

City of West Des Moines Council to Fill a Vacancy Special Election

02/17/2026

- **In-Person absentee** available for Warren County City of West Des Moines residents only in the Auditor's office from 8AM to 4:30PM Monday - Friday till Monday, February 16. All county offices are open on Presidents Day.
- **Election day** – Polls are open from 7AM to 8PM for Warren County City of West Des Moines residents will vote at the Cumming American Legion (113 N 44th St. Cumming 50061)
 - For Polk County Residents for your polling place on Election day–
<https://www.polkcountyiowa.gov/county-auditor/election/news-and-press-releases/west-des-moines-city-council-special-election-february-17-2026/>
 - For Dallas County Residents for you polling place on Election day -
<https://www.dallascountyiowa.gov/523/Upcoming-Elections>
- UNofficial Results will be posted on our website
(🌐 Election Information - Warren County, Iowa)and Facebook page
(🌐 Warren County Iowa Auditor's Office | Indianola IA) after 8PM
- Canvass to certify Warren County results will be February 24th 9AM in the Boardroom of the Administration Building (301 N. Buxton Indianola)

Precinct Official's Initials

OFFICIAL BALLOT
Special Election
Warren County, Iowa
Tuesday, February 17, 2026
WDSM CITY
00100



INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS
Using blue or black ink, completely fill in the oval next to your choice like this: ●
Write-in: To vote for a valid write-in candidate, write the person's name on the line provided and darken the oval.
Do not cross out. If you change your mind, exchange your ballot for a new one.
City of West Des Moines
For City Council At Large To Fill Vacancy
Vote for no more than One
<input type="radio"/> Shad Clayton
<input type="radio"/> Fannette Elliott
<input type="radio"/> Katherine Harrington
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<div></div> (Write-in vote, if any)