

2022 GENERAL ELECTION VOTER GUIDE



Gov. Kathy Hochul

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GOVERNOR OF NEW YORK

November 8, 2022

Early Voting October 29 – Nov. 6, 2022

SUPPORTS ¹	1. A proposal to require that students in New York schools be vaccinated against COVID-19.	OPPOSES
SUPPORTS	2. The proposed Clean Slate Act, which would seal the criminal records of individuals after a certain period of time has passed following sentencing.	OPPOSES
SUPPORTS	3. The proposal to amend the New York State Constitution to guarantee the unlimited right to choose abortion.	OPPOSES
SUPPORTS	4. A proposed ban on oil and gas hookups in new buildings.	OPPOSES
OPPOSES ²	5. A proposal to repeal cashless bail for misdemeanors and nonviolent felonies.	SUPPORTS
OPPOSES	6. The New York Health Act, which would create a universal, single-payer plan of government-provided medical insurance in the state of New York.	OPPOSES
UNKNOWN	7. A proposal to legalize capital punishment in cases involving mass killings.	SUPPORTS
UNKNOWN	8. A proposal to raise the cap on the number of charter schools in New York City.	SUPPORTS
SUPPORTS	9. New York's Concealed Carry Improvement Act, which has (a) made it unlawful to carry a concealed firearm in a variety of sensitive locations, including houses of worship and schools; (b) made it unlawful to carry a concealed firearm at places of business and on private property unless the owner of the business or property posts a sign stating that concealed firearms are allowed; and (c) required each person who applies for a license to carry a concealed firearm to provide a list of his or her social media accounts.	OPPOSES
SEE BELOW ³	10. Term limits for statewide elected officials and state legislators.	SUPPORTS

Endorsed by the Democratic Party and the Working Families Party

Endorsed by the Republican Party and the Conservative Party

1. In December 2021, Gov. Hochul stated that she wished to have a COVID-19 vaccine mandate for New York schools in place by the beginning of the 2022-2023 school year. No such mandate was implemented.

2. Gov. Hochul signed 2022-2023 budget legislation allowing judges to consider additional factors, such as a defendant's history of gun use, in setting bail.

3. Gov. Hochul supports term limits for statewide elected officials, but not for state legislators.

To view voter information and voter guides regarding other races, please visit
NewYorkFamilies.org/2022General.





New York State Attorney General

In this year's General Election, New York voters will elect candidates to various positions, including the position of attorney general of New York. Two candidates for attorney general will appear on the ballot this year. Incumbent Attorney General Letitia James is seeking re-election on the Democratic Party and Working Families Party lines. Attorney Michael Henry is challenging Attorney General James on the Republican and Conservative Party lines.

Additional information concerning this race is available at NewYorkFamilies.org/2022_attorney_general.



New York State Comptroller

On Election Day, New York voters will elect candidates to various offices, including the office of New York state comptroller. The New York state comptroller serves as the state's chief fiscal officer, administers the state retirement system and the state payroll, manages the state's debt, and reports on the state's finances. Incumbent Tom DiNapoli is running on the Democratic and Working Families Party lines and is seeking re-election to his fourth full term in office. Challenger Paul Rodriguez is running on the Republican and Conservative Party lines.

Additional information concerning this race is available at NewYorkFamilies.org/2022_state_comptroller.



Ballot Proposal One: Environmental Bond Act

New Yorkers will also vote on a ballot measure this year. The ballot measure is known as Proposal Number One, the Clean Water, Clean Air, and Green Jobs Environmental Bond Act of 2022. The Environmental Bond Act would authorize the state of New York to incur debt and sell government bonds worth a total of \$4.2 billion to

fund projects that protect the environment. Specifically, the ballot abstract states that the Environmental Bond Act would provide at least \$1.1 billion for restoration and flood risk reduction, up to \$650 million for open space land conservation and recreation, up to \$1.5 billion for climate change mitigation, and at least \$650 million for water quality improvement and resilient infrastructure. The ballot measure shall read as follows: "To address and combat the impact of climate change and damage to the environment, the 'Clean Water, Clean Air, and Green Jobs Environmental Bond Act of 2022' authorizes the sale of state bonds up to four billion two hundred million dollars to fund environmental protection, natural restoration, resiliency, and clean energy projects. Shall the Environmental Bond Act of 2022 be approved?" The ballot measure will be located on the back side of voters' ballots.

Additional information concerning this measure is available at NewYorkFamilies.org/2022_bond_act.