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Voters to vote on sales tax, municipal, school candidates

Hoopeston may have higher than normal voter turnout Tuesday as three of four city wards have contested races and a referendum will decide whether the city will impose a one percent sales tax.

Hoopeston aldermanic candidates, as they appear on the ballot, are:

Ward 1

- Joe Fell
- Dustin Tarter
- Chad Yaden

Ward 2

- Randy Carter

Ward 3

- Alex Houmes
- Nancy Stipp

Ward 4

- Brandon Hamilton
- Jeramy Dobkins
- Russell Hibma

Hoopeston voters will also be asked to vote yes or no on a one percent city sales tax. The text of the referendum on the ballot reads:

"Shall the corporate authorities of the City of Hoopeston, Vermilion County, Illinois be authorized to levy a Non-Home Rule Retailers' Occupation Tax and a Non-Home Rule Service Occupation Tax at the rate of one percent (1%) for expenditures on municipal operations, expenditures on public infrastructure, or property tax relief?"

See VOTE on other side

Area Polling Places - Polls open 6 a.m.-7 p.m.			
BUTLER 1	Rankin Village Hall	121 S. Main	Rankin
BUTLER 2	East Lynn Fire Station	41501 Main	East Lynn
GRANT 1	Hoopeston Fire Station	114 N. Market	Hoopeston
GRANT 2	Hoopeston City Hall	301 W. Main	Hoopeston
GRANT 3	Masonic Temple	206 W. Orange	Hoopeston
GRANT 4	St. Anthony Parish Hall	313 E. Lincoln	Hoopeston
GRANT 5	St. Anthony Parish Hall	313 E. Lincoln	Hoopeston
GRANT 6	Church of Christ	709 E. Chestnut	Hoopeston
ROSS 1	Rossville Church of Christ	514 E. Attica	Rossville
ROSS 2	Rossville Church of Christ	514 E. Attica	Rossville
SOUTH ROSS 1	South Ross Twp. Garage	101 Chicago	Alvin
SOUTH ROSS 2	Henning Village Hall	4 S. Main	Henning

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 •Opposes the tax increase because 1% sounds better than the 7½% you will actually pay
 •Believes in limited government: Police, fire, water, sewer and roads
 •Financially responsible
Goals
 •Update 100-year-old water pipes
 •Work on flooding issues
 •Deal with dilapidated buildings
 •Code enforcement, not tax increases

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This week's Specials

Tuesday: Beef Tips & Noodles

Wednesday: Meatloaf

Thursday: Lasagna & Garlic Bread

Friday: Ribeye Sandwiches & Broccoli/Cauli Salad

Come in and try your luck with our

LIVE VIDEO GAMING!

Vote continued from other side

Hoopeston Area School Board has no contests, with incumbents Mark Schaumburg and Chris Small running in the former Hoopeston School District and Chris Elliott running outside the original district.

Hoopeston Public Library board member Larry Jahn is the only candidate on the ballot in a vote-for-two situation; Terry Prillaman and Mark Wagoner are running for two seats on the Vermilion County

Regional Board of School Trustees; and Bill Black and Tonya Hill are running for two six-year terms on the Danville Area Community College board.

Rossville has no contests in city or school elections.

In the school election, Incumbents Tim Thornsbrough, Robert Danner III and Kyle Zarate and newcomer Jeremy Deck are running for four seats.

In the town election, Mark Gulotta, Chuck Cornell and Joseph Buck are running for three four-year terms and Nancy Null and Pete Gossett are running for two two-year terms.

Briefly

Alley cleanup

Hoopeston alley cleanup, for yard waste only, will start April 6, weather permitting. Piles with plastic, concrete, brick or lumber will not be picked up.

Obituaries

ANDERSON - Carl E. Anderson, 99, of Rankin, died at 9:18 a.m. Monday, April 6, 2015, at Heritage Health, Hoopeston. Arrangements are pending at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston.

Fire Calls

Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 3:21 p.m. Wednesday to a possible brush fire at Route 9 and 1300 East. The fire was found to be a controlled burn.

Firemen were called at 6:46 a.m. Sunday to a structure fire at 701 W. Washington. No injuries were reported. A damage estimate was not available. Firemen were on the scene until 8 a.m.

Lunch Menus

Hoopeston Area grade schools

TUESDAY: Cheese pizza, salad, baby carrots, peaches, milk

WEDNESDAY: Chicken & noodles, mashed potatoes, celery sticks, pears, bread, butter, milk

THURSDAY: Beefy fiestada, salad, chips & salsa, refried beans, pineapple, milk

FRIDAY: Hotdog/bun, baked beans cucumber slices, mixed fruit, milk

Hoopeston Area Middle/High School

TUESDAY: Country fried steak or Hot Pocket, mashed potatoes, corn, pineapple milk, juice

WEDNESDAY: Pork BBQ or cheeseburger, salad bar, mac & cheese, pears, milk, juice

THURSDAY: Fettuccine Alfredo or BBQ rib, salad bar, Max Stick, pears, milk, juice

FRIDAY: Sausage pizza or fish sandwich, salad bar, mixed fruit, milk & juice

Weather

Thunderstorms likely today, tonight, tomorrow. High today 68, low 49. Tomorrow, high 61, low 51.

From the Blotter

Police are investigating a report at 11:18 a.m. Wednesday that someone damaged the postal array in front of Fortees Apartments, 715 S. First Ave.

Zachariah L. Smith, 32, of Hoopeston, was arrested at 12:55 p.m. Wednesday at Parkview Court. Wanted on a Vermilion County traffic warrant for failure to appear, he was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville in lieu of bond.

Dawn M. Rogers, 34, of Hoopeston, was arrested after an incident at 6 a.m. Sunday in the 800 block of East Seminary. She was charged with disobeying police after officers allegedly told her to leave.

Rogers was released on a notice to appear in Hoopeston City Court.

A **48-year-old** Hoopeston man reported at 7:36 p.m. Sunday that someone stole several items from his garage.

Classifieds

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

Hoopeston Apt. - Handicap Accessible. 2 Bedroom, 1 bath, freshly painted. All appliances, W/D hookup. Yard and full basement. Walk to shopping. No Smoking, No Pets. Available April 1. 626 S-8th Avenue. 217-260-8762. \$475 + deposit.

Honeywell Apartments: 2 BR, includes water, heat, pest control, off street parking (815) 984-4513

Available May 1: 726 1/2 S. Third St., Hoopeston, 3 BR, 1 bath. Lots of sq. ft., big living room. 1 car garage, inside/outside access. \$425/mo. Strong references a must. Call for appt./details. Owner is licensed Real Estate Agent. (217) 304-3477

HELP WANTED

Hoopeston Multi Agency has opening for Teen Reach director. Part time (25hrs./wk.) position. Bachelor's degree or equivalent in social work, recreation or working with children. Please mail resume and cover letter to 206 S. First Ave., Hoopeston IL 60942, by April 8.

Administrative Secretary needed, Rossville United Methodist Church. 10 - 15 hours per week; Excellent people skills needed, knowledge of word processing, spreadsheets important. Position available immediately. If interested in applying, call the Church office and leave a message @ 217-748-6760, or email the Pastor @ carlmesiti@gmail.com

HOUSES FOR RENT

2 bedroom duplex for rent. Ground floor, water and trash included. \$425/month. Call 217-304-2145

Reason #13 why you should



Vote
NO
City Sales Tax

Here's how much money Hoopeston received from YOUR TAXES paid through January of this fiscal year, which ends April 30.

Property tax - Corporate	\$648,318	State Sales Tax	\$429,227
Personal Property Replacement Tax	\$133,852	Use Tax	\$ 75,189
Telecommunications Tax	\$112,276	State Income Tax	\$410,986
Motor Fuel Tax	\$153,156	Utility Tax	\$247,595
Road/Bridge	\$ 24,527		

TOTAL: \$2,235,126

Aren't you paying enough? Vote NO on April 7!

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