

**Official Ballot, School Bond Election, March 11, 2025**

Scotts Bluff County, Nebraska

State of Nebraska

SP0325 SD16 Bond

**INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER**

The following are instructions on how to vote your ballot. Please follow these instructions precisely, otherwise, your ballot may not be counted.

1. Verify that there are initials of an election official at the bottom of the ballot.
2. Verify that there are no voting marks on the ballot.
3. Use a black ink pen to mark the ballot.
4. **TO VOTE, you must darken the oval (●) completely.**



5. Do **NOT** cross out or erase. If you make a mistake, contact the County Clerk's office at **(308) 436-6600** for instructions.
6. Place voted ballot into the **brown** return envelope. Write your NE driver's license or state ID in the space provided on the envelope, or enclose a photocopy of an acceptable photo ID or Reasonable Impediment Certification (if applicable). Complete, SIGN and seal the envelope. Remember to moisten both seals to cover the voter ID and signature boxes.
7. Any person physically unable to sign the envelope must make his/her "mark" and must have an individual witness. Failure to complete and sign the Return Identification Envelope will cause the ballot to be rejected.
8. Do **NOT** place more than **ONE (1)** voted ballot into the return identification envelope.
9. Return Ballot by:
  - a. Hand Delivery - deliver the ballot to the office of the County Clerk/Election Commissioner.
  - b. Mail - return ballot by mail by placing proper return postage on the envelope.
  - c. Drop Box Location **1825 10th Street, Gering**
10. Ballot **MUST** be in the possession of the County Clerk's office by 5:00 p.m. on March 11, 2025.

**SCHOOL TICKET**

"Shall Scotts Bluff County School District 0016 (Gering Public Schools) in the State of Nebraska issue its general obligation bonds in an aggregate stated principal amount not to exceed Forty-Three Million Dollars (\$43,000,000), to pay the costs of reconstructing and constructing additions, renovations and improvements to the District's existing middle school building, grounds and facilities, which shall include improvements for safety, security and structural stability of such buildings and facilities, and providing necessary equipment and apparatus for such buildings, grounds and facilities; with such bonds to be issued in one or more series, at such time or times, to bear interest at such rate or rates, to be sold at such prices and to become due at such time or times as may be fixed by, or determined at the direction of, the Board of Education; and

Shall the School District cause to be levied and collected annually a special levy of taxes against all the taxable property in the School District sufficient in rate and amount to pay the principal of and interest on such bonds as the same become due?"

- FOR such Bonds and tax
- AGAINST such Bonds and tax

Electors voting in favor of the proposition shall blacken the oval opposite the words "FOR such Bonds and tax" following such proposition, and electors voting against such proposition shall blacken the oval opposite the words "AGAINST such Bonds and tax" following the proposition.

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INITIALS:

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