Notice of Measure Election



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Date of Notice	Name of City or Cities	Date of Election	
8/13/2024	City of Lake Oswego	11/5/2024	

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.

Prohibits psilocybin businesses within the City of Lake Oswego.

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

Shall the City of Lake Oswego prohibit psilocybin service centers and the manufacture of psilocybin products within the City?

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

State law authorizes the manufacturing, transportation, delivery, sale, and purchase of psilocybin, the psychedelic drug found in certain mushrooms, in Oregon. A city may "opt-out" by adopting an ordinance prohibiting the establishment of licensed psilocybin product manufacturers and/or psilocybin service centers within their boundaries. A city that "opts-in" may also adopt local time, place, and manner restrictions on psilocybin product manufacturers and/or psilocybin service centers that are in addition to those already imposed by state law.

The City adopted an ordinance prohibiting the establishment of psilocybin product manufacturers and psilocybin service center operators (collectively, "psilocybin facilities") within the City. State law requires that this ordinance must be approved by the voters before it may take effect. The City Council also adopted an ordinance imposing local time, place, and manner restrictions on psilocybin facilities in addition to those already imposed by state law.

Approval of this measure would prohibit psilocybin facilities within the City. Rejection of the measure would allow psilocybin facilities within the City subject to state and local restrictions.

Explanatory Statement 500 words that impartially explains the m	neasure and its effect.
If the county is producing a voters' pamphlet an explanatory sta	tement 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 Redacted

8/13/2024



Explanatory Statement

This measure asks whether or not to allow businesses related to psilocybin, a substance found in certain mushrooms, to operate in Lake Oswego.

In 2020, Oregon passed a law (Measure 109) allowing psilocybin to be made, delivered, and used in licensed facilities across the state. These businesses are called "psilocybin-related businesses." However, the state also lets local governments, like the one in Lake Oswego, decide if they want to ban these businesses within their city limits. A ban must be approved by the city's voters. The Lake Oswego City Council has adopted an ordinance prohibiting the establishment of psilocybin-related businesses within the city and, as a result, has referred this measure to the voters.

The Lake Oswego City Council has also adopted local rules for psilocybin-related businesses on top of what state law requires. The local rules are aimed at protecting children in childcare facilities close to psilocybin businesses, distancing marijuana and psilocybin businesses, and clarifying zoning between mixed-use and residential. For detailed information about the local restrictions, visit <u>https://www.ci.oswego.or.us/all-projects</u> and in the "Search" box enter LU 23-0001.

If you vote "Yes" on this measure, psilocybin-related businesses will continue to be banned in Lake Oswego. **If you vote "No,"** these businesses will be allowed, but they will need to follow state and local Lake Oswego rules.