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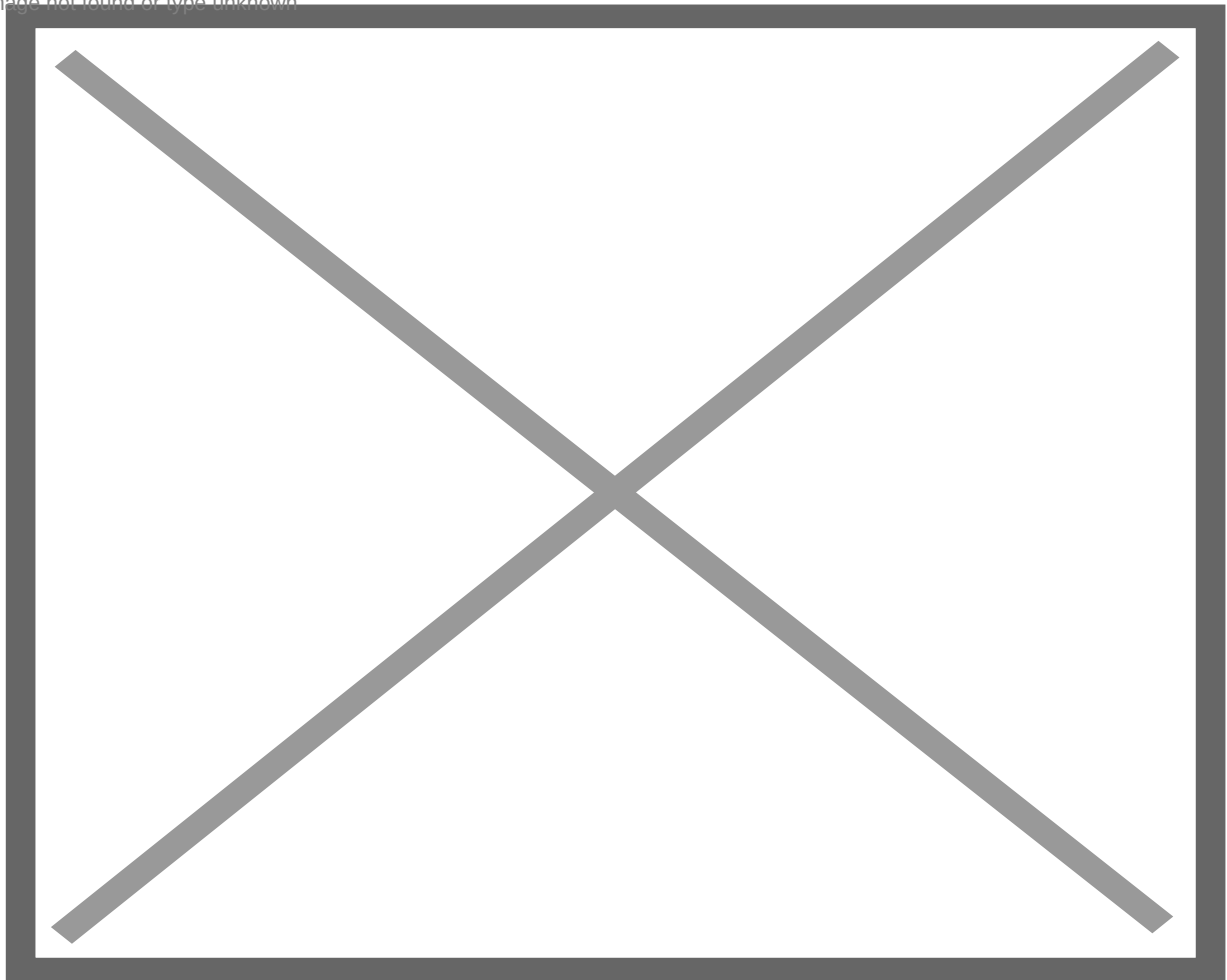
2026 General Election Ballot Order Set Across Governor, Delegate, Senate and Board Races

Candidates now know where they will appear on the Nov. 3 general election ballot, with the casting of lots setting positions in the governor, Delegate to Congress, Senate, Board of Education and Board of Elections contests across both electoral districts.

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The Elections System of the Virgin Islands has completed its casting of lots for the November 3 general election, establishing ballot positions across the governor and lieutenant governor, Delegate to Congress, Senate, Board of Education and Board of Elections contests in both electoral districts.

Supervisor of Elections Caroline Fawkes announced the results Tuesday and said all candidates included in the drawing had cleared the Elections System's qualification process. "All Candidates were vetted and approved to be on the General Election Ballot," she stated.

In the governor-lieutenant governor race, independent candidates Adlah "Foncie" Donastorg and Positive Nelson drew the No. 1 position. Warren Mosler and Colin Robertson, also running as independents, drew No. 2, while Democratic nominees Stacey E. Plaskett and Milton E. Potter will appear at No. 3. Oakland Benta and Merwin Potter drew No. 4, followed by Gustav James and Randolph Bennett at No. 5.

The Delegate to Congress contest will place Democrat Janelle K. Sarauw at No. 1 and independent Shelley A.H. Moorehead at No. 2. The St. Croix casting sheet lists the same order, although it spells the independent candidate's surname "Moorhead."

For the Legislature's at-large St. John seat, Democrat Angel L. Bolques Jr. drew the first position and independent Hadiya Sewer drew No. 2.

St. Thomas-St. John Senate Race

The district Senate positions begin at No. 3 following the two at-large candidates. Independent Gregory P. Smith drew No. 3, followed by Dwayne M. DeGraff at No. 4, Dr. Krishna Kilaru at No. 5, Republican Eric Tillet at No. 6 and Democrat Avery L. Lewis at No. 7.

Vernon Araujo drew No. 8; Joel S. Browne Connors, No. 9; Ray "PuPa" Fonseca, No. 10; Sennai Habtes, No. 11; Rudel A. Hodge Jr., No. 12; Imani Daniel, No. 13; Shenelle Fina Francis, No. 14; Alma Francis Heyliger, No. 15; Derrick A. Callwood, No. 16; Paula A. Duke, No. 17; Eugene D. Farrell, No. 18; Carla Joseph, No. 19; Collister M. Fahie, No. 20; David Sierra, No. 21; and Marvin A. Blyden, No. 22.

St. Croix Senate Race

On St. Croix, Democrat Nemmy Williams-Jackson drew district position No. 3, followed by Clifford A. Joseph at No. 4 and independent Bianca Francis at No. 5.

Elizabeth HansenWatley drew No. 6; Tyler Courtland Fay, No. 7; Luz "Lucy" Browne, No. 8; Jose "Besse" Gonzalez, No. 9; Troy C. Williams Sr., No. 10; Kenneth Kenny Gittens, No. 11; Julian S. Veira, No. 12; Mustasem Moe Mustafa, No. 13; Kurt A. Violet, No. 14; Nellie Rivera O'Reilly, No. 15; Samuel Carrion, No. 16; Alvin Milligan, No. 17; Troy D. Mason, No. 18; Diane Prosper, No. 19; Raymond T. James Esq., No. 20; Norman Jn Baptiste, No. 21; Hubert L. Frederick, No. 22; Gage Edmunds, No. 23; Lisa J. Charles, No. 24; Franklin Johnson, No. 25; and Jay Watson, No. 26.

Board of Education

In the St. Thomas-St. John Board of Education contest, Arah C. Lockhart drew No. 1, Bruce C. Flamon drew No. 2 and Judy M. Gomez drew No. 3.

The St. Croix Board of Education ballot places Vincent HA Gordon Jr. at No. 1, Lucy M. Jackson at No. 2, Winona A. Hendricks at No. 3 and Terrence T. Joseph at No. 4.

Board of Elections

For the St. John Board of Elections, Preston R. Evans drew No. 1 and Raven Phillips No. 2. The St. Thomas positions follow with Barbara A. Petersen at No. 3, Kevin A. Rodriguez at No. 4 and Republican Harriet A. Mercer at No. 5.

On St. Croix, Juliet L. Liburd drew the first Board of Elections position, followed by Republican Franz A. Christian Jr. at No. 2, Kareem T. Francis at No. 3, Mary Peggy Moorhead at No. 4 and Shamari I. Haynes at No. 5.

“Today’s drawing for ballot placement is a reminder that every candidate begins this journey on equal footing,” Ms. Fawkes said. “We celebrate this important milestone and encourage voters to stay engaged as the election season moves forward.”

The general election is scheduled for November 3.