

OFFICIAL BALLOT  
2026 SCHOOL ELECTION  
BETHLEHEM CSD, NEW YORK  
MAY 19, 2026

INSTRUCTIONS FOR VOTING:

- 1. Mark only with a writing instrument provided by the election inspectors.
- 2. To vote for a candidate whose name is printed on this ballot, fill in the oval (●) completely by the name of the candidate.
- 3. To vote for a person whose name is not printed on this ballot, write or stamp his or her name in the space labeled "write-in" that appears at the bottom of any candidate's name, and fill in the oval (●) completely corresponding with the write-in space in which you have written a name.
- 4. To vote Yes or No on a proposition, fill in the oval (●) that corresponds to your vote.
- 5. Any other mark or writing, or any erasure made on this ballot outside the voting squares or blank spaces provided for voting, will void this entire ballot.
- 6. If you tear, deface or wrongly mark this ballot, return it and obtain another. Do not attempt to correct mistakes on the ballot by making erasures or cross outs. Erasures or cross outs may invalidate all or part of your ballot. Prior to submitting your ballot, if you make a mistake in completing the ballot or wish to change your ballot choices, you may obtain and complete a new ballot. You have a right to a replacement ballot upon return of the original ballot.
- 7. After completing your ballot, insert it into the ballot scanner and wait for the notice that your ballot has been successfully scanned. If no such notice appears, seek the assistance of an election inspector.

<p><b>Bethlehem Central School District Board of Education</b> 3 Year Term July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2029 Vote for 3</p>	<p><b>Proposition 1 School Budget</b></p> <p>RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Bethlehem Central School District of the Towns of Bethlehem and New Scotland, County of Albany, New York, be authorized to expend \$119,757,737 for school district operational purposes for the 2026-2027 school year and to levy the necessary tax therefore.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes    <input type="radio"/> No</p>
<p><input type="radio"/> <b>Becky vonWedel</b></p>	<p><b>Proposition 2 Library Budget</b></p> <p>RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of the Bethlehem Public Library be authorized to expend for the operation of such library for the fiscal year July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027, the sum of: \$5,501,811 and that the Board of Education of Bethlehem Central School District of the Towns of Bethlehem and New Scotland, County of Albany, New York, be authorized to levy the necessary tax therefor.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes    <input type="radio"/> No</p>
<p><input type="radio"/> <b>Meredith Moriarty</b></p>	<p><b>Proposition 3 Bus Purchase</b></p> <p>RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Bethlehem Central School District is hereby authorized to (1) acquire up to 9 large (70 passenger diesel) school buses at a total cost not to exceed \$1,633,239 which is estimated to be the maximum cost thereof, (2) expend such sums for such purpose, (3) levy the tax necessary therefor, to be levied and collected in annual installments in such years and in such amounts as may be determined by the Board of Education, taking into account federal and state aid received, and (4) in anticipation of the collection of such tax, to issue bonds and notes of the District at one time or from time to time in the principal amount not to exceed \$1,633,239 or enter into a lease-purchase agreement at a principal amount not to exceed \$1,633,239 to acquire such buses.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes    <input type="radio"/> No</p>
<p><input type="radio"/> Write-In</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Yes    <input type="radio"/> No</p>
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<p><b>Bethlehem Public Library Board of Trustee</b> 5 Year Term July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2031 Vote for 1</p>	
<p><input type="radio"/> Write-In</p>	