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Notice of Measure Election

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City

Notice

Date of Notice

8/23/2017

Name of City or Cities

Lafayette

Date of Election

November 7, 2017

Final Ballot Title The following is the final ballot title of the measure to be submitted to the city's voters. The ballot title notice has been published and the ballot title challenge process has been completed.

Caption 10 words which reasonably identifies the subject of the measure.

Bonds to Construct and Equip Fire Station and City Hall

Question 20 words which plainly phrases the chief purpose of the measure.

Shall Lafayette issue up to \$7,950,000 in general obligation bonds for construction of a new Fire Station and City Hall? If the bonds are approved, they will be payable from taxes on property or property ownership that are not subject to the limits of sections 11 and 11b, Article XI of the Oregon Constitution.

Summary 175 words which concisely and impartially summarizes the measure and its major effect.

If approved, bond funds would be used for capital construction costs to construct, equip and furnish a new Fire Station/City Hall and pay capitalized interest on and costs of issuance of the bonds. The existing City Hall is concrete block construction that would not withstand a moderate earthquake and lacks fire sprinklers. The new Fire Station/City Hall will meet seismic standards and provide a central community facility for future emergency response. This new downtown structure will be larger to accommodate future growth and include:

- Three bays to accommodate modern fire apparatus with a vehicle exhaust removal system.
- A decontamination room for bio-hazards and carcinogens.
- Dedicated storage for equipment, protective clothing, and public records.
- Day room/kitchen and living quarters for interns, volunteers, and eventual 24-hour coverage.
- Additional area for meetings, workspaces, and an Emergency Operations Center.

The City estimates the bonds would cost property owners \$1.59 per \$1,000 assessed value per year. Bonds will mature over a period not to exceed 31 years from the date of issuance.

Explanatory Statement 500 words that impartially explains the measure and its effect.

If the county is producing a voters' pamphlet an explanatory statement must be drafted and attached to this form for:

→ any measure referred by the city governing body; or

→ any initiative or referendum, if required by local ordinance.

Explanatory Statement Attached?

Yes

No

Authorized City Official Not required to be notarized.

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By signing this document:

→ I hereby state that I am authorized by the city to submit this Notice of Measure Election; and

→ I certify that notice of receipt of ballot title has been published and the ballot title challenge process for this measure completed.

Signature

Date Signed

8-23-2017