

RUTHERFORD COUNTY VOTER GUIDE

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Best / Strongest



Very Good



Acceptable



Vote only to prevent worse



Not
Recommended

1. Governor of Tennessee

Top 3: all others show no money or effort to win.

Candidate	Party	Rating
Marsha Blackburn	Republican	★★★★½
David Hatley	Independent	★★★
Jerri Green	Democratic	★

2. United States Senate

Top 3: all others show no money or effort to win.

Candidate	Party	Rating
Bill Hagerty	Republican	★★★★★
Marquita Bradshaw	Democratic	★

3. United States House of Representatives

District 4

Candidate	Party	Rating
Scott DesJarlais	Republican	★★★★★
Victoria Broderick	Democratic	★
Jacob Kristopher Anders	Independent	★
Clay Faircloth	Independent	★★

District 9

Candidate	Party	Rating
Brent Taylor	Republican	★★★★★
Justin J. Pearson	Democratic	★
Dennis Clark	Independent	★★★
Michelle Davis Head	Independent	★★

4. Tennessee State Senate

District 13

Candidate	Party	Rating
Dawn White	Republican	★★★★★
Angela Evans Wynn	Democratic	★

5. Tennessee House of Representatives

District 33		
Candidate	Party	Rating
Robert Stevens	Republican	★★★★
Brett Windrow	Democratic	★★
District 34		
Candidate	Party	Rating
Tim Rudd	Republican	★★★★
Owen Farnsworth	Democratic	★
District 37		
Candidate	Party	Rating
Charlie Baum	Republican	★★★★
Mary Ann Young	Democratic	★★
District 48		
Candidate	Party	Rating
Bryan Terry	Republican	★★★★
Matt Terry	Democratic	★★
District 49		
Candidate	Party	Rating
Mike Sparks	Republican	★★★★
Connie Casha	Democratic	★★

6. Tennessee Constitutional Amendments	
Amendment / Referendum	Recommendation
Constitutional Amendment #1 — Bail Reform (expand non-bailable offenses)	YES
Constitutional Amendment #2 — Prohibit State Property Tax	YES
Constitutional Amendment #3 — Marsy's Law: Expand Crime Victims' Rights	YES

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