



# ELECTION JUDGE INTEREST FORM

## CITY OF JORDAN, MINNESOTA

**Welcome Prospective Election Judges!** Thank you for your consideration in giving back to your community through the election process by serving as a judge. For 2020, election judges will be needed for the following elections:

**Presidential Nomination:** March 3, 2020  
**Primary Election:** August 11, 2020  
**General Election:** November 3, 2020

### About Election Judges

Election judges (poll workers) are paid officials who staff local polling places, carry out election procedures, and make sure that the rights of voters are protected. During a general election in Minnesota, there are more than 30,000 election judges who staff more than 4,100 precincts

### Requirements, Wages and Time Off From Work

- You must be eligible to vote in Minnesota and be able to read, write and speak English.
- You must complete an election judge training course (at least two hours).
- Election judges can choose to volunteer or be paid. Wages vary by city.
- Employers are required to give employees time off to work as an election judge.

### Student Election Judge Trainees

Junior and senior high school students can work as election judge trainees. The student must meet the following requirements:

- Ages 16 or 17.
- U.S. citizen in good academic standing at a Minnesota high school (or home schooled).
- Obtain school and parental permission.
- Serve in the county where they reside.
- Trainees are paid at least two-thirds of the minimum wage.

Like other judges, they do not have to serve the entire day; they cannot work past 10 p.m. Trainees are assigned the same duties as other judges, with the exception of tasks requiring party affiliation. Trainees do not designate party affiliation. Trainees must attend and complete the same training as other judges

### Election Judge Form

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Party Affiliation: choose only one  
Republican Party of Minnesota  
Democratic-Farmer-Labor Party  
Grassroots-Legalize Cannabis Party  
Legal Marijuana Now Party

**Please complete and email to Mary Lein at [mlein@jordanmn.gov](mailto:mlein@jordanmn.gov)**