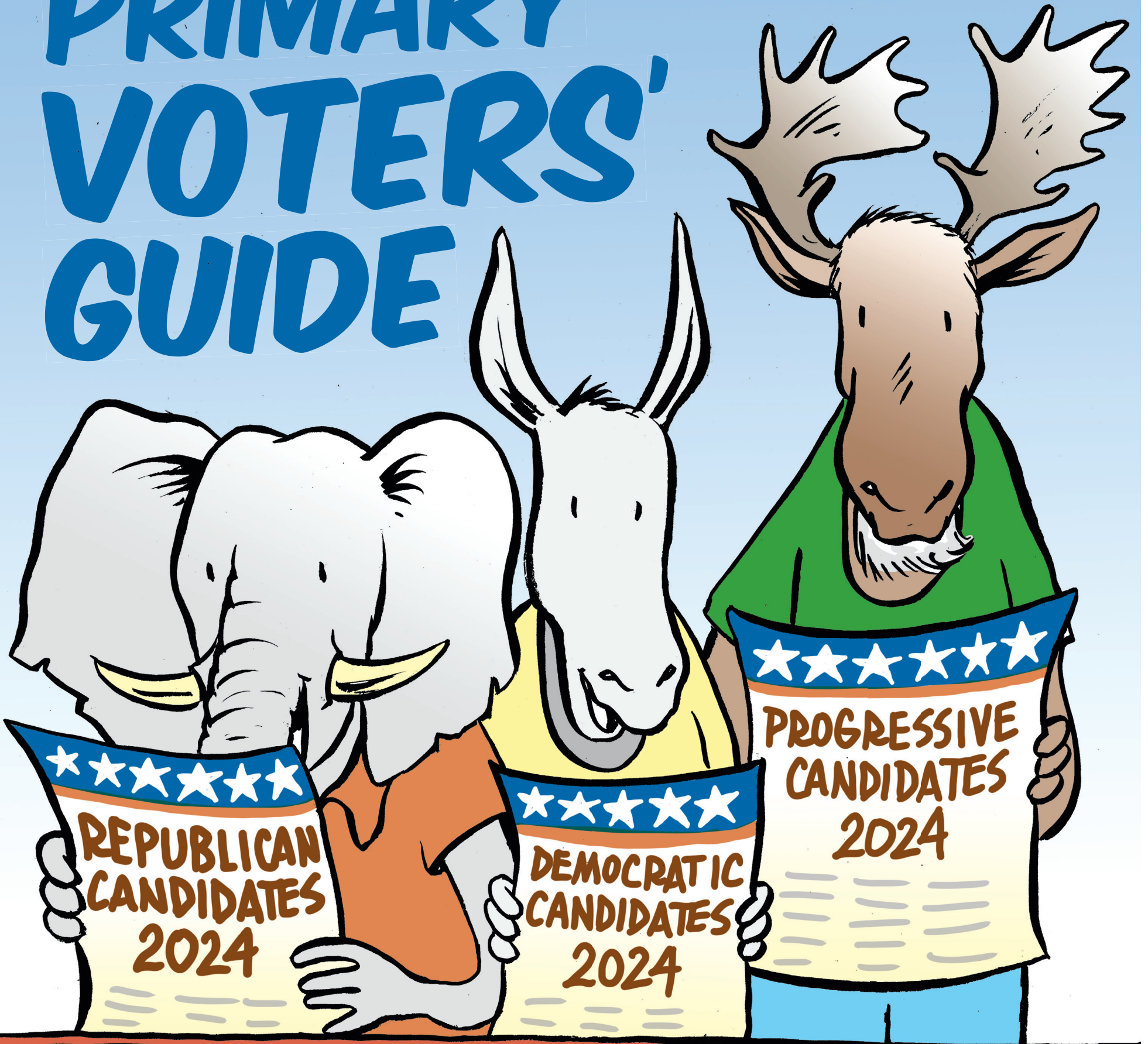


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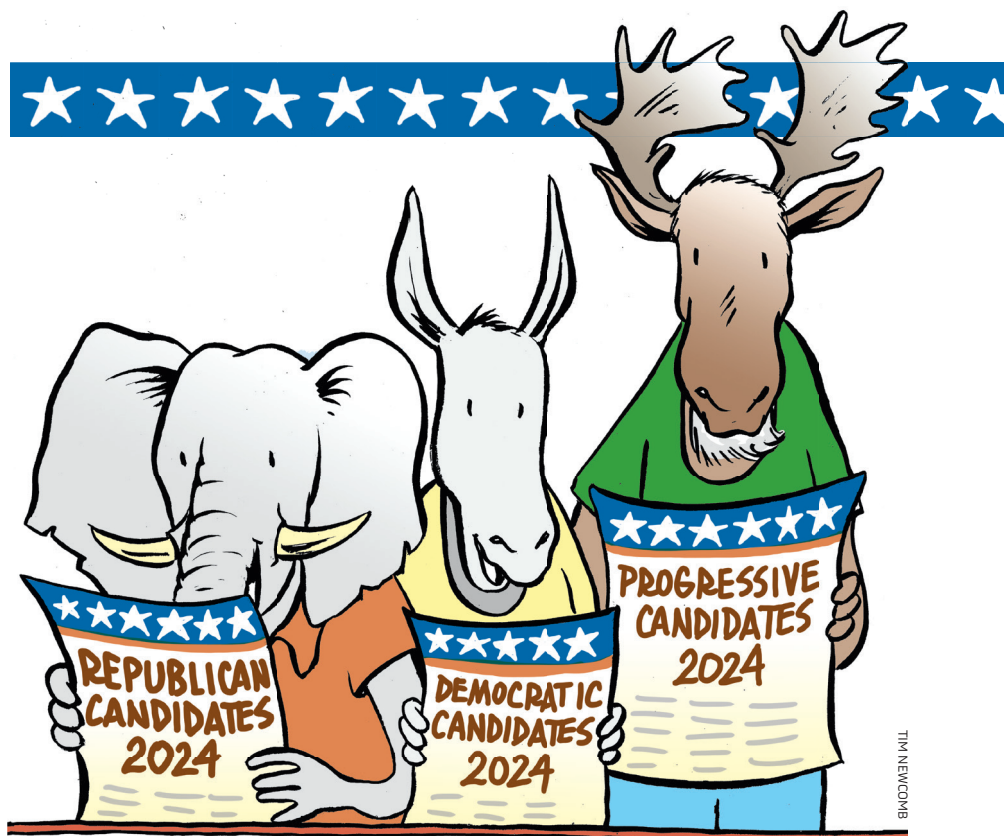
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PARTY TIME

The 2024 general election is still a few months away, but it's time to pick the major party candidates who will square off in November.

On August 13, Democrats, Republicans and Progressives choose their party's nominees for statewide offices including governor and lieutenant governor, as well as seats in the Vermont and U.S. Senate and House.

WANT TO INSPIRE THE NEXT GENERATION OF VOTERS?

Help the K-8 students in your life take the Good Citizen Challenge this summer. Find more information about our youth civics project on page 13 and at goodcitizenvt.com.

Let's face it, this year's primary election is a bit less exciting than the last one, in 2022, when several incumbents — most notably then-U.S. senator Patrick Leahy — decided not to seek reelection. There are three times fewer contested primaries for statewide offices this year.

But there *are* still some — for the Democratic candidate for governor and the Democratic and Republican candidates for lieutenant governor. This guide gives those aspiring officeholders a chance to introduce themselves to voters. Candidates who don't face a primary challenger will likely win their nominations and can address voters in our general election guide this fall, along

with the other primary winners and independent candidates.

The field is a lot more crowded for aspiring members of the Vermont House and Senate. For one, every seat in the Statehouse is up for grabs; also, several long-serving senators are stepping down this year, including Sen. Jane Kitchee (D-Caledonia), Sen. Bobby Starr (D-Orleans), Sen. Brian Champion (D-Bennington) and Sen. Dick McCormack (D-Windsor). Sen. Dick Mazza, a Democrat who served the Grand Isle district for 39 years before retiring in April, died on May 25. One week later, Dick Sears, also a Democratic senator, died after representing the Bennington district for more than three decades, though he remains on the ballot; if he wins, the party committee can nominate a candidate to replace him.

You can find the complete list of legislative candidates starting on page 8.

The *Seven Days* news team will be writing about some of these races — in the paper and online — in advance of the August primary. How do we choose which ones to cover? Find out in the FAQ on page 4. We'll post it at sevendaysvt.com/election-faq and link to it at the end of election-related stories.

Seven Days produced the FAQ as part of an election coverage program organized by Trusting News, a nonprofit that helps journalists earn and keep readers' trust. We're grateful for yours.

CATHY RESMER
DEPUTY PUBLISHER



VOTING IN VERMONT 101

Seven things to know about participating in the August primary **BY CATHY RESMER** • cathy@sevendaysvt.com

First time voting in Vermont? First time voting *ever*? Good news: This state makes it easy. Here are seven things you need to know to participate in the primary elections on August 13.

You have to register to vote. Register online at olvr.vermont.gov, by calling 1-800-439-VOTE, by visiting your city or town clerk's office, by filling out a voter registration form anytime before primary

Election Day, or at the polls. Check to see if you're already on the state's voter checklist by entering your name and birth date at olvr.vermont.gov.

You have to register to vote.

You don't have to live here for a certain amount of time before you're eligible. As long as you're a U.S. citizen, age 18 or older, claim Vermont as your primary residence, and take the voter's oath, you're good to go. To prove your residency, you'll need a passport, Vermont driver's license or other government document showing

your address; you can also use a utility bill or bank statement.

If you're 17, you can vote in this primary election, provided you turn 18 by the November 5 general election. An early birthday present!

There are three primaries on August 13, but you can only vote in one. On primary Election Day, the Republican, Democratic and Progressive parties will pick their candidates for the general election on November 5. You can only vote in one party's primary, but you can wait until you're at the polls to decide which of three ballots to choose.

You can vote early — in person or by mail — for any reason. Just stop by your city or town clerk's office and request a ballot during business hours anytime between now and closing time on the last business day before the election. You can fill it out

GOT MORE QUESTIONS ABOUT VOTING IN VERMONT?

Check the website of the Vermont Secretary of State's Office, sos.vermont.gov.

on the spot and turn it in. All voters on the checklist will receive a mail-in ballot for the general election, but not for the primary.

Convicted felons and current inmates can vote in the Green Mountain State. If Donald Trump and Hunter Biden claimed Vermont residency, they could vote here!

If you're sick or disabled, you can request at-home ballot delivery. Contact your city or town clerk before closing time on the last business day before the election. On Election Day, two local justices of the peace will drop by with a ballot. When you've filled it out, they'll bring it back to the polls. ⑦



TIM NEWMOMB

GOOD QUESTIONS

Seven Days' election coverage FAQ BY CATHY RESMER & MATTHEW ROY

In May, *Seven Days* was selected to participate in the Clarify Your Elections Coverage program through the nonprofit Trusting News. The organization tasked participating news outlets with providing answers to frequently asked questions about political stories. The idea was to improve transparency and help readers understand how reporters and editors approach their work.

Why require publications to follow this format? According to Trusting News, this presentation “offers users a casual,

accessible way to learn more about how your newsroom covers elections and politics. FAQs tend to be more conversational and can help newsrooms address ... how they plan to cover races, politicians and voting. They can also help make election coverage feel less overwhelming by quickly pointing people to the basic information they need to participate in elections.”

We worked with the facilitators from Trusting News to craft the final product. It's a living document – we'll post it online and update it as needed.

How do you decide which races to cover?

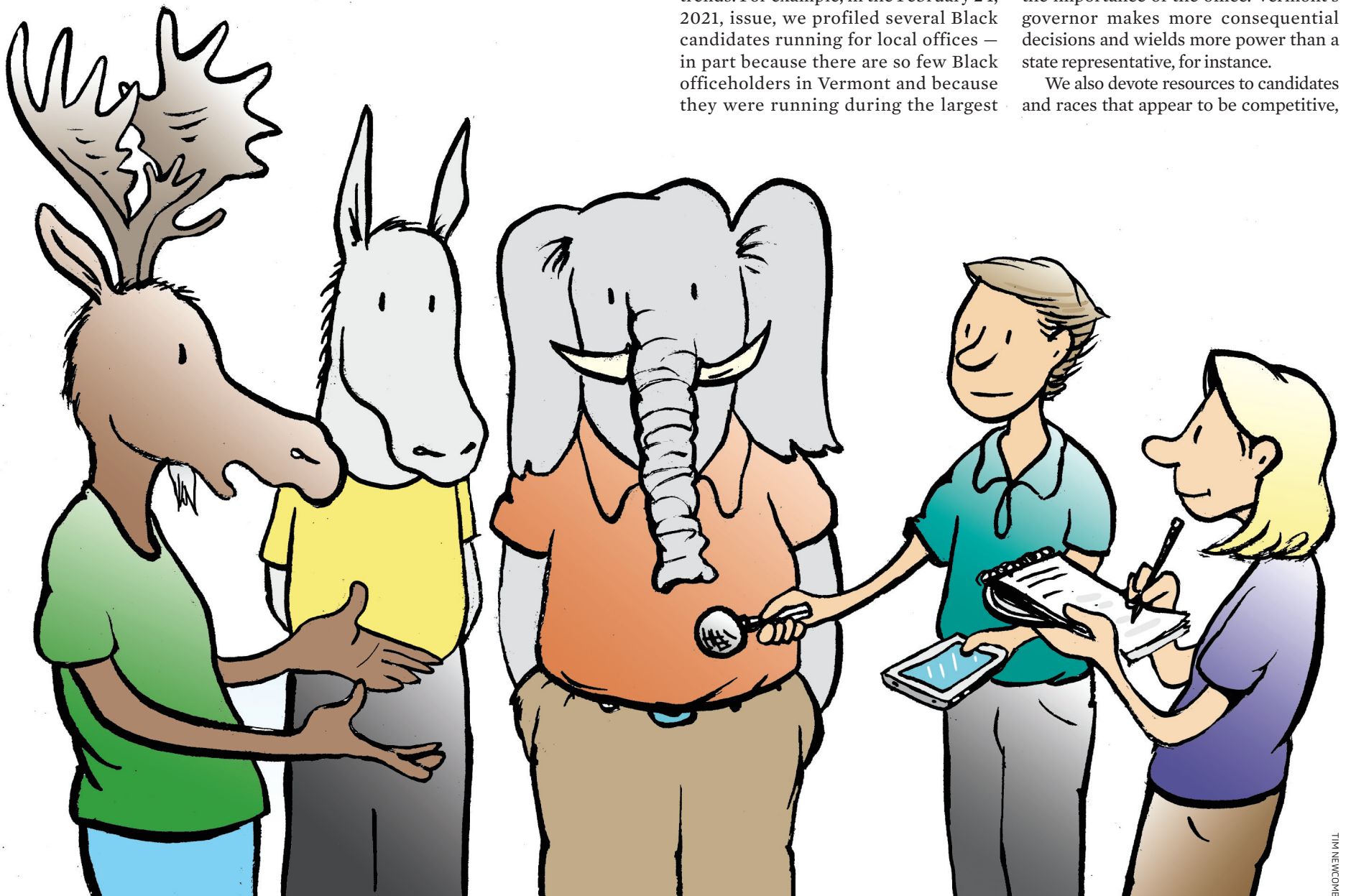
With 180 seats in the Vermont legislature and various other offices on the line, *Seven Days* has to be selective. We prioritize contested races for statewide offices, such as for U.S. Senate, governor and secretary of state. We highlight local races judiciously. We've historically emphasized coverage in Burlington, the state's largest city, where we're based – we have a reporter assigned to city government – but we explore elections elsewhere, too, when they're illustrative of statewide issues or trends. For example, in the February 24, 2021, issue, we profiled several Black candidates running for local offices – in part because there are so few Black officeholders in Vermont and because they were running during the largest

racial justice movement the U.S. had seen since the 1960s. We wrote about Barre Mayor Thom Lauzon's reelection fight in May because it touched on flood recovery efforts and also illustrated a classic Vermont culture clash between the brash mayor of this blue-collar community and a more progressive challenger.

Some races get more attention than others. Why?

The *Seven Days* news team considers various factors in determining which races to pursue most vigorously, such as the importance of the office. Vermont's governor makes more consequential decisions and wields more power than a state representative, for instance.

We also devote resources to candidates and races that appear to be competitive,





as evidenced by the experience and background of the candidates, the size of the campaign organization — volunteer and paid campaign staff — and funding from political parties or individual donors. The paper covered the 2022 primary race for Vermont’s lone seat in the U.S. House of Representatives extensively because there was no incumbent; multiple experienced candidates entered the Democratic primary; numerous organizations invited the candidates to debate; and donors spent large sums of money to try to influence the outcome.

We’re also drawn to races that highlight different approaches to tackling civic issues such as public safety. We monitor social media and our local Front Porch Forums, attendance at public events, debate performances, letters to the editor, and other indicators that help us gauge whether candidates are striking a chord with voters.

Does party affiliation play a role in determining how *Seven Days* covers candidates?

We tend to focus more on candidates who are seeking or have secured endorsements from major parties — Democratic, Republican, Progressive — and those backed by campaign staffers, volunteers and donors. We are mindful, though, that Vermont voters have a history of backing independent candidates (e.g., U.S. Sen. Bernie Sanders), and we consider covering them, too, particularly if they possess unusual or noteworthy qualifications or can demonstrate significant public support for their campaign. We use the same criteria to determine whether we’ll cover write-in candidates.

For example, in 2018, we covered Hal Colston’s write-in Winooski City Council campaign. Colston, who then led an educational nonprofit in the city and formerly founded the nationally known Good News Garage, was a credible candidate with name recognition, and we wrote a short story about him when he entered the race. He ultimately

When we approach election stories, we try to ask the questions our readers are asking.

prevailed. We also wrote about his second write-in campaign for a seat in the Vermont legislature. Colston won that race, as well.

Do you give all candidates an opportunity to express their views on the issues?

Even if our reporters don’t report on independent candidates, we do include them in our primary and general election voters’ guides. Our guides typically list all candidates on the ballot for the Vermont House and Senate, U.S. Congress, and statewide offices. All candidates for statewide offices who qualify to be on the general election ballot have the opportunity to submit biographical information, a photo and answers to a few questions that we publish in print and online. For the primary guide, we only publish information from candidates in contested races. We don’t have the resources to print Q&As with all the candidates vying for Vermont’s legislative seats, though each candidate who qualifies to be on the primary or general election ballots will be listed in the guides.

Does political advertising influence coverage?

No. Advertising dollars, political or otherwise, do not determine which races or candidates get coverage; neither do donations or grants made in support of our journalism.

Who writes and edits election stories?

Election coverage is handled by *Seven Days* staff news writers and overseen by an experienced team of editors led by news editor Matthew Roy. He came to *Seven Days* in 2014 after a 14-year stint at the *Virginian-Pilot*. Roy studied journalism at the University of Rhode Island and has more than three decades of experience as a reporter and editor.

Deputy news editor Sasha Goldstein arrived at *Seven Days* in 2016 from the *New York Daily News*. Goldstein has a BA in journalism from the University of Wisconsin. Both he and Roy are among the 16 employee-owners of *Seven Days*.

They’re assisted by consulting editors Ken Ellingwood, who spent 25 years at the *Los Angeles Times*; and Candace Page, a longtime former *Burlington Free Press* writer and editor; as well as by *Seven Days* cofounder and editor-in-chief Paula Routly. Both Routly and Page are members of the New England Newspaper Hall of Fame. Their institutional memory informs our coverage.

News staff writers include Kevin McCallum and Derek Brouwer, who arrived at *Seven Days* on the same day — January 1, 2019. Both came from out west; Brouwer had worked at the *Missoula Independent* in Montana and McCallum at the *Press Democrat* in Santa Rosa, Calif., where he was part of the Pulitzer Prize-winning team that covered the wildfires there.

Courtney Lamdin is our Burlington reporter. A Barre native who studied journalism at Saint Michael’s College, Lamdin previously rose through the ranks to become executive editor of three community newspapers. She’s been covering politics in the Queen City since 2019.

Colin Flanders spent four years as a reporter at the *Essex Reporter*, *Colchester Sun* and *Milton Independent* before joining *Seven Days* in 2019. Like Lamdin, he’s a graduate of the journalism program at Saint Michael’s College.

Education reporter Alison Novak is a former elementary school teacher and managing editor of *Kids VT* who started covering K-12 education for *Seven Days* early in the pandemic.

Anne Wallace Allen has a master’s degree in public policy from Georgetown University and has worked as a journalist for nearly 30 years at the Associated Press, *Idaho Statesman*, *Idaho Business Review* and *VT Digger.org*. She joined *Seven Days* in 2021.

Rachel Hellman is a corps member of Report for America, a national service program that places journalists in underserved newsrooms around the country and helps train them. Hellman has covered rural Vermont since 2022.

Other staff writers are sometimes called upon to pitch in on campaign coverage, especially on election nights.

How do you ensure fairness in election stories?

It’s important to us that candidates from across the political spectrum have a chance to share their views with our reporters and feel that *Seven Days* represents them accurately. When we approach election stories, we try to ask the questions our readers are asking; often we hear these from readers directly. We work to stay focused on issues versus reporting which candidate might be leading in the polls or in fundraising. We allow candidates to respond to attacks by sources or other candidates. We ask follow-up questions if we feel a candidate has dodged a query. We scrutinize candidates’ backgrounds and verify their credentials. We assess the experience they’d bring to the role they’re seeking.

Do you cover election finances?

Yes. *Seven Days* reviews up-to-date campaign financial disclosures for each race we cover. It’s important to know who’s supporting each candidate — small donors, wealthier donors, special-interest political action committees or all of the above. ⑦

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DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES FOR GOVERNOR

The governor is Vermont's CEO, the head of its executive branch of government. The Vermont legislature passes bills; the governor decides whether to sign them into law. The roles are reversed when it comes to the state budget, which the governor drafts and the legislature approves. The governor also appoints agency leaders and issues executive orders and proclamations. Republican Phil Scott has held the job since 2017 and is running for reelection. Two candidates are vying for the Democratic nomination to challenge him in November.

Esther Charlestin

MIDDLEBURY

Small business owner; cochair of the Vermont Commission on Women; previously served on the Middlebury Selectboard

Why are you running for the Democratic Party nomination?

The Democratic Party champions equality for all. Gov. Scott's vetoes highlight the need for collaborations. As governor, I will work with Democrats, Progressives, independents and Republicans to address Vermont's challenges, ensuring every voice is heard and all are invested in our solutions.

What are the most important issues facing Vermont today?

The most pressing issues facing Vermont today are tackling our affordable housing and livability crisis, building an education system that is both fully funded and sets our children

and education workers up for success, and ensuring climate disaster mitigation and a just energy transition for the future.

Name three accomplishments that qualify you to address them.

As a selectboard member and member of various boards, I demonstrated my leadership skills and commitment to civic engagement and gained experience in governance, decision making and community building. My extensive education background equips me with a strong foundation in critical thinking, communication and education policy. Throughout my career, I have been driven by a commitment to justice and equity.



Briefly describe your approach to tax policy in Vermont.

Taxes can be crushing to some; much less so to others. My tax policy is to lower the education tax burden on lower- and middle-income Vermonters while exploring innovative funding models such as increasing taxes on second homes and short-term rentals to fund a better future for all of Vermont.

Peter Duval

UNDERHILL

Sailing instructor and substitute teacher; former Underhill Selectboard member

Why are you running for the Democratic Party nomination?

The blue team and red team play political ping-pong over minor differences while claiming to address housing, climate and "demographic crisis." I run to link such crises, offer an environmental perspective and, as a fusion candidate, be a change agent. It's a civic duty.

What are the most important issues facing Vermont today?

False battle lines are often drawn around issues. I am running on principles of ecology, ecological and Nordic model economics, and progressive social policy.

Name three accomplishments that qualify you to address them.

I successfully lobbied Vermont Electric Coop's board to reject the VJO/Hydro-Québec contract. I helped Colchester voters realize that the Circumferential Highway — like ring roads everywhere — was a transportation failure by design. A lone voice on U46's Facilities Committee, I helped U46 realize that Essex Tech Center should remain on the high school campus.



Briefly describe your approach to tax policy in Vermont.

All money is fungible, and taxes implement policy. Having "funds" for one thing or another and asking, "How are you going to pay for that?" piecemeal is silly. Vermont should overhaul its approach, resulting in a single formula that is adjusted to meet the total expenses of each budget cycle.



CANDIDATES FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

The lieutenant governor presides over the Vermont Senate. The position is largely ceremonial — unless the governor is incapacitated or unable to serve. In that case, the LG takes over the top job. The LG also breaks tie votes in the Senate. The current LG, Democrat David Zuckerman, is facing a primary challenge from Thomas Renner. Two Republicans also hope to win the chance to represent their party in the November general election.

REPUBLICANS

John S. Rodgers

GLOVER
Owner-operator of J.S. Rodgers Masonry, Vermont Farmers Hemp Company, Farmers Underground, Rodgers Rentals; former Democratic legislator

Why are you running for the Republican Party nomination?

I intend to use the lieutenant governor's office to advocate for the working-class people of Vermont, who have not had a voice in the Statehouse for years. I will advocate for legislation that helps working-class people and fight legislation that makes the cost of living in Vermont untenable.



are nearing retirement age, and there are not enough younger people getting into the trades to take their place.

Briefly describe your approach to tax policy in Vermont.

Taxes should be balanced so everyone pays their fair share. We need to be sure that we can provide services efficiently so as not to waste tax dollars, as Vermonters are already overtaxed.

If the governor is unable to perform his or her duties, you may have to step into that role. What qualifies you for that responsibility?

I spent 16 years in the legislature, eight in the House of Representatives and eight in the state Senate. I have also run small businesses since I was in my early twenties. I have the ability to work with people and the knowledge to oversee state government.

What are the most important issues facing Vermont today?

The high cost of living in Vermont. We also need to do a better job training young Vermonters for the trades. Many tradespeople in Vermont

Gregory M. Thayer

RUTLAND CITY
Accountant; former Rutland City alderman; member of various governmental boards and nonprofit boards

Why are you running for the Republican Party nomination?

I'm the *only* lifelong Republican running. To make Vermont *affordable!* I believe in the people. The current leadership negatively affects working Vermonters with their high tax/fee increases, excessive spending and overregulation. I will say no to their big government agenda and provide solutions to the created problems.



Standards; getting the politics out of our schools; tackling Vermont's serious mental health problem.

Briefly describe your approach to tax policy in Vermont.

To make government more efficient and effective for the people. Lower taxes/fees and watch the floodgates of investment open. Repeal every tax in the Vermont Statutes and implement a consumption tax on gross sales in Vermont.

If the governor is unable to perform his or her duties, you may have to step into that role. What qualifies you for that responsibility?

It's about leadership. My experience in executive leadership positions in banking and accounting qualify me. The person running the government needs to learn from effectively run businesses, and I have that experience. It's about bringing in the right people with the right skills to solve the challenges we face.

What are the most important issues facing Vermont today?

The policies of the current lieutenant governor and his party have made Vermont unaffordable. Cutting spending, taxes/fees and regulations to invest in making housing affordable; repealing the Global Warming Solutions Act and Home Heat

DEMOCRATS

Thomas Renner

WINOOSKI
Outreach liaison for Congresswoman Becca Balint (D-Vt.), currently on leave from the position; deputy mayor of Winooski

Why are you running for the Democratic Party nomination?

I have been a Democrat my entire life; I have been involved in the local, county and state party. As a lifelong Democrat, I would not run in any other party's primary, nor will I switch parties or add other party affiliations after the primary.



Briefly describe your approach to tax policy in Vermont.

As deputy mayor, I've prioritized keeping Winooski's tax rate as low as possible while providing the services that the community needs and deserves. To have safe roads, quality childcare and affordable housing, we need to raise taxes but do so while keeping in mind the economic stressors people are facing.

If the governor is unable to perform his or her duties, you may have to step into that role. What qualifies you for that responsibility?

Through working for senator Leahy and Congresswoman Balint, I have learned firsthand what it takes to lead; serving as deputy mayor I have worked on budgets, dealt with large infrastructure projects and, thanks to all three of those experiences, I have created good relationships in the Statehouse.

What are the most important issues facing Vermont today?

As I travel the state, I hear the same things from Vermonters — affordability, housing, economic opportunity and climate change.

David Zuckerman

HINESBURG
Organic, regenerative farmer; business owner; incumbent lieutenant governor

Why are you running for the Democratic Party nomination?

We need bold, proven leadership in Montpelier. I have been in public service for 24 years, fighting to increase wages for Vermonters, building more affordable housing, tackling the climate crisis, expanding equal justice for all and pushing for a brighter future, full of opportunities for my daughter and her peers.



Briefly describe your approach to tax policy in Vermont.

We have 40-plus years of tax policies that concentrate money in the hands of a few. We need an education system that does not penalize 70 percent of working Vermonters. By moving toward income-based taxes, we can save working Vermonters around \$40 million on their property tax bills.

If the governor is unable to perform his or her duties, you may have to step into that role. What qualifies you for that responsibility?

I am a farmer and a public servant. I have been a leader on climate, economic and social justice my entire career, including championing raising wages, legalizing cannabis, GMO labeling, marriage equality and more. With more than 24 years in public service and six years presiding over the Senate, I'm ready.

What are the most important issues facing Vermont today?

Vermonters are struggling right now; the climate crisis, a shortage of affordable housing and regressive property taxes are crushing people. Democracy is under siege. We need to double down to tackle these issues with conviction and determination.



Candidates for federal, statewide and legislative offices

The following candidates appear on the primary ballot for these federal, statewide and legislative offices. Candidates are listed alphabetically by last name. Information was provided by the candidates. High bailiff candidates can be found online at sos.vermont.gov. Contested races are highlighted.

* = INCUMBENT

U.S. SENATOR

Gerald Malloy (R)
WEATHERSFIELD
deploymalloy.com

Bernie Sanders (D)*
BURLINGTON
berniesanders.com

REPRESENTATIVE TO U.S. CONGRESS

Becca Balint (D)*
BRATTLEBORO
beccabalint.com

Mark Coester (R)
WESTMINSTER
mark4vermont.com

GOVERNOR

Marielle Blais (P)
BRANDON

Esther Charlestin (D)
MIDDLEBURY
estherforvt.com

Peter K. Duval (D)
UNDERHILL
peterforvermont.earth

Phil Scott (R)*
BERLIN
philscott.org

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Zoraya Hightower (P)
BURLINGTON

Thomas Renner (D)
WINDOOSKI
thomasforvermont.com

John S. Rodgers (R)
GLOVER

Gregory M. Thayer (R)
RUTLAND CITY
thayerforvermont.org

David Zuckerman (D)*
HINESBURG
zuckermanforvt.com

SECRETARY OF STATE

Sarah Copeland Hanzas (D)*
BRADFORD
sarahforvermont.com

H. Brooke Paige (R)
WASHINGTON

STATE TREASURER

Joshua Bechhoefer (R)
CORNWALL

Tim Maciel (P)
BRATTLEBORO

Mike Pieciak (D)*
WINDOOSKI
mikeforvermont.com

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Elijah Bergman (P)
DANBY

Charity R. Clark (D)*
WILLISTON
charityforvermont.com

H. Brooke Paige (R)
WASHINGTON

AUDITOR OF ACCOUNTS

Linda Gravell (P)
WATERBURY

Doug Hoffer (D)*
BURLINGTON

H. Brooke Paige (R)
WASHINGTON

STATE REPRESENTATIVE

ADDISON-1

Middlebury
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Robin Scheu (D)*
MIDDLEBURY

Amy Sheldon (D)*
MIDDLEBURY

ADDISON-2

Cornwall, Goshen, Leicester, Ripton, Salisbury
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Peter Conlon (D)*
CORNWALL

ADDISON-3

Addison, Ferrisburgh, New Haven, Panton, Vergennes, Waltham
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Matt Birong (D)*
VERGENNES
mattbirong.com

Diane Lanpher (D)*
VERGENNES

Rob North (R)
FERRISBURGH
balancedvermont.com

ADDISON-4

Bristol, Lincoln, Monkton, Starksboro
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Jeanne Albert (D)
LINCOLN

Lynne Caulfield (R)
MONKTON

Mari Cordes (D)*
LINCOLN

Chanin Hill (R)
BRISTOL

Renee McGuinness (R)
MONKTON

Herb Olson (D)
STARSBORO

ADDISON-5

Bridport, Middlebury, New Haven, Weybridge
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Jubilee McGill (D)*
BRIDPORT
jubileemcgill.com

Del Thompson (R)
BRIDPORT

ADDISON-RUTLAND

Orwell, Shoreham, Whiting, Hubbardton, Sudbury
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Jim Casey (R)
HUBBARDTON

BENNINGTON-1

Pownal, Readsboro, Searsburg, Stamford, Woodford
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Jonathan Cooper (D)
POWNAL
cooperforvermont.com

BENNINGTON-2

Bennington
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Anthony A. Cook (R)
BENNINGTON

Timothy R. Corcoran II (D)*
BENNINGTON

Asher Edelson (D)
BENNINGTON
asheredelson.com

William "Will" Greer (D)
BENNINGTON
williamgreervt.com

Leon Johnson (D)
BENNINGTON

BENNINGTON-3

Glastenbury, Shaftsbury, Sunderland
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

David K. Durfee (D)*
SHAFTSBURY
durfeeforvermont.com

Victor K.

Harwood Jr. (R)
SHAFTSBURY

BENNINGTON-4

Arlington, Manchester, Sandgate, Sunderland
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Joseph "Joe" Gervais (R)
ARLINGTON
gervaisforvermont.com

Robert Hunter (D)
MANCHESTER

Kathleen James (D)*
MANCHESTER
kathjamesforstaterep.com

BENNINGTON-5

Bennington, Pownal
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Jim Carroll (D)*
BENNINGTON

Mary A. Morrissey (R)*
BENNINGTON

Michael Nigro (D)
BENNINGTON
nigroforbennington.com

BENNINGTON-RUTLAND

Dorset, Landgrove, Peru, Danby, Mount Tabor
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Sandra "Sandy" Pinsonault (R)
DORSET
sandy4vt.com

Mike Rice (D)*
DORSET
mikericevt.com

CALEDONIA-1

Barnet, Ryegate, Waterford
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Bobby Farlice-Rubio (D)*
BARNET
bobby.vote

Shawn Damian Hanover (R)
BARNET

Debra Lynn Powers (R)
WATERFORD

CALEDONIA-2

Hardwick, Stannard, Walden
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Sabrina Morrison (D)
HARDWICK

Michael "Mike" Southworth (R)
WALDEN

CALEDONIA-3

Lyndon, Newark, Sheffield, Sutton, Wheelock
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Eileen Boland (D)
WHEELOCK

Martha "Marty" Feltus (R)
LYNDON

Dennis LaBounty (D)*
LYNDON

Beth M. Quimby (R)*
LYNDON

John W. Simons (R)
SHEFFIELD

CALEDONIA-ESSEX

Kirby, St. Johnsburry, Concord
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

R. Scott Campbell (D)*
SAINT JOHNSBURY
campbellforvermont.com

Frank Empsall (D)
SAINT JOHNSBURY

CALEDONIA-WASHINGTON

Danville, Peacham, Cabot
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Greg Burt (R)
CABOT

Thomas "Tomz" Ziobrowski (D)
DANVILLE
ziobrowskiforvt.com



CHITTENDEN-1

Richmond
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Jana Brown (D)*
RICHMOND
janabrownforvt.com

CHITTENDEN-2

Williston
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Angela Arsenault (D)*
WILLISTON
angelaforwilliston.com

Erin Brady (D)*
WILLISTON
erinbradyforwilliston.com

CHITTENDEN-3

Jericho, Underhill
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Edye Graning (D)*
JERICHO

Trevor Squirrel (D)*
UNDERHILL

CHITTENDEN-4

Hinesburg
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Phil Pouech (D)*
HINESBURG

CHITTENDEN-5

Charlotte, Hinesburg
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Chea Waters Evans (D)*
CHARLOTTE

CHITTENDEN-6

Shelburne, South Burlington
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Kate Lalley (D)*
SHELburne

CHITTENDEN-7

Shelburne, St. George
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Michael X. Ashooh (D)
SHELburne

Shawn Sweeney (D)
SHELburne

CHITTENDEN-8

South Burlington, Williston
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Bridget Marie Burkhardt (D)
SOUTH BURLINGTON

CHITTENDEN-9

South Burlington
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Emilie Krasnow (D)*
SOUTH BURLINGTON
emiliekrasnow.com

CHITTENDEN-10

South Burlington
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Kate Nugent (D)*
SOUTH BURLINGTON
katenugent.org

CHITTENDEN-11

South Burlington
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Brian Minier (D)*
SOUTH BURLINGTON

CHITTENDEN-12

South Burlington
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Martin LaLonde (D)*
SOUTH BURLINGTON

CHITTENDEN-13

Burlington
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Dale Azaria (D)
BURLINGTON

Tiff Bluemle (D)*
BURLINGTON
tiffbluemle.com

Bram Kleppner (D)
BURLINGTON
bramvt.com

Larry Lewack (D)
BURLINGTON

CHITTENDEN-14

Burlington
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Barbara Rachelson (D)*
BURLINGTON
barbararachelsonvt.com

Mary-Katherine Stone (D)*
BURLINGTON
stoneforvermont.com

CHITTENDEN-15

Burlington
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Brian Cina (D)*
BURLINGTON
cinaforhouse.com

Troy Headrick (D)*
BURLINGTON
troyheadrick.com

CHITTENDEN-16

Burlington
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Jill Krowinski (D)*
BURLINGTON
jillkrowinski.com

Kate Logan (D)*
BURLINGTON
kateloganforhouse.com

CHITTENDEN-17

Burlington
Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Missa Aloisi (D)
BURLINGTON

Abbey Duke (D)*
BURLINGTON
abbeyduke.com

CHITTENDEN-18

Burlington
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Robert J. Hooper (D)*
BURLINGTON
bobhooper.com

Carol Ode (D)*
BURLINGTON

CHITTENDEN-19

Colchester
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Sarah "Sarita" Austin (D)*
COLCHESTER

Wendy Critchlow (D)
COLCHESTER

Leland Gazo (R)
COLCHESTER

CHITTENDEN-20

Colchester
Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Doug Bishop (D)
COLCHESTER

Gayle Pezzo (D)
COLCHESTER
pezzo4vthouse.com

Doug Wood (R)
COLCHESTER
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CHITTENDEN-21

Winooski

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Daisy Berbeco (D)*

WINOOSKI
daisyforwinooski.com

Nick Brownell (D)

WINOOSKI

Chloe Tomlinson (D)

WINOOSKI
chloeforwinooski.org

CHITTENDEN-22

Essex

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Karen Dolan (D)*

ESSEX JUNCTION CITY
dolanforvthouse.com

Lori Houghton (D)*

ESSEX JUNCTION CITY
lorihoughton.com

CHITTENDEN-23

Essex

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Leonora Dodge (D)*

ESSEX TOWN

Golrang “Rey”

Garofano (D)*

ESSEX TOWN

Lynn U. Smith (R)

ESSEX TOWN

CHITTENDEN-24

Essex

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Alyssa Black (D)*

ESSEX TOWN

CHITTENDEN-25

Milton, Westford

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Julia Andrews (D)*

WESTFORD
andrewsforvermont.com

Brenda Steady (R)

MILTON

CHITTENDEN-FRANKLIN

Milton, Georgia

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Henry A.

Bonges III (D)

MILTON

Anthony “Tony”

Micklus (R)

MILTON

tonyformilton.com

Lonnie Poland (D)

MILTON

lonniepoland.com

Chris Taylor (R)*

MILTON

christaylorforvthouse.org

ESSEX-CALEDONIA

Burke, Bloomfield, Brunswick, East Haven, Ferdinand, Granby, Guildhall, Lunenburg, Maidstone, Victory

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

John

Kascenska (R)

BURKE

kascenskaforvt.com

ESSEX-ORLEANS

Averill, Avery’s, Brighton, Canaan, Lemington, Lewis, Norton, Warner’s, Warren’s, Charleston, Holland, Morgan

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Larry Labor (R)*

MORGAN

FRANKLIN-1

Fairfax, Georgia

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Ashley R.

Bartley (R)*

FAIRFAX

ashleybartley.org

Carolyn

Branagan (R)*

GEORGIA

FRANKLIN-2

St. Albans

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Eileen “Lynn”

Dickinson (R)*

SAINT ALBANS TOWN

FRANKLIN-3

St. Albans

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Mike McCarthy (D)*

SAINT ALBANS CITY

FRANKLIN-4

Sheldon, Swanton

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Thomas “Tom”

Oliver Jr. (R)*

SHELDON

Matthew E.

Walker (R)*

SWANTON

FRANKLIN-5

Berkshire, Franklin, Highgate, Richford

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Lisa A. Hango (R)*

BERKSHIRE

hangoforhouse.com

Wayne A.

Laroche (R)*

FRANKLIN

FRANKLIN-6

Bakersfield, Fairfield, Fletcher

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

James

Gregoire (R)*

FAIRFIELD

FRANKLIN-7

Enosburgh, Montgomery

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Allen “Penny”

Demar (R)*

ENOSBURGH

Heather Moore (D)

ENOSBURGH

moore4housevt.com

FRANKLIN-8

St. Albans

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Zach Scheffler (D)

SAINT ALBANS CITY

Casey Toof (R)*

SAINT ALBANS TOWN

GRAND ISLE-CHITTENDEN

Alburgh, Grand Isle, Milton, North Hero, South Hero

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Josie Leavitt (D)*

GRAND ISLE

Leland Morgan (R)

MILTON

Michael R.

Morgan (R)*

MILTON

Luke Richter (D)

ALBURGH

LAMOILLE-2

Belvidere, Hyde Park, Johnson, Wolcott

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Richard J.

Bailey (R)

HYDE PARK

Daniel Noyes (D)*

WOLCOTT

dannoyesvt.com

Jim Ryan (D)

WOLCOTT

Malcolm “Mac”

Teale (R)

HYDE PARK

LAMOILLE-3

Cambridge, Waterville

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Lucy Boyden (D)*

CAMBRIDGE

lucyboydenvt.com

LAMOILLE-WASHINGTON

Elmore, Morristown, Stowe, Woodbury, Worcester

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Saudia

Lamont (D)*

MORRISTOWN

lamontforvermont.com

Jaiel Pulskamp (P)

WORCESTER

David

Yacovone (D)

MORRISTOWN

ORANGE-1

Corinth, Orange, Vershire, Washington

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Carl Demrow (D)*

CORINTH

carldemrow.com

Michael

Tagliavia (R)

CORINTH

ORANGE-2

Bradford, Fairlee, West Fairlee

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Zachary Michael

Lang (R)

BRADFORD

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Monique

Priestley (D)*

BRADFORD

moniqueforvermont.com

ORANGE-3

Chelsea, Williamstown

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Joshua

Dobrovich (R)

WILLIAMSTOWN

ORANGE-CALEDONIA

Groton, Newbury, Topsham

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Joe Parsons (R)*

NEWBURY

ORANGE-WASHINGTON-ADDISON

Granville, Braintree, Brookfield, Randolph, Roxbury

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Jay Hooper (D)*

RANDOLPH

hooper4house.com

Larry

Satcowitz (D)*

RANDOLPH

Kenneth “Rob”

Sikora (R)

BROOKFIELD

sikora4vt-rep.carrd.co

Wayne

Townsend (R)

RANDOLPH

ORLEANS-1

Derby

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Richard M.

Nelson (R)

DERBY

ORLEANS-2

Newport

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Woodman

H. Page (R)*

NEWPORT CITY

ORLEANS-3

Barton, Brownington, Westmore

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Ken Wells (R)

BROWNINGTON

votekenwellsoc3.com

ORLEANS-4

Albany, Craftsbury, Glover, Greensboro

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Anthony “Tony”

Daniels (R)

ALBANY

Leanne Harple (D)

GLOVER

harpleforhouse.com

David Kelley (D)

GREENSBORO

davidkelleyforhouse.com

ORLEANS-LAMOILLE

Eden, Coventry, Irasburg, Jay, Lowell, Newport, Troy, Westfield

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Mark Higley (R)*

LOWELL

Michael J.

Marcotte (R)*

COVENTRY

RUTLAND-1

Ira, Poultney, Wells

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Patricia A.

McCoy (R)*

POULTNEY

RUTLAND-2

Clarendon, Rutland, Wallingford, West Rutland

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

David “Dave”

Bosch (R)

CLARENDON

Thomas “Tom”

Burditt (R)*

WEST RUTLAND

Dave Potter (D)

CLARENDON

davepottervt.com

RUTLAND-3

Castleton

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Chris Brown (R)

CASTLETON

chrisbrownvt.com

RUTLAND-4

Rutland

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Christopher

Howland (R)

RUTLAND TOWN

Anna Tadio (D)

RUTLAND CITY

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RUTLAND-5

Rutland

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Eric Maguire (R)*

RUTLAND CITY

RUTLAND-6

Rutland

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Mary E. Howard (D)*

RUTLAND CITY

RUTLAND-7

Rutland

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

William Notte (D)*

RUTLAND CITY

RUTLAND-8

Pittsford, Proctor

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Alicia Malay (R)

PITTSFORD

RUTLAND-9

Brandon

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Stephanie Zak Jerome (D)*

BRANDON
stephaniejeromevt.com

RUTLAND-10

Benson, Fair Haven, West Haven

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

William "Bill" Canfield (R)*

FAIR HAVEN

RUTLAND-11

Chittenden, Killington, Mendon, Pittsfield

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Jim Harrison (R)*

CHITTENDEN
harrisonforvermont.com

RUTLAND-BENNINGTON

Rupert, Middletown Springs, Pawlet, Tinmouth, Wells

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Robin Chesnut-Tangerman (D)*

MIDDLETOWN SPRINGS
robinforrep.com

Ronald "Ron" W. Lacoste (R)

WELLS

Chris Pritchard (R)

PAWLET

RUTLAND-WINDSOR

Mount Holly, Shrewsbury, Ludlow

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Adrienne Raymond (D)

SHREWSBURY

Kevin C. Winter (R)

LUDLOW
kcwinterforvt.com

WASHINGTON-1

Berlin, Northfield

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Kenneth W. Goslant (R)*

NORTHFIELD

WASHINGTON-2

Duxbury, Fayston, Moretown, Waitsfield, Warren

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Dara Torre (D)*

MORETOWN
daratorrevt.com

Candice White (D)

WAITSFIELD

WASHINGTON-3

Barre

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Edward "Teddy" Waszazak (D)

BARRE CITY

Jonathan Williams (D)*

BARRE CITY

WASHINGTON-4

Montpelier

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Conor Casey (D)*

MONTPELIER

Kate McCann (D)*

MONTPELIER

WASHINGTON-5

East Montpelier, Middlesex

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Elanor "Ela" Chapin (D)*

EAST MONTPELIER
elachapinvt.com

WASHINGTON-6

Calais, Marshfield, Plainfield

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Marc Mihaly (D)*

CALAIS
marcmihaly.com

WASHINGTON-CHITTENDEN

Bolton, Buels, Huntington, Waterbury

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Elizabeth Brown (D)

WATERBURY
elizabethbrownforvermont.com

Jonathan Griffin (R)

WATERBURY

Thomas Stevens (D)*

WATERBURY
stevensvermont.com

Theresa A. Wood (D)*

WATERBURY

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Senator Kesha Ram Hinsdale
Former Representative Kitty Toll
Burlington City Councilor Tim Doherty**



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WASHINGTON-ORANGE

Williamstown, Barre

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Melissa Battah (D)

BARRE TOWN
melissabattahvt.com

Gina Galfetti (R)*

BARRE TOWN

Francis “Topper”

McFaun (R)*

BARRE TOWN

WINDHAM-1

Guilford, Vernon

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Zon Eastes (D)

GUILFORD
zoneastesvt.com

Nancy Gassett (R)

VERNON

Jason Herron (D)

GUILFORD

WINDHAM-3

Brookline, Rockingham, Westminster

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Michelle

Bos-Lun (D)*

WESTMINSTER

Ryan Coyne (R)

ROCKINGHAM

Leslie

Goldman (D)*

ROCKINGHAM

WINDHAM-4

Dummerston, Putney

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Mike Mrowicki (D)*

PUTNEY

Emily Peyton (P)

PUTNEY
emilypeyton.com

WINDHAM-5

Marlboro, Newfane, Townshend

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Emily Long (D)*

NEWFANE
emilylongvt.com

WINDHAM-6

Halifax, Whitingham, Wilmington

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Emily Carris-

Duncan (D)

WHITINGHAM

WINDHAM-7

Brattleboro

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Amanda Ellis-

Thurber (D)

BRATTLEBORO

Emilie

Kornheiser (D)*

BRATTLEBORO
emiliekornheiser.org

Susan Murray (R)

BRATTLEBORO

WINDHAM-8

Brattleboro

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Mollie S. Burke (D)*

BRATTLEBORO
mollieburkevt.com

William “Bill”

Harvey (R)

BRATTLEBORO

WINDHAM-9

Brattleboro

Vote for no more than one per party.

David

Gartenstein (D)

BRATTLEBORO

Ian Goodnow (D)

BRATTLEBORO
iangoodnow.com

WINDHAM-WINDSOR-BENNINGTON

Andover, Londonderry, Weston, Winhall

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Janet “Jan”

Payne (R)

ANDOVER

WINDSOR-1

Hartland, West Windsor, Windsor

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

John

Bartholomew (D)*

HARTLAND
johnbartholomew.org

Elizabeth

Burrows (D)*

WEST WINDSOR
elizabethvt.com

WINDSOR-2

Baltimore, Cavendish, Weathersfield

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

VL Coffin (R)

CAVENDISH

Mark D.

Yuengling (D)

WEATHERSFIELD

WINDSOR-3

Springfield

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Alice M.

Emmons (D)*

SPRINGFIELD

Kristi C.

Morris (D)*

SPRINGFIELD

Judith Stern (R)

SPRINGFIELD

WINDSOR-4

Barnard, Bridgewater, Hartford, Pomfret

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Heather

Surprenant (D)*

BARNARD
heather4vthouse.com

WINDSOR-5

Plymouth, Reading, Woodstock

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Charlie

Kimbell (D)

WOODSTOCK
charlieforvermont.com

WINDSOR-6

Hartford

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Kevin “Coach”

Christie (D)*

HARTFORD

Esme Cole (D)*

HARTFORD
esmecoleforvt.com

WINDSOR-ADDISON

Hancock, Bethel, Rochester, Stockbridge

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Kirk White (D)*

BETHEL
kirkwhiteforvtouse.com

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WINDSOR-ORANGE-1

Tunbridge, Royalton

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

John O’Brien (D)*

TUNBRIDGE

Bruce V. Post (R)

ROYALTON

WINDSOR-ORANGE-2

Stratford, Thetford, Norwich, Sharon

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Kevin

Blakeman (R)

SHARON

Lisa Flanders (R)

SHARON

Rebecca

Holcombe (D)*

NORWICH
rebeccaholcombe.com

Jim Masland (D)*

THETFORD

WINDSOR-WINDHAM

Athens, Grafton, Windham, Chester

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Thomas F.

Charlton (R)

CHESTER

Heather

Chase (D)*

CHESTER
heather4thethehouse.com

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ADDISON

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Lesley J.

Bienvenue (R)

LEICESTER

Christopher

Bray (D)*

BRISTOL
brayforvermont.us

Landel James

Cochran (R)

HUNTINGTON
landelvt.com

Caleb Elder (D)

STARSBORO
calebelder.com

Ruth Hardy (D)*

MIDDLEBURY
ruthforvermont.com

Steven

Heffernan (R)

BRISTOL

BENNINGTON

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Seth Bongartz (D)

MANCHESTER

Joseph “Joe”

Gervais (R)

ARLINGTON

Dick Sears (D)*

BENNINGTON

CALEDONIA

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Scott Beck (R)

SAINT JOHNSBURY

Amanda

Cochrane (D)

SAINT JOHNSBURY

JT Dodge (R)

NEWBURY

Shawn T.

Hallisey (D)

WATERFORD

CHITTENDEN-CENTRAL

Vote for no more than THREE per party.

Phil Baruth (D)*

BURLINGTON
facebook.com/
baruthsenate

Martine

Larocque

Gulick (D)*

BURLINGTON
martinelarocquegulick.com

Stewart

Ledbetter (D)

WINOOSKI
ledbetterforsenate.com

Tanya

Vyhovsky (D)*

ESSEX TOWN
tanyavforvt.com

CHITTENDEN-NORTH

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Chris Mattos (R)

MILTON

Irene Wrenner (D)*

ESSEX TOWN
wrenner4senate.org

CHITTENDEN-SOUTHEAST

Vote for no more than THREE per party.

Thomas

Chittenden (D)*

SOUTH BURLINGTON
thomaschittenden.com

Virginia “Ginny”

Lyons (D)*

WILLISTON
senatorginnylyons.com

Louis Meyers (D)

SOUTH BURLINGTON
louismeyers.com

Kesha Ram

Hinsdale (D)*

SHELBURNE
keshaforvermont.com

Bruce Roy (R)

WILLISTON
roy4vt.org

ESSEX

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Russ Ingalls (R)*

NEWPORT CITY

FRANKLIN

Vote for no more than TWO per party.

Randy Brock (R)*

SWANTON
randybrock.com

Robert W.

Norris (R)*

SHELDON

GRAND ISLE

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Pat Brennan (R)

COLCHESTER
brennanforvtSenate.org

Julie Hulburd (D)

COLCHESTER
juliehulburd.org

Andy Julow (D)*

NORTH HERO

LAMOILLE

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Richard A.

Westman (R)*

CAMBRIDGE

ORANGE

Vote for no more than ONE per party.

Larry Hart Sr. (R)

TOPSHAM

Mark A.

MacDonald (D)*

WILLIAMSTOWN

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Activity 1: Design a New "I Voted" Sticker

— GRACE GILLMAN, 8, Burlington

Activity 2: Borrow Something From the Library

"I borrowed the State Historic Site pass so I could learn about history. I visited the Calvin Coolidge Homestead!"

— AMBER WIMMER, 12, Bethel



Activity 11: Connect With Neighbors Via Front Porch Forum



From a Front Porch Forum post:

"I am going to make more art and probably a neighborhood lemonade stand

to raise money for a cause sometime this summer, too. I like that the contest has different activities to choose [from] and that I can maybe win prizes."

— GRACE GILLMAN

ENTER THE CHALLENGE

by Wednesday at noon to qualify for weekly prize drawings — Thursday mornings during the 6 a.m. newscast on WCAX-TV Channel 3 all summer long.



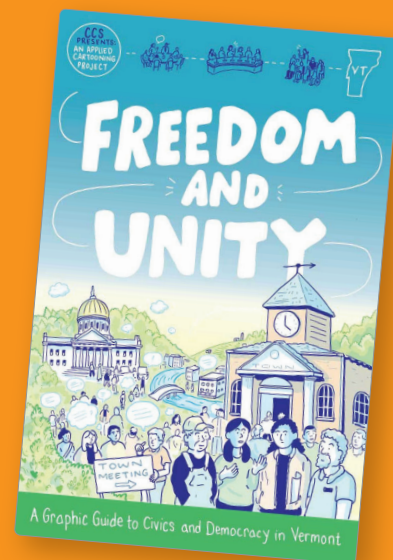
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The deadline to enter is Labor Day, September 2. Find activity details and enter at goodcitizenvt.com.



Activity 4: Read *Freedom and Unity: A Graphic Guide to Civics and Democracy in Vermont*:

"I read the civics comic book. I always enjoy reading comic books and graphic novels."

— SAMUEL SANBORN, 8, Richmond

Activity 20: Read the News

[Re the June 5, 2024, issue of *Seven Days*]: "I found the jazz fest article interesting. This year I got to go to the jazz fest for my school's jazz band, and it was cool to learn about other musicians playing at the jazz fest. I was surprised how well known these musicians were."



— JACOB RYE, 12, Waterbury

Activity 24: Take a Quiz: Is This an AI-Generated Image or a Real Photo?

"I could tell some pretty easily, but some were hard and I got them wrong."

— COLE BOOSKA, 13, Vergennes



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NEWPORT TOWN

Samuel A. Douglass (R)

TROY
douglassforvt.com

Katherine Sims (D)

CRAFTSBURY
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RUTLAND

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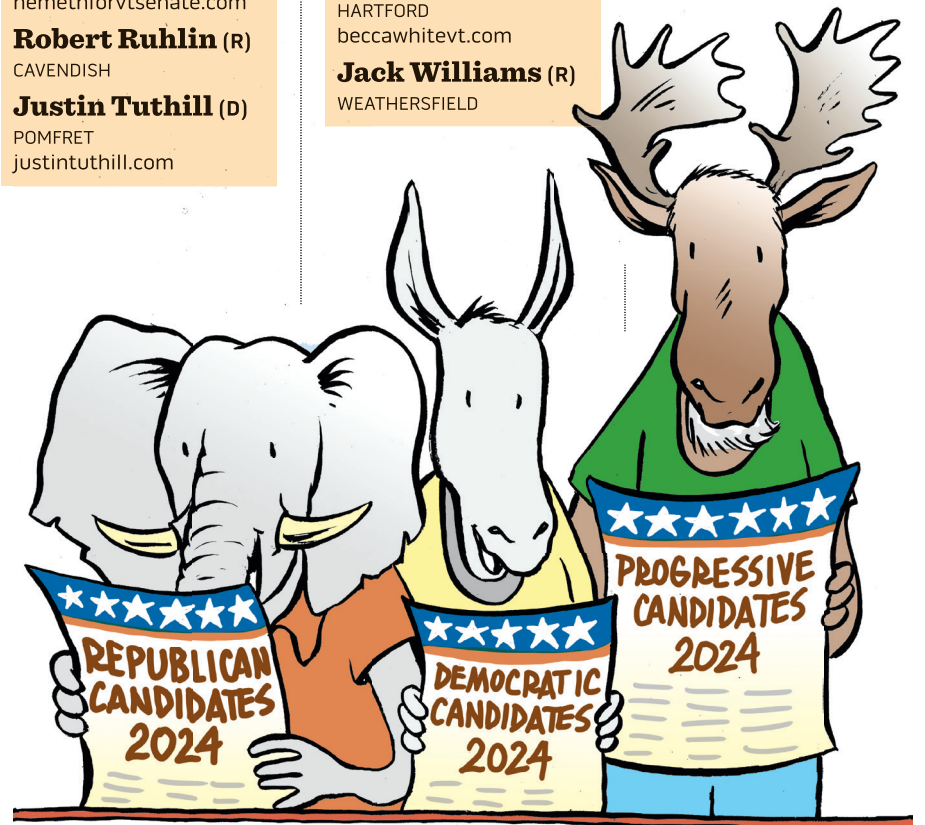
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As a physician with experience in primary care, hospital medicine, and care for the aged, I have watched Vermont's health care system deteriorate badly in recent years.

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