

**Please
Remember To
Sign Your
Return Envelope!**



**DON'T DELAY
VOTE TODAY!**

If you make an error on your ballot,
spoil it in any way or lose it,
you may obtain a replacement ballot
by contacting the
Yamhill County Clerk's Office
at 503-434-7518.

**County Clerk's Office hours are
9:00 A.M. until 5:00 P.M.
Monday – Friday.**

**Election Day,
November 3, 2015,
7:00 A.M. until 8:00 P.M.**

**IMPORTANT: YOUR BALLOT WILL
NOT BE COUNTED IF IT IS NOT
RECEIVED IN TIME**

All ballots must be received at an official drop
site or the County Clerk's Office before 8:00 P.M.
Postmarks Do Not Count!

NOTICE

You may deliver your voted ballot
to the following official Yamhill
County ballot drop sites, postage-free
24 hours a day — 7 days a week.

Dayton City Hall
416 Ferry Street
Dayton

Yamhill County Clerk's Office
414 NE Evans Street
McMinnville

Courthouse Drive-Through Drop Box
East end of Courthouse Parking Lot
Enter on 5th and Ford Streets
McMinnville

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all drop sites close at 8:00 P.M.

This Voters' Pamphlet is the
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City of Dayton

Special Election

County of Yamhill
VOTERS' PAMPHLET



November 3, 2015

IMPORTANT NOTE:

IF YOU HAVE MOVED OR
YOUR **NAME HAS CHANGED** AND
YOU HAVE NOT YET RE-REGISTERED, YOU MAY
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City of Dayton

Referred by the City of Dayton Measure 36-175

THREE YEAR LOCAL OPTION TAX FOR POLICE SERVICES

QUESTION: Shall Dayton levy \$1.85 per \$1,000 assessed property value each year for 3 years for police services beginning 2016-2017? This measure renews current local option taxes.

SUMMARY: The proposed levy would fund the current Yamhill County deputy sheriff providing police service exclusively in the City and could include the following services: Municipal Court, Court/Records Clerk, Code Enforcement Officer, 9-1-1 services and support services.

The City contracts these services out through an intergovernmental agreement with Yamhill County and receives numerous public safety benefits for the cost of service.

The City's current law enforcement local option tax will expire June 30, 2016. The current tax funds a one full-time sheriff deputy and one half-time code enforcement officer. It also funds Municipal Court, 9-1-1 services and support services.

The estimated total amount of the levy is \$193,805 per year for three years. A home assessed at \$100,000.00 would pay \$185 annually.

The estimated tax cost for this measure is an ESTIMATE ONLY based on the best information available from the county assessor at the time of estimate.

NO ARGUMENTS WERE FILED IN SUPPORT OR IN OPPOSITION TO THIS MEASURE

City of Dayton

Explanatory Statement Measure 36-175

This measure is a Three Year Local Option Tax for Dayton police services. If approved, the City of Dayton will have \$193,805 more for police services each year for three years beginning fiscal year 2016-2017.

In 2012, the City passed a 3-year operating levy for public safety services which was a continuation of previous levies. The current law enforcement local option tax is set to expire June 30, 2016.

The proposed levy would fund the current Yamhill County deputy sheriff providing police services exclusively in the City and could include the following services: Municipal Court, Court/Records Clerk, Code Enforcement Officer, 9-1-1 services and other support services. By contracting out for these services, the City receives numerous benefits including but not limited to public safety service, criminal law enforcement, City ordinance citations, traffic enforcement, preparation of reports, attendance at City Council meetings, clerical services, administrative services, vehicle maintenance and upkeep and professional training.

The levy is needed to ensure the City's public safety needs are met as the population continues to grow. The levy would foster continued positive growth and provide a stable public safety presence in the City. Failure of the measure would reduce police services offered to the public and decrease the efficiency of services already offered.

The Yamhill County Sheriff's Office currently provides services to the City as part of its rural patrol based on an intergovernmental agreement it has with the City. Calls are answered based upon priorities set by the department. If this levy passes, the City will have continued dedicated coverage in an approximately 1 square mile area. This ensures the same level of police response and contributes to officer familiarity with the City and its activities.

The total amount of the levy is \$1.85 per \$1000 of assessed valuation each year for three years, beginning in tax year 2016-2017. A home assessed at \$100,000 would pay \$185 annually.

The current three-year levy ends June 30, 2016 and the proposed three-year levy is the same amount taxpayers paid under the previous levy \$1.85 per \$1000 of assessed valuation each year.

The estimated tax cost for this measure is AN ESTIMATE ONLY based on the best information available from the county assessor at the time of the estimate.

*Information furnished by Scott Pingel, City Manager
City of Dayton*

VOTER REGISTRATION INFORMATION

To be eligible to vote in the November 3, 2015 election, a completed voter registration card must be on file with the Yamhill County Clerk by not later than 5:00 P.M., October 13, 2015.

YOU MAY REGISTER TO VOTE IF:

- You are a citizen of the United States
- You will be 18 years of age or older on election day
- You are a resident of Oregon

YOU MUST RE-REGISTER TO VOTE IF:

- Your residence or mailing address changes
- Your name changes
- You wish to change party affiliation

VOTING INSTRUCTIONS

When you receive your ballot packet in the mail, immediately examine it to make certain it is complete. It should contain the following items:

- A printed ballot on which you may vote your choice
- This Voters' Pamphlet
- A secrecy envelope with voting instructions printed on it
- A pre-addressed blue trimmed return envelope in which to return your ballot

If any items are missing, contact the Yamhill County Clerk's Office, at 503-434-7518, and a replacement ballot packet will be sent to you.

VOTING AND CORRECTING YOUR BALLOT

If you make an error on your ballot, spoil it in any way, or lose it, you may obtain a replacement ballot by contacting the Yamhill County Clerk's Office at 503-434-7518.

RETURNING YOUR VOTED BALLOT

- Follow the instructions on the secrecy envelope
- Fold your ballot along the pre-scored fold and insert it into the secrecy envelope
- **SEAL** the return envelope and **SIGN** the statement on the back of the envelope. Your ballot will not be counted if your envelope is not signed

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