



LAMP 2026 Endorsed Candidates

Public Service Commissioner Races

District 1 – Stephanie Hilferty

District 5 – John Atkins

Louisiana’s 2026 Election Landscape

Louisiana voters head to the polls on November 3, 2026, for a high-stakes set of federal, state, and local contests, with any necessary runoffs scheduled for December 12. The state’s unique “jungle primary” system remains in place for all U.S. House races: every candidate appears on a single ballot regardless of party, and a candidate must secure more than 50 percent to win outright. If no one reaches that threshold, the top two advance to the December runoff.

A late U.S. Supreme Court decision on the congressional map briefly threatened to impose closed party primaries, but state leaders quickly restored the familiar jungle-primary format for House races only, keeping the process straightforward for voters. Here is a clear overview of the key races:

U.S. Senate (replacing former Senator Bill Cassidy)

Julia Letlow (R)

Jamie Davis (D)

U.S. House of Representatives (Congressional Races)

Congressional District 1

Steve Scalise (Incumbent, R)

Randall Arrington (R)

Lauren Jewett (D)

E. “Liddy” Glass (No Party)

Congressional District 2

Troy A. Carter Sr. (Incumbent, D)

Peter Williams (R)

Renada “Honey” Collins (No Party)

Walter “Rocky” Beach (No Party)

Lisa Ballay (Libertarian)

Congressional District 3

Clay Higgins (Incumbent, R)

John Day (D)

Priscilla Gonzalez (D)

Caleb “With a C” Walker (D)

“Kate” Cotten (R)

Tia LeBrun (No Party)

Congressional District 4

Mike Johnson (Incumbent, R)

“Mike” Nichols (R)

Gordon Heslop (R)

Conrad Cable (D)

“Matt” Gromlich (D)

Congressional District 5 (open – Letlow running for Senate)

Stewart Cathey Jr. (R) – State Senator District 33

Michael Echols (R) – State Representative District 14

“Gabe” Firment (R) – State Representative District 22

Patricia “Pat” Moore (D) – State Representative District 17

Misti Cordell (R)

Austin Magee (R)

Oscar “Omar” Dantzler (R)

Dan McKay (D)

Antonio Wilson (D)

Congressional District 6 (open – Cleo Fields not seeking re-election)

“Rick” Edmonds (R) – State Senator District 6

Blake Miguez (R) – State Senator District 22

Monique Appeaning (R)

Larry Davis III (R)

Michael Mebruer (R)

Stephen Wagley (R)

Chauna Banks (D)

Patrick “Pat” Forbes (D)

Lindsay “Rubia” Garcia (D)

Rufus Craig (Libertarian)

Public Service Commission Races

District 1

**Stephanie Hilferty (R) – State Representative District 94*

Connie Norris (D)

Chris Justin (No Party)

District 5

**John Atkins (R)*

James Green (D)

The Louisiana Manufacturing Political Action Committee (LAMP) has endorsed Hilferty (District 1) and Atkins (District 5).

House District 92 (formerly held by Joe Stagni)

Three candidates qualified to fill the vacancy left by former representative Joe Stagni.

Gregory Carroll (D) is a former three-term Kenner City Council member (District 1) who previously worked as an employment specialist for the Orleans Parish Sheriff’s Office and has a background in community mentoring and nonprofit management. He also ran unsuccessfully for Kenner mayor in 2016.

Alex Perdomo (R) is a political newcomer and financial advisor with Edward Jones in Metairie and holds an MBA from Tulane. He is a first-generation immigrant with prior experience in industry roles.

Michael “Mike” Sigur (R) is a longtime Kenner Police Department administrator (with over 30+ years in law enforcement, including administrative leadership) and former two-term Kenner City Council member who also served as acting mayor. He previously challenged incumbent Joe Stagni for this House seat in 2023 (losing with about 30% of the vote) and ran for Kenner police chief.

Other notable races:

Rep. Candace Newell (D), District 99, is running for Orleans Parish Civil District Court Judge, Division L. Newell will go head-to-head with Warren McKenna (D).

Rep. C. Denise Marcelle (D), District 61, is running for Justice of the Peace. She will face Antonia Caine (D), Lee Cosey (D), and Taneshia Flowers (D).

Rep. Tammy Phelps (D), District 3, is running for Shreveport mayor. She will face six other candidates: Tom Arceneaux (R), Siavash Fakhiravari (NP), Chaunta Mero (D), Stormy Gage Watts (D), Michael Williams (D) and John Paul Young (R).

Upcoming Special Elections

State Senate District 14

The seat is vacant following the recent passing of Sen. Larry Selders. A special election is scheduled for December 12, 2026 (with a possible runoff if needed). Qualifying for the special election runs from October 14–16, 2026. Early reports indicate that U.S. Rep. Cleo Fields plans to run for the seat he previously held.

State House District 77

Former representative Mark Wright announced his resignation in August 2026 to take a position with the Louisiana Department of Transportation. The Speaker of the House called for a special election for his replacement to be held in 2027. Qualifying will be from January 5th through January 7th. The primary election date is February 6th and runoff election, if needed, will be held on March 13th.