

## Instructions

### How to vote

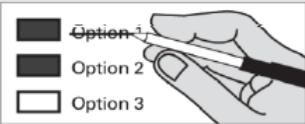


Use a dark blue or black ink pen to completely fill in the box to the left of your choice.

Vote for only one choice for each office or ballot measure, unless the office or ballot measure specifically states otherwise.

More than one vote for an office or ballot measure will be an overvote and no votes for that office or ballot measure will be counted.

### If you make a mistake



Draw a line through the entire measure response or candidate's name.

Then you may make another choice.



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### Note to Voter:

State law requires the ballots at any recall election to contain a Ballot Synopsis of the charge and the officer's response to the charge if such a response is provided.



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## Local Issue

### City of Bridgeport

#### Recall Election of Mayor Marilyn Lynn

##### Ballot Synopsis

Shall Marilyn Lynn, Mayor of the City of Bridgeport, be recalled from public office for acts of malfeasance and/or misfeasance while in office and/or for violation of her oath of office for having hired a new City Hall employee at some time between July 2013 and November 2013 without first obtaining approval of the City Council, as required by Bridgeport Municipal Code 2.04.020, as alleged by Bridgeport registered voter Michael Knox?

##### Response to Ballot Synopsis by Mayor Lynn

To the Residents of Bridgeport,

In July and August of 2013 the City of Bridgeport hired two employees for City Hall, a new city clerk and a new deputy clerk. Both individuals were approved by Council. Employee taxes were deducted from their paychecks and they received medical and retirement benefits. At the end of 2013 the city clerk and deputy clerk received W2s and their employee income was reported to the Federal government.

Once a year Council approves the salary schedule and benefits for all employees. This eliminates the need for Council to approve paychecks every two weeks. They are still responsible for approving the bills (vouchers) for vendor services or supplies.

In October and November of 2013 the City used the services of a previous employee to fill in during training periods for the new city clerk and deputy clerk. She was paid on an hourly basis, no taxes deducted or benefits received. Council was aware of this temporary office assistance and approved all the vouchers to pay for her services as an independent vendor.

The individual who provided temporary office assistance was paid as a vendor and received a 1099 at the end of the year. That income was reported to the Federal government for services received from an independent vendor. She was never hired as an employee between July and November 2013.

These are the facts. Thank you for your consideration.

Marilynn Lynn, Mayor, City of Bridgeport

Should Mayor Marilyn Lynn be recalled from office?

Recall Yes

Recall No