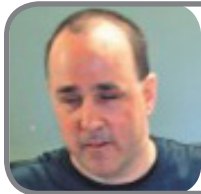




# Lowell City Council Candidates

Vote for up to 9



Jeffrey  
**Wilson**



Karen  
**Cirillo**



Robert W.  
**Merrill, Jr.**



Sokhary  
**Chau**



David J.  
**Conway**



Corey A.  
**Belanger**



Edward J.  
**Kennedy, Jr.**



Joseph  
**Boyle**



Rita M.  
**Mercier**



James "Jim" L.  
**Milinazzo**



Vesna  
**Nuon**



Matthew  
**LeLacheur**



Daniel  
**Finn**



Paul Ratha  
**Yem**



Daniel P.  
**Rourke**



William "Bill"  
**Samaras**



Jose "Willie"  
**Negron**



John J.  
**Leahy**



Pan  
**So**



Robert  
**Gignac**



Rodney M.  
**Elliott**



Martin J.  
**Hogan**



James "Jim"  
**Leary**

Remember to vote! Polls open 7:00 am to 8:00 pm, or request an absentee ballot before noon the day before the election!

Preliminary: **Sept. 26**



Election: **Nov. 7**



# School Committee Candidates

Vote for up to 6



Andre "Andy"  
**Descoteaux**



Connie A.  
**Martin**



Dominik  
Hok Y  
**Lay**



Gerard "Gerry"  
**Nutter**



Jacqueline  
**Doherty**



Timothy S.  
**Blake**



Dennis R.  
**Mercier**



Daniel J.  
**Shanahan, IV**




Robert J.  
**Hoey Jr.**



Noelle M.  
**Creegan**

Election: **Nov. 7**

*(No Preliminary for School  
Committee in 2017)*

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## How do I register?

You need to register by September 6, 8:00 pm to vote in the preliminary and October 18, 8:00 pm to vote in the final election. We recommend checking your status by visiting [www.sec.state.ma.us/](http://www.sec.state.ma.us/) or calling the Lowell Election Department to make sure there are no problems when you go to your polling place. Registration is easy! You can register by:

- Visiting [www.sec.state.ma.us/ovr/](http://www.sec.state.ma.us/ovr/)
- Calling the Lowell Election Department: **978-674-4046**

## Can I vote by mail?

Yes. If you will be out of town or can't go to the polls because of a health issue, you or a family member can fill out an application for an absentee ballot. You can do this anytime up to noon the day before the election. Get an application at:

- Lowell Election Office - 375 Merrimack Street
- Online at [www.sec.state.ma.us/ele/eleabsentee/absidx.htm](http://www.sec.state.ma.us/ele/eleabsentee/absidx.htm)

## Where do I vote?

It depends on where you live and the voting precinct you live in. You can find your polling place by:

- Calling the Lowell Election Department: **978-674-4046**
- Entering your address online at: [www.wheredoivotema.com](http://www.wheredoivotema.com)
- Asking a neighbor who lives on the same side of your block.

## Do I need an ID to vote?

Only people voting for the first time need an ID to vote in Massachusetts. We recommend every voter bring an ID with their current address on it, like a driver's license, passport or recent utility bill or bank statement.

## Can I have someone help me vote?

Yes. If you need help with translation or marking the ballot (because English is your second language or you have disability), you can bring someone with you to help you vote.

## Can I bring a voter guide into the voting booth?

Yes. You can bring a voter guide, notes, or anything else you need to help you remember who to vote for. Just make sure to not leave it in the booth when you leave!



Lowell Votes is a nonpartisan community group dedicated to increasing the number of people who vote in Lowell through education.  
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