

**VOTER GUIDE – NOVEMBER GENERAL ELECTION**  
**CITY OF THE VILLAGE OF CLARKSTON**

**Tuesday, November 3, 2020**  
**POLLS ARE OPEN 7:00 A.M. – 8:00 P.M.**

**LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OAKLAND AREA**

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**1 Candidate for MAYOR for ONE 2-year term**

**ERIC HAVEN** 62 Robertson Cir., Clarkston, MI 48346

**3 Candidates for CITY COUNCIL for THREE 2-year terms**

<b>CANDIDATES for CITY COUNCIL</b>	<b>Question 1 (150 Words or less): Provide biographical information and explain why you are running for City Council, including relevant qualities and skills you would bring to the position.</b>	<b>Question 2 (150 Words or less): What are the top 3 Priority Issues facing your city and what actions would you, as a city official, take regarding each of them?</b>
<b>THREE 2-year terms</b> <i>Vote for no more than THREE</i>		
<b>AL AVERY</b> 30 S. Holcomb Rd. Clarkston, MI 48346	<b>DID NOT RESPOND IN TIME FOR INCLUSION</b>	
<b>JOE LUGINSKI</b> 71 N. Main St. Clarkston, MI 48346	<b>DID NOT RESPOND IN TIME FOR INCLUSION</b>	

## CITY OF THE VILLAGE OF CLARKSTON (Continued)

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<b>SUE WYLIE</b> 6065 Middle Lk. Rd. Clarkston, MI 48346	My education includes a Bachelor of Science from Ohio University, a Secondary Science teaching certificate from UM-Flint, the Michigan Municipal League Newly Elected Officials Training Session and the Michigan Citizen Planner course for planning officials. A 26-year City resident, I worked in medical and pharmaceutical sales, taught science, and served as a science department chair. My government service includes four years on the Clarkston City Council, two years on the city Planning Commission, two years as Mayor pro tem, and chair of the Communications Committee. I intend to continue on city council to serve as a voice advocating for transparency in local government, especially the state Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) laws. Among the qualities I bring to council is a willingness to listen to Clarkston residents and business owners, common sense approach to governing our city, and a desire to play fair and by the rules of government.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A lawsuit over 18 FOIA'ed documents hangs over the city. In July the Michigan Supreme Court ruled against the City. I was the only Council member to vote against a request for a Court rehearing &amp; to oppose an application for the Taxed Bill of Costs filed by the plaintiff. Trust in our government has suffered. I will continue to advocate for the end of this lawsuit, &amp; for open government</li> <li>2. Parking revenue stopped in March because of the pandemic. City officials must be more vigilant to watch costs &amp; prepare for future loss of revenue from the state. We must control spending to ensure that the needs of an efficiently run city are balanced against the wants.</li> <li>3. We must responsive to the local hardships imposed by the pandemic. I promoted assistance for restaurants, including short-term street closure to provide safe outdoor seating for restaurants. I am supporting a downtown social district to encourage safe options for patrons &amp; to ease the fiscal struggles for local businesses.</li> </ol>

### 2 Candidates for CITY COUNCIL for TWO partial terms ending 11/08/2021

<b>CANDIDATES for CITY COUNCIL</b>  <b>TWO partial terms</b> <i>Vote for no more than TWO</i>	<b>Question 1 (150 Words or less):</b> <b>Provide biographical information and explain why you are running for City Council, including relevant qualities and skills you would bring to the position.</b>	<b>Question 2 (150 Words or less):</b> <b>What are the top 3 Priority Issues facing your city and what actions would you, as a city official, take regarding each of them?</b>
<b>EDUARD BONSER</b> 123 N. Main St. Clarkston, MI 48346	<b>DID NOT RESPOND IN TIME FOR INCLUSION</b>	
<b>GARY CASEY</b> 69 E. Washington Clarkston, MI 48346	<b>DID NOT RESPOND IN TIME FOR INCLUSION</b>	