

# COMPOSITE SAMPLE BALLOT - ENGLISH

**Composite Sample Ballot**  
**March 10, 2026**  
**City of Apopka, Florida**

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Mayor (Vote for One)	Special Election	Question #3
<input type="radio"/> Christine Moore  <input type="radio"/> Bryan Nelson  <input type="radio"/> Nicholas L. Nesta III	<b>City Council Seat #4</b> (Vote for One)  <input type="radio"/> Yesenia "Jesi" Baron  <input type="radio"/> Malika Harrison	<b>Clarifying that the City Clerk Performs a Ministerial Function in Reviewing Candidate Qualifying Papers</b>  Clarifying that the city clerk performs a ministerial function in reviewing candidate qualifying papers and does not determine whether the contents of the qualifying papers are accurate.  <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
<b>City Council Seat # 1</b> (Vote for One)  <input type="radio"/> Sam Ruth  <input type="radio"/> Alexander Smith	<b>Question #1</b>  <b>Changing from Mayor Council to Council-Manager Form of Government Allowing 120 Days for Transition</b>  Amending the Charter to change from the "Mayor Council" form of government to the "Council-Manager" form of government and providing for a 120-day transition period.  <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
<b>City Council Seat # 2</b> (Vote for One)  <input type="radio"/> George "Smitty" Smith  <input type="radio"/> Angela D. Turner  <input type="radio"/> Diane Velazquez	<b>Question #2</b>  <b>Amending the Name of the Governing Body from City Council to City Commission</b>  Amending the name of the City's governing body from "City Council" to "City Commission" and the official designation of "Council Member" to "Commissioner."  <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<b>Question #4</b>  <b>Changing the Date for Regular City Elections to the Second Tuesday in March</b>  Amending the Charter by changing the date for regular City elections from the first Tuesday in December to the second Tuesday of March in those years when an election is required.  <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
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Question #5	Question #8	
<p><b>Creating Term Limits for Elected Officials and Establishing Minimum Period of Ineligibility After Term Limits</b></p> <p>Amending the Charter by creating term limits of two consecutive terms for city commissioners and two consecutive terms for Mayors and establishing a four-year period of ineligibility for the same office for individuals after being term limited.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>	<p><b>Establishing a Public Comment Period Before Meeting Decision Items are Considered by the City Commission</b></p> <p>Amending the Charter by establishing a public comment period before meeting decision items are considered by the city commission.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>	
Question #6		
<p><b>Establishing "At Will" Status of Employees; Limiting Employment Contracts to those Approved by Commission</b></p> <p>Amending the Charter by establishing that all city employees shall be considered "at will" employees subject only to any applicable collective bargaining agreement or an employment contract, contract extension, modification, amendment or rescission approved by a majority vote of the city commission at a regularly scheduled meeting.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>		
Question #7		
<p><b>Establishing that the City Clerk and City Attorney are Appointed by the City Commission</b></p> <p>Amending the Charter by establishing that the city clerk and city attorney are appointed by and serve at the pleasure of the city commission.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</p>		

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**City of Maitland, Florida**

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**City Council**  
**Seat # 2**  
(Vote for One)

- Keith Givens
- Alexander Trauger

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**Town of Oakland, Florida**

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<b>Town Commissioner                  Seat #4</b> (Vote for One)	<b>Question #1</b>	<b>Question #3</b>
<input type="radio"/> Anne Fulton  <input type="radio"/> Joseph P. McMullen	<p><b>Charter Amendment Revising Procedures for Filling Town Commission Vacancies</b></p> <p>Amending the Town of Oakland Charter to revise, from 30 days to 90 days, the time period in which the Town Commission must fill vacancies in its membership by appointment, and to provide that if not filled in that time, the vacancy shall be filled by special election, rather than appointment by the Governor.</p> <p> <input type="radio"/> Yes  <input type="radio"/> No                 </p>	<p><b>Charter Amendment Removing Requirement for Run-Off Elections</b></p> <p>Amending the Town of Oakland Charter to provide that the candidate for Mayor or a Town Commission seat receiving the most votes in the General Election shall be duly elected, and removing the requirement for run-off elections where no candidate receives over 50% of the votes cast.</p> <p> <input type="radio"/> Yes  <input type="radio"/> No                 </p>
	<b>Question #2</b>	<b>Question #4</b>
	<p><b>Charter Amendment Revising Town Commission Voting Thresholds</b></p> <p>The Town of Oakland Charter currently requires an affirmative vote of three (of five) Town Commission members to approve any matter if the other two Town Commission members are unavailable to vote due to abstention required by state law. Amending the Town Charter to apply this requirement to either the abstention, or absence, of two Town Commission Members.</p> <p> <input type="radio"/> Yes  <input type="radio"/> No                 </p>	<p><b>Charter Amendment Revising Methods of Qualifying for Town Commission Elections</b></p> <p>Amending the Town of Oakland Charter to remove the collection of signature cards (from 10% of the Town's registered voters or 100 voters, whichever is less) as an alternate method of qualifying for Town Commission elections, leaving the filing of a written notice of candidacy and payment of the \$100 qualifying fee as the sole method of qualification.</p> <p> <input type="radio"/> Yes  <input type="radio"/> No                 </p>
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## Question #5

### Charter Amendment Removing Provision Relating to Conflicting Charter Amendments

Amending the Town of Oakland Charter to remove a provision relating to the adoption of conflicting Charter amendments at the same election.

- Yes
- No

## Question #6

### Charter Amendment Correcting Errors and Omissions

Amending the Town of Oakland Charter to correct various scrivener, grammatical, and wording errors, add clarifying language, and correct a clerical omission by clarifying that the Town Manager designates, subject to the Town Commission's approval, a qualified Town employee as Acting Town Manager during the Town Manager's temporary absence or disability.

- Yes
- No