## 2020 General Elections

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* - Denotes a candidate that has shown an interest in or has supported Tribal issues or issues within Indian Country.
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- Denotes a candidate endorsed by the Nez Perce Tribe.

### UNITED STATES

**President**  
Joseph R. Biden (DEM) *  
Donald J. Trump (REP)  
**United States Senator, District 1**  
Paulette Jordan (DEM) * +  
Jim Risch (REP)  
**United States Senator, District 2**  
Kate McSally (REP) *  
Ted Lindsley (REP)  
**U.S. Representative, District 1**  
Rudy Soto (DEM) * +  
Bryce Scrimsher (IND)*  
**U.S. Representative, District 2**  
Aaron Swisher (DEM)  
Justin J. Coleman (IND)*  

### NEZ PERCE COUNTY

**Commissioner District 2**  
Jeff Nesset (IND)*  
**Commissioner District 1**  
Mike Ryan (REP)  
**Commissioner District 1**  
Greg Johnson (REP)  
**Commissioner District 2**  
Ted Lindsley (REP)  

### CLEARWATER COUNTY

**Commissioner District 1**  
Chris St. Germaine (IND)*  
**Commissioner District 2**  
Joe Cladouhos Unaffiliated

### LEWIS COUNTY

**Commissioner District 1**  
Greg Johnson (REP)  
**Commissioner District 2**  
Ted Lindsley (REP)  
**Commissioner District 1**  
Joe Cladouhos Unaffiliated

### IDAHO COUNTY

**Commissioner District 2**  
Joe Cladouhos Unaffiliated  
**Commissioner District 2**  
Ted Lindsley (REP)  
**Commissioner District 2**  
Joe Cladouhos Unaffiliated

### LATAH COUNTY

**Commissioner District 1**  
Kathie LaFortune (DEM)  
**Commissioner District 2**  
Tom Lemar (DEM)  
**Commissioner District 2**  
Joe Cladouhos Unaffiliated

### IDAHO LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OFFICES

**PORT OF LEWISTON**  
Michael Hoffman  
**Commissioner District 3**  
David Nelson (DEM) *  
**Nonpartisan**  
Jerry Klemm

### STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 5 (BENEWAH & LATAH)

David Nelson (DEM) *  
Dan Foreman (REP)  
**Commissioner District 3**  
Jerry Klemm (Nonpartisan) *  
**Commissioner District 3**  
David H. Judd

### STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 5, POSITION A (BENEWAH & LATAH)

Dulce Kersting-Lark (DEM)  
Brandon Mitchell (REP)  
**SOIL & WATER CONSERV. DISTRICT - SUPERVISORS**  
Steven N Kaufman  
**DISTRICT - SUPERVISORS**  
Dale E Nichols

### STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 5, POSITION B

Renee Love (DEM)  
Caroline Nilsson Troy (REP) *  
**DEM--Democrat REP--Republican IND--Independent CON—Constitutionalist**  
James Hartley (CON)
### Idaho Constitutional Amendment HJR 4

Shall Section 2, Article III, of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended to require that the Senate shall consist of thirty-five members; and shall Section 4, Article III, of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended to require that the Legislature shall be apportioned to thirty-five legislative districts?

| Yes | No |

### Legislative Council's Statement of Meaning, Purpose, and Results to Be Accomplished

The purpose of the proposed amendment is to permanently set the number of senators in the Idaho Legislature, as well as the number of legislative districts in Idaho, at 35. (There are twice as many representatives as senators, which this amendment would not change.) Since 1992, there have been 35 districts and senators, but the Idaho Constitution permits as few as 30 and as many as 35 districts and senators, with the number determined during redistricting (the process of redrawing legislative district boundaries after a United States census). If this amendment is adopted, the number of districts and senators would be fixed at 35 and could not be changed during redistricting.

### Tribal Statement

This amendment is designed to ensure that rural areas maintain maximum representation in the State Legislature.

### NEZ PERCE COUNTY COURTHOUSE CONSTRUCTION QUESTIONS

The Nez Perce County Courthouse was built in 1889, added onto in 1928 and 1973. Several issues have plagued the building in recent years which include electrical, plumbing, and heating/air conditioning problems. These issues impact ongoing maintenance costs and in some cases the safety of our civil servants. Other challenges with the building are meeting ADA requirements that are now law and providing public safety. Nez Perce County has been budgeting conservatively and encouraging growth in the tax base for several years to prepare for the capital expense we know is coming with our 130-year old courthouse. Estimated construction costs are $40 million dollars for a new courthouse. Prior savings, low interest rates, and the current budget are projected to be sufficient to fund the project (within the County's annual budget) over a 20-year period. The Nez Perce County Courthouse belongs to you, and the Nez Perce County Commissioners are asking for input on how to proceed.

Voting Options include

1. What to Build? New building, remodel existing building or buy and remodel another building
2. When to build? Start as soon as possible using existing interest rates or only start after saving more money for project
3. Where to build? Options include existing site, most economical site, most expandable site or most centrally located site.