

# SAMPLE BALLOT

## OFFICIAL ABSENTEE/PROVISIONAL/CHALLENGED BALLOT

### OFFICIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY PRIMARY RUNOFF AND NONPARTISAN GENERAL ELECTION RUNOFF BALLOT OF COBB COUNTY OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA AUGUST 21, 2012

To vote, blacken the Oval (●) next to the candidate of your choice. To vote for a person whose name is not on the ballot, manually WRITE his or her name in the write-in space provided, then blacken the corresponding Oval (●) next to the write-in space for that race. If you desire to vote YES or NO for a PROPOSED QUESTION, blacken the corresponding Oval (●). Use only blue or black pen or pencil.

Do not vote for more candidates than the number allowed for each specific office. Do not cross out or erase. If you erase or make other marks on the ballot or tear the ballot, your vote may not count.

If you change your mind or make a mistake, you may return the ballot by writing "Spoiled" across the face of the ballot and return envelope. You may then mail the spoiled ballot back to Cobb Elections, and you will be issued another official absentee ballot. Alternatively, you may surrender the ballot to the poll manager of an early voting site within Cobb County or the precinct to which you are assigned. You will then be permitted to vote in person.

"I understand that the offer or acceptance of money or any other object of value to vote for any particular candidate, list of candidates, issue, or list of issues included in this election constitutes an act of voter fraud and is a felony under Georgia law." [OCGA 21-2-284(e), 21-2-285(h) and 21-2-383(a)]

**For State  
Representative in the  
General Assembly  
From the 41<sup>st</sup> District  
(Vote for One)**

DIANA L. ECKLES

MICHAEL SMITH

**For Cobb County  
Commissioner  
District 4  
(Vote for One)**

LISA CUPID

WOODY THOMPSON  
(Incumbent)

**NONPARTISAN  
GENERAL  
ELECTION**

**For Judge of State  
Court of Cobb County,  
Division II  
Post 2  
(Vote for One)**

LARRY BURKE

MARSHA LAKE

## Notice to Voters

**This Sample Ballot contains all races in Cobb County, including races that you personally may not be eligible to vote for.**

- There are no countywide Democratic Runoffs.
- If you voted a Democratic ballot on July 31st, and there is no Democratic Runoff in your area, you may request a Nonpartisan ballot to vote on the Nonpartisan race.
- To determine if you are in State House District 41, or Cobb County Commission District 4, please refer to your Voter Precinct Card or see below:

To view your personal Sample Ballots please visit  
[www.sos.georgia.gov/MVP](http://www.sos.georgia.gov/MVP)