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Two issues were of particular interest to local voters, election for two members of the Wauneta Village Board and three open seats on the Wauneta-Palisade Public Schools Board.

Wauneta Village Board

Lloyd Sinner was re-elected to the Wauneta Village Board with 250 votes.

Rick Einspahr filed an affidavit with the Chase County Clerk as a write-in candidate for the other open seat on the Village Board.

Einspahr received 94 write-in votes and will replace Lynn Brunkhorst on the Village Board.

Brunkhorst opted not to seek re-election.

W-P Schools Board

Jason Hicks will replace Stuart Bartles on the Wauneta-Palisade Public Schools Board. Hicks filed in October as a write-in candidate for one of the three open seats. Hicks received 59 write-in votes in the general election.

John Jutten was re-elected as a write-in candidate with 64 write-in votes.

Jutten filed as a write-in candidate earlier this year after missing the deadline to appear on the ballot.

Jon Anderjaska, the only candidate listed on the ticket, was also re-elected to his position on the school board with 273 votes.

Other local races

Chuck Vette was officially re-elected to the Chase County Board of Commissioners representing District 1 after running unopposed in the general election. This spring Vette emerged as the top Republican candidate from a field of four.

There were no candidates filing on the democratic ticket.

Wayne Lutz and Steve Leibbrandt were elected to the Southwest Public Power District representing subdivision 1 with 161 and 235 votes respectively.

Some new, some familiar faces to be seen on Wauneta Village Board and Wauneta-Palisade Schools Board

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Kerry Bernhardt ran unopposed for the Upper Republican Natural Resources District representing subdistrict 3. Thomas Gashler ran unopposed for subdistrict 5. Tom Terryberry ran unopposed for subdistrict 7.