



Clear Ballot

## **ClearVote 2.3**

### **ClearAccess Voter Guide**

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## Preface

This section defines the purpose of this document.

### About this document

This document provides instructions on how to vote using the ClearAccess accessible voting system. Covered are instructions for voting using a touchscreen, keypad, and sip-and-puff device. This document complies with the documentation requirements of the *Voluntary Voting System Guidelines (VVSG) 2005*, Volume 2, Section 2.8.4.

### Scope of this document

This document contains one section:

- Voter cards

### Intended audience

This document is for election officials and election staff who are responsible for operations and maintenance before, during, and after an election. Clear Ballot personnel also use this document to support election officials and election staff.

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## Voter cards

This document contains the following single page Voter Card pullouts:

- Voting with the touchscreen on the ClearAccess system
- Voting with a sip-and-puff on the ClearAccess system
- Voting with a keypad on the ClearAccess system

# Voting with a Touchscreen Ballot on the ClearAccess™ System

## Contest Screen

Tap **Settings** for Magnification, Color/Contrast, Audio ballot playback, and Visual Ballot Display.

Tap the box to the left of the candidate's name to make a selection. Tap again to deselect your choice.

Tap the box to the left of the **Write-In** option to prompt the Write-in Screen (below).



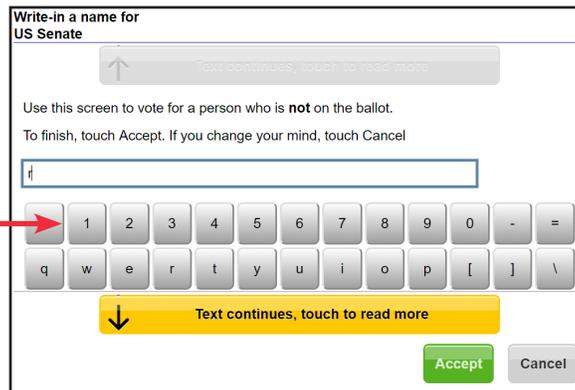
Tap **Review Votes** to view the Ballot Review Screen (bottom).

Tap **Cancel** to Cancel the voting session.

Tap **Help** for Voting Instructions.

## Write-in Screen

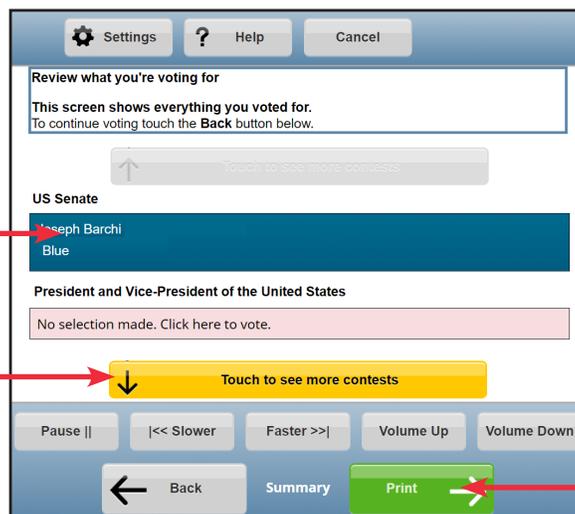
Tap the letters to enter the Write-In candidate's name and Tap **Accept**



## Review Screen

Tap a contest to return to that contest screen to vote or edit choice.

Tap to scroll down and see more contests



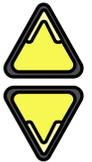
Tap **Print** to print ballot

# Voting with a Keypad on the ClearAccess™ System

## Contest Screen



Press to access **Settings** screen to change Magnification, Color/Contrast, Audio ballot playback, and Visual Ballot Display.



Press up arrow for previous choice and down for next choice.



Press enter to select or deselect a choice or to access the **Write-in Screen**.



Press to access the **Help** screen for Voting Instructions.



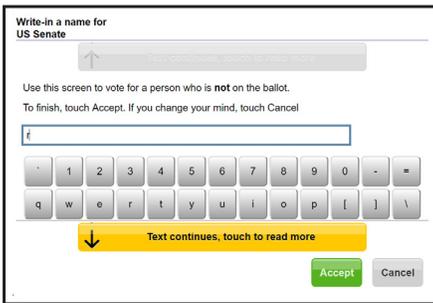
Press to skip to the previous contest. Hold for one second to **Cancel** voting session.



Press to skip to the next contest. Hold for one second to **Review** votes.



## Write-in Screen



Press to reach a desired character.



Press to accept letter and continue to next character. When finished, with the cursor at the end of your entry, press and hold to hear the name read aloud.

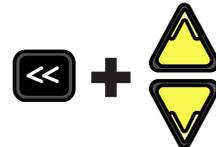


Press to accept Write-in choice.

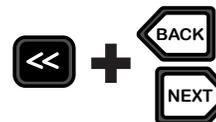
## The Shift Key



The shift key changes button behaviors when pressed at the same time as the following:



Increases/decreases volume



Increases/decreases speech playback rate



Pauses/resumes speech playback

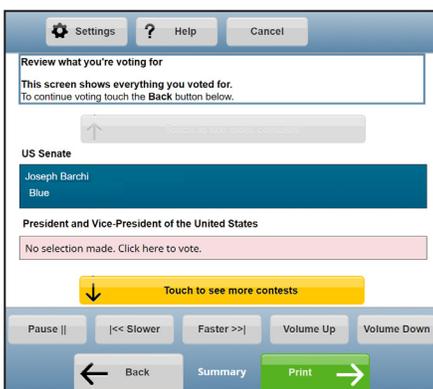


Skips to the next sentence



Skips back to the previous sentence

## Review Screen



Press to scroll and review votes.



Press to return to selected contest.



Press to **Print** Ballot.

# Voting with a Sip and Puff on the ClearAccess™ System

## Contest Screen

### Triple Puff

Access **Settings**:  
Magnification, Color/  
Contrast, Audio ballot  
playback, and Visual  
Ballot Display.

### Single Puff

Go to next choice.

### Single Sip

Return to previous choice.

### Long Puff\*

Select or deselect a choice,  
or to access the **Write-in**  
Screen (below).

The screenshot shows the 'Contest Screen' for the 'US Senate'. At the top, there are buttons for 'Settings', 'Help', 'Cancel', and 'Review votes'. Below this is a text box with a disclaimer: 'In our mock election, we will be using fake names for candidates and colors for political party names. For example, you might see this: Joe Jones/Yellow Party. Any similarity between names of candidates and real people or colors and real parties is purely coincidental.' Below the disclaimer is the heading 'FEDERAL CONTEST' and 'US Senate'. The main content is a list of candidates for 'Vote for 1', with a note that there are 9 choices and only one can be chosen. The candidates listed are: Joseph Barchi (Blue), Adam Cramer (Yellow), Daniel Court (Purple), and a 'Write-in' option. At the bottom, there are navigation buttons: 'Pause', '<< Slower', 'Faster >>', 'Volume Up', 'Volume Down', 'Back', 'Page 1 of 21', and 'Skip'.

### Long Sip\*

Access the top menu,

### Triple Sip

**Cancel** the voting session.

### Double Sip

Go to previous contest.

### Double Puff

Go to the next contest.

## Write-in Screen

### Single Puff

Scroll through characters  
forwards.

### Single Sip

Scroll through characters  
backwards.

The screenshot shows the 'Write-in Screen' for the 'US Senate'. It has a title 'Write-in a name for US Senate' and a text input field. Below the input field is a keyboard with letters and numbers. A yellow button with a downward arrow says 'Text continues, touch to read more'. At the bottom right are 'Accept' and 'Cancel' buttons.

### Double Puff

Accept letter and  
continue to next  
character.

### Long Puff\*

Accept the Write-In  
candidate's name.

## Review Screen

The screenshot shows the 'Review Screen'. At the top, there are buttons for 'Settings', 'Help', and 'Cancel'. Below this is a text box: 'Review what you're voting for. This screen shows everything you voted for. To continue voting touch the Back button below.' Below the text box is a scrollable list of candidates. The first candidate, 'Joseph Barchi' (Blue), is highlighted. Below the list is a text box: 'President and Vice-President of the United States. No selection made. Click here to vote.' At the bottom, there are navigation buttons: 'Pause', '<< Slower', 'Faster >>', 'Volume Up', 'Volume Down', 'Back', 'Summary', and 'Print'.

### Single Sip

Advance through the  
contest and candidate list.

### Long Puff\*

Return to selected race  
on the ballot.

### Double Puff

**Print** the ballot.

\*A long sip or puff is about a half-second long