

Notice of Measure Election

City

3-467

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Notice

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| Date of Notice March 13, 2015 | Name of City or Cities City of Happy Valley | Date of Election May 19, 2015 |
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The following is the final ballot title of the measure to be submitted to the city's voters.

Final Ballot Title Notice of receipt of ballot title has been published and the ballot title challenge process has been completed.

Caption 10 words which reasonably identifies the subject of the measure

APPROVAL OF HAPPY VALLEY POLICE SERVICES LEVY FOR FIVE YEARS

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

Shall Happy Valley beginning Fiscal Year 2015/16 maintain tax at \$1.38/\$1,000 assessed value for dedicated police services for five years?

This measure renews current local option taxes.

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

City voters approved local option levies in 2002, 2006 and 2010 for dedicated police services. The rate for all three levies was the same: \$1.38/\$1,000 of assessed value.

The current levy (2010) expires June 30, 2015. That levy has funded emergency response, 911, police patrols, major crime investigations, crime prevention, drug enforcement, school programs, community policing and traffic enforcement in the City.

Happy Valley receives police services through an agreement with the Clackamas County Sheriff's Office.

In November, 2014 the Council proposed an increased 5 year levy at \$1.65/\$1,000 of assessed value. That levy failed by one vote.

This proposed levy maintains the \$1.38/\$1,000 rate and provides funding for dedicated police services. These dedicated services have been provided since 2002 through this local option levy.

The amount of money to be raised by this proposed levy for each of the five fiscal years is estimated to be as follows: FY 2015/16 \$3,136,461; FY2016/17 \$3,230,554; FY 2017/18 \$3,327,471; FY2018/19 \$3,427,295; FY2019/20 \$3,530,114.

Should this levy fail, the contract between the Sheriff and City will expire and the City will not have dedicated police services beyond November, 2015.

Explanatory Statement 500 words that impartially explains the measure and its effect, if required attach to this form

If the county is producing a voters' pamphlet an explanatory statement must be submitted for any measure referred by the city governing body and if required by local ordinance, for any initiative or referendum.

| Measure Type | County producing voters' pamphlet | Local ordinance requiring submission | Explanatory statement required |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Referral | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Not applicable | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Initiative | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Referendum | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Authorized City Official Not required to be notarized

→ 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.

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| Name <i>Marylee Walden</i> | Title <i>City Recorder</i> | Work Phone <i>503-783-3826</i> |
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3/13/15
Date Signed

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CLACKAMAS COUNTY
EXPLANATORY STATEMENT FOR COUNTY VOTERS' PAMPHLET

[THIS INTERACTIVE FORM CAN BE FILLED IN ON-LINE]

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| ELECTION DATE May 19, 2015 | MEASURE NUMBER 3-467 |
| BALLOT TITLE CAPTION APPROVAL OF HAPPY VALLEY POLICE SERVICES LEVY FOR FIVE YEARS | |
| NAME OF PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTENT OF STATEMENT Marylee Walden, City Recorder | |
| NAME OF ORGANIZATION PERSON REPRESENTS, IF ANY City of Happy Valley | |
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City voters approved local option levies in 2002, 2006 and 2010 for dedicated police services. The rate for all three levies remained \$1.38 per thousand of assessed value. The current levy (2010) expires June 30, 2015.

If approved by voters, this measure provides five (5) more years of dedicated police services in Happy Valley beginning July 1, 2015 and ending June 30, 2020.

This is a renewal of an existing levy that has been in place for 12 years. The rate being proposed remains at \$1.38 per thousand of assessed value. This local option levy provides the only source of funding for dedicated police services in Happy Valley. Those services include:

- Emergency Response
- 911 Dispatch Services
- Police Patrols
- Major Crimes Investigation
- Crime Prevention
- Drug Enforcement
- School Programs
- Community Policing
- Traffic Enforcement

At a tax rate of \$1.38 per \$1,000 of assessed value, a home valued at \$350,000 would pay about \$483 annually. This is not a tax increase.

Should this proposed levy fail, dedicated police services funded by the local option levy will end as of November 30, 2015. The Sheriff will respond only to high priority life threatening emergency calls in progress as available.

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SIGNATURE OF PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTENT OF STATEMENT

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DATE