

B-549

Notice of Measure Election

City

Notice		
Date of Notice March 20, 2019	Name of City or Cities City of Lake Oswego	Date of Election May 21, 2019
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 REGARDING FREQUENCY OF THE CITY MANAGER'S BUDGET SUBMITTALS		
Question 20 words which plainly phrases the chief purpose of the measure.		
Shall the Lake Oswego Charter be amended to eliminate the requirement for the City Manager to submit annual proposed budgets?		
Summary 175 words which concisely and impartially summarizes the measure and its major effect.		
Oregon Local Budget Law currently allows cities to adopt either one-year or two-year budgets. However, the duties of the City Manager listed in the Lake Oswego City Charter currently include, in Subsection 20.B.3, a requirement for the City Manager to "annually prepare and submit a proposed City budget for the ensuing fiscal year . . ."		
Approval of this measure amends Subsection 20.B.3 of the Lake Oswego City Charter to require the City Manager to "prepare and submit proposed City budgets for budget periods specified by the City Council and authorized by state law . . .," instead of requiring annual budget submittals. This change would make the frequency of the City Manager's budget submittal duties under the Charter consistent with whatever budget periods may be chosen by the City Council under Oregon Local Budget Law: currently either annual or biennial budgets.		
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? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Authorized City Official Not required to be notarized.		
Name Anne-Marie Simpson	Title City Recorder	
Mailing Address PO Box 369, Lake Oswego, OR 97034	Contact Phone 503-534-4225	
<i>By signing this document:</i> → 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

Signature

March 20, 2019

Date Signed

Joint County Voters' Pamphlet Measure Explanatory Statement

! Important! Read all instructions before completing this form.

Use this form when filing a "Measure Explanatory Statement for County Voters' Pamphlet" with your County Elections office. If a local government is located in more than one county, the County Clerk of the county in which the city hall of the City or the administrative office of the local government is located shall be the filing officer for the "Measure Explanatory Statement for County Voters/Pamphlet".

Filing Information

Election: Primary _____ General _____ Special May 21, 2019

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Ballot Title Caption

CHARTER AMENDMENT REGARDING FREQUENCY OF THE CITY MANAGER'S BUDGET SUBMITTALS

Name of Person responsible for content of 'Explanatory Statement' (as it should appear in the Voters' Pamphlet):

Anne-Marie Simpson

Name of Jurisdiction/Organization the Person is authorized to represent (as it should appear in the Voters' Pamphlet):

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Signature

Signature Redacted

March 20, 2019

Signature of person responsible for the content of "Explanatory Statement"

Date

Explanatory Statement

See attached for "Measure Explanatory Statement" (500 word/number MAX)

For Office Use only:

County: CLACKAMAS

Word Count (500 max):

Signed? Yes No

Providing digital copy? Yes No

Explanatory Statement attached? Yes No

Received digital copy? Yes No

Intake Staff Initials: AS

Review Staff Initials: AS

City of Lake Oswego Explanatory Statement
May 21, 2019 Special Election

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CHARTER AMENDMENT REGARDING FREQUENCY OF THE CITY MANAGER'S BUDGET SUBMITTALS

This measure has been referred to the voters by the Lake Oswego City Council

Oregon Local Budget Law currently allows cities to adopt city budgets for either a single fiscal year or 24 months. However, Subsection 20.B.3 of the Lake Oswego Charter, which lists the duties of the City Manager, currently requires the City Manager to "annually prepare and submit a proposed City budget for the ensuing fiscal year. . ." This ballot measure amends Subsection 20.B.3. of the Charter to remove the annual budget submittal requirement, and to instead require the City Manager to "submit proposed City budgets for budget periods specified by the City Council and authorized by state law. . ." This would allow the timing of the City Manager's budget submittals to be consistent with whatever budget periods are chosen by the City Council.

A "yes" vote amends the City Charter to allow the City Manager to submit proposed budgets for the same budget periods chosen by the City Council under Oregon Local Budget Law. A "no" vote retains the current Charter language requiring the City Manager to submit budget proposals each year.