Instructions

Making Selections

Fill in the oval to the left of the name of your choice. You must blacken the oval completely, and do not make any marks outside of the oval. You do not have to vote in every race.

Do not cross out or erase, or your vote may not count. If you make a mistake or a stray mark, you may ask for a new ballot.

Optional write-in

To add a candidate, fill in the oval to the left of “or write-in” and print the name clearly on the dotted line.

Governor / Lt. Governor
Vote for 1

Larry Hogan
and
Boyd K. Rutherford
Republican

Ben Jealous
and
Susan Turnbull
Democratic

Shawn Quinn
and
Christina Smith
Libertarian

Ian Schlakman
and
Annie Chambers
Green

or write-in:

Attorney General
Vote for 1

Craig Wolf
Republican

Brian E. Frosh
Democratic

or write-in:

U.S. Senator
Vote for 1

Tony Campbell
Republican

Ben Cardin
Democratic

Arvin Vohra
Libertarian

Neal Simon
Unaffiliated

or write-in:

Representative in Congress
District 3
Vote for 1

Charles Anthony
Republican

John Sarbanes
Democratic

David Lashar
Libertarian

or write-in:

State Senator
District 46
Vote for 1

Christine Digman
Republican

Bill Ferguson
Democratic

or write-in:

Comptroller
Vote for 1

Anjali Reed Phukan
Republican

Peter Franchot
Democratic

or write-in:

House of Delegates
District 46
Vote for up to 3

Jeremy Baron
Republican

Nicholas Wentworth
Republican

Luke Clippinger
Democratic

or write-in:

or write-in:

or write-in:

or write-in:

Judge of the Circuit Court
Circuit 8
Vote Yes or No
For Continuance in Office

Yes
No

Judge, Court of Special
Appeals At Large
Donald E. Beachley
Vote Yes or No
For Continuance in Office

Yes
No

Judge, Court of Special
Appeals At Large
Matthew J. Fader
Vote Yes or No
For Continuance in Office

Yes
No

Vote All Sides
Question 1
Constitutional Amendment
(Ch. 357 of the 2018 Legislative Session)
Requiring Commercial Gaming Revenues that are for Public Education to Supplement Spending for Education in Public Schools

The amendment requires the Governor to include in the annual State Budget, as supplemental funding for prekindergarten through grade 12 in public schools, the revenues from video lottery operation licenses and any other commercial gaming dedicated to public education in an amount above the level of State funding for education in public schools provided by the Bridge to Excellence in Public Schools Act of 2002 (otherwise known as the Thornton legislation) in not less than the following amounts: $125 million in fiscal year 2020; $250 million in fiscal year 2021; $375 million in fiscal year 2022; and 100% of commercial gaming revenues dedicated to public education in fiscal year 2023 and each fiscal year thereafter. The amendment also requires the Governor to show in the annual budget how the revenues from video lottery operation licenses and other commercial gaming are being used in a manner that is in addition to the level of State funding for public education provided by the funding formulas established by the Bridge to Excellence in Public Schools Act. The State Constitution currently authorizes video lottery operation licenses for the primary purpose of raising money for public education.

(Amending Article XIX, Section 1(c)(1) and (g), and adding Section 1(f) to the Maryland Constitution)

○ For the Constitutional Amendment
○ Against the Constitutional Amendment

Question 2
Constitutional Amendment
(Ch. 855 of the 2018 Legislative Session)
Same-Day Registration and Voting at the Precinct Polling Place on Election Day

Authorizes the General Assembly to enact legislation to allow a qualified individual to register and vote at a precinct polling place on Election Day. The current law requires voter registration to close before Election Day.

(Amending Article I, Sections 1 and 2, and adding Section 2A to the Maryland Constitution)

○ For the Constitutional Amendment
○ Against the Constitutional Amendment
## Question A  
### Bond Issue
**Affordable Housing Loan**

Ordinance No. 18-152 to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow up to $10,000,000 to be used for the planning, developing, executing, and making operative the Affordable Housing Program of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, including, but not limited to, the acquisition, by purchase, lease, condemnation or any other legal means, of land or property in the City of Baltimore; the payment of any and all costs and expenses incurred in connection with or incidental to the acquisition and management of the land or property; the payment of any and all costs and expenses incurred for or in connection with relocating and moving persons or other legal entities displaced by the acquisition of the land or property, and the disposition of land and property for such purposes, such costs to include but not limited to rental payment and home purchase assistance, housing counseling and buyer education, assistance, and activities to support the orderly and sustainable planning, preservation, rehabilitation, and development of economically diverse housing in City neighborhoods; the elimination of unhealthful, unsanitary or unsafe conditions, lessening density, eliminating obsolete or other uses detrimental to the public welfare or otherwise removing or preventing the spread of blight or deterioration in the City of Baltimore; and for doing all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection therewith.

- For
- Against

## Question B  
### Bond Issue
**School Loan**

Ordinance No. 18-145 to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow up to $38,000,000 to be used for the acquisition of land or property to construct and erect new school buildings, athletic and auxiliary facilities; and for additions and improvements to or modernization or reconstruction of existing school buildings or facilities; and to equip all buildings to be constructed, erected, improved, modernized, or reconstructed; and for doing any and all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection therewith.

- For
- Against

## Question C  
### Bond Issue
**Community and Economic Development Loan**

Ordinance No. 18-146 to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow up to $47,000,000 to be used for, or in connection with, planning, developing, executing and making operative the community, commercial, and industrial economic development programs of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore; the development or redevelopment, including, but not limited to, the comprehensive renovation or rehabilitation of any land or property, or any rights or interests therein hereinbefore mentioned, in the City of Baltimore, and the disposition of land and property for such purposes; the elimination of unhealthful, unsanitary, or unsafe conditions, lessening density, eliminating obsolete or other uses detrimental to the public welfare or otherwise removing or preventing the spread of blight or deterioration in the City of Baltimore; the creation of healthy, sanitary, and safe, and green conditions in the City of Baltimore; and authorizing loans and grants therefore; making loans and grants to various projects and programs related to growing businesses in the City; attracting and retaining jobs; providing homeownership incentives and home repair assistance; authorizing loans and grants to various projects and programs related to improving cultural life and promotion of tourism in Baltimore City and the lending or granting of funds to any person or other legal entity to be used for or in connection with the rehabilitation, renovation, redevelopment, improvement or construction of buildings and structures to be used or occupied for residential or commercial purposes; and for doing any and all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection therewith.

- For
- Against
Question D
Bond Issue
Recreation and Parks and Public Facilities

Ordinance No. 18-147 to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to borrow up to $65,000,000 to be used for the acquisition and development of property buildings owned and controlled by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, the Enoch Pratt Library and public park or recreation land, property, buildings, structures or facilities; for the construction, erection, renovation, alteration, reconstruction, installation, improvement and repair of buildings, structures or facilities to be or now being used by or in connection with the operations, function and activities of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, the Enoch Pratt Free Library, public parks and recreational programs; for the acquisition and installation of trees, for tree planting programs and for the equipping of any and all existing and new buildings, structures, and facilities authorized to be constructed, renovated, altered or improved by this Ordinance; and for doing any and all things necessary, proper or expedient in connection therewith.

For the Charter Amendment
Against the Charter Amendment

Question E
Charter Amendment
Inalienability of the Sewer and Water Systems

Resolution No. 18-13 is for the purpose of declaring the inalienability of the City’s sewer system and water-supply system and for excepting the sewer and water-supply systems, their operations and uses, from the Charter provisions otherwise authorizing the grant of franchises or rights relating to the operation or use of public property or places.

For the Charter Amendment
Against the Charter Amendment

Question F
Charter Amendment
Office of the Inspector General


For the Charter Amendment
Against the Charter Amendment

Question G
Charter Amendment
Department of Legislative Reference

Resolution No. 18-11 is for the purpose of authorizing the replacement of the Board of Legislative Reference with an ad hoc board appointed by the Mayor, the President of the City Council, and the Comptroller and providing for the newly restructured ad hoc Board of Legislative Reference to make recommendations regarding the hiring of a Director of Legislative Reference. The law would also remove the Civil Service status of the Director of Legislative Reference making the Director's status the same as other department heads. The Director will be removable for any reason. The Mayor and the President of the City Council are required to jointly appoint and remove the Director of Legislative Reference.

For the Charter Amendment
Against the Charter Amendment

Question H
Charter Amendment
Fair Election Fund

Resolution No. 18-09 is for the purpose of authorizing the establishment of a continuing, nonlapsing Fair Election Fund, to be used exclusively to administer a public financing option for political campaigns for Baltimore City elected offices. The law would authorize the Mayor and City Council to dedicate revenue to the Fair Election Fund by ordinance and provide for oversight, the Fair Election Fund by ordinance. The law would also establish a Fair Election Fund Commission to administer the Fund.

For the Charter Amendment
Against the Charter Amendment

Question I
Charter Amendment
Equity Assistance Fund

Resolution No. 18-14 is for the purpose of authorizing the establishment of a continuing, nonlapsing Equity Assistance Fund, to be used exclusively to assist efforts that reduce inequity based on race, gender, or economic status in Baltimore. The law would authorize the Mayor and City Council to appropriate money in the annual Ordinance of Estimates to the Equity Assistance Fund and authorize the Mayor and City Council to dedicate revenue to the Equity Assistance Fund by ordinance.

For the Charter Amendment
Against the Charter Amendment

End of Ballot