

Notice of Measure Election

City

Notice		
Date of Notice 2/5/2022	Name of City or Cities City of Oregon City	Date of Election May 17, 2022

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.

CHARTER AMENDMENT: COMMISSION APPOINTS PLANNING COMMISSION AND HISTORIC REVIEW BOARD

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

Shall Charter be amended to authorize City Commission, rather than Mayor, to appoint Planning Commission and Historic Review Board members?

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

The Charter currently provides that the Mayor appoints the members of all city committees, which has included the Planning Commission and the Historic Review Board. This measure would amend the City Charter to have the City Commission appoint the members of the Planning Commission and Historic Review Board. Section 20 of the Charter would be changed to exclude the Planning Commission and the Historic Review Board from the power granted to the Mayor to appoint members of city committees. A yes vote would result in the City Commission appointing the members of the Planning Commission and the Historic Review Board, rather than the Mayor. A no vote would result in the Mayor continuing to appoint the members of those bodies.

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 Redacted

2/23/2022
Date Signed

MEASURE EXPLANATORY STATEMENT FOR COUNTY VOTERS' PAMPHLET

The Charter currently provides that the Mayor will appoint the members of all city committees, which includes the Planning Commission and the Historic Review Board. This measure would amend the City Charter so that members of the Planning Commission and Historic Review Board shall be selected by a majority vote of the City Commission. The membership of all other city committees, other than the Planning Commission and Historic Review Board, shall continue to be accomplished by the Mayor.

If the measure is approved, Section 20 of the Charter would be amended to include the underlined language below:

Section 20 – Mayor.

The Mayor shall appoint the committees provided by the rules of the Commission, except the Planning Commission and the Historic Review Board, which shall be appointed by a majority vote of the Commission. He shall sign all records of proceedings approved by the Commission. He shall have no veto power and shall sign all ordinances passed by the Commission within three days after their passage. After the Commission approves a bond of a city officer or a bond for a license, contract, or proposal, the Mayor shall endorse the bond.

The result of a yes vote would be that the Mayor would continue to appoint most members of city committees, except that the members of the Planning Commission and Historic Review Board would be appointed by a majority vote of the Commission. A no vote would be that the Mayor would appoint the members of all city committees, including the members of the Planning Commission and Historic Review Board.

I am the person submitting this Measure Explanatory Statement for the City of Oregon City.

Signature Redacted 2/23/2022
Jakob _____
the City of Oregon City