

THE SAME BEING AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF NEOSHO, MISSOURI, CANVASSING THE RETURNS OF THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 2005, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING ONE COUNCILMAN AND SUBMITTING TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF SAID CITY A PROPOSITION TO ADD FLUORIDE COMPOUNDS TO THE MUNICIPAL WATER SUPPLY AND A PROPOSITION TO IMPOSE A ONE QUARTER (1/4) OF ONE PERCENT SALES TAX AND DECLARING THE RESULTS THEREOF UNDER EMERGENCY MEASURE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEOSHO, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: It is found and determined that on April 5, 2005, the City of Neosho held and conducted a valid and proper Municipal Election for the purpose of electing one (1) Councilman for a regular term of three (3) years and that the Election Authority did make return thereof to the City Clerk as to the count and findings.

That after due and proper canvass of said returns and proper count and canvass of absentee ballots, the following are declared to be the official votes:

FOR COUNCILMAN FOR A TERM OF THREE-YEARS

Precinct.....	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	Absentee	Total
Bill Carlsten	298	133	116	128	65	740
Matthew Ryan Persinger	267	154	131	186	49	787

That Matthew Ryan Persinger having received the highest number of votes cast is hereby declared to be the duly and properly elected Councilman for a term of three years.

Section 2: It is found and determined that on April 5, 2005, the City of Neosho held and conducted a valid and proper Municipal Election for the purpose of voting upon the following: Proposition Number One: "Should the City of Neosho add fluoride compounds to the municipal water supply subject to all laws and/or administrative rules regulating the treatment of drinking water?", and that the Election Authority did make return thereof to the City Clerk as to the count and findings.

That after due and proper canvass of said returns and proper count and canvass of absentee ballots, the following are declared to be the official votes:

PROPOSITION ONE

Precinct.....	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	Absentee	Total
Yes	209	93	82	86	39	509
No	436	238	193	267	89	1,223

That said proposition having received 509 Yes votes for and 1,223 No votes against, it is found and determined that said proposition failed to receive a majority of the votes of the qualified voters of said election on said proposition.

Section 3: It is found and determined that on April 5, 2005, the City of Neosho held and conducted a valid and proper Municipal Election for the purpose of voting upon the following: Proposition Number Two: "Shall the municipality of Neosho, Missouri impose a sales tax of one-quarter of one percent ($\frac{1}{4}$ of 1%) to be divided as follows:

- a) One-Sixteenth ($\frac{1}{16}^{\text{th}}$) of said One-Quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) to be used solely for the Senior Citizen's Center; and
- b) Three-Sixteenth ($\frac{3}{16}^{\text{th}}$) of said One-Quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) to be used solely for the Neosho Municipal Auditorium and its associated facilities;

all collected moneys to be used for the purpose of funding operation, maintenance and capital improvements which may include the retirement of debt under previously authorized bonded indebtedness", and that the Election Authority did make return thereof to the City Clerk as to the count and findings.

That after due and proper canvass of said returns and proper count and canvass of absentee ballots, the following are declared to be the official votes:

PROPOSITION TWO

Precinct.....	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	Absentee	Total
Yes	434	191	162	207	96	1,090
No	215	142	115	149	32	653

That said proposition having received 1,090 Yes votes for and 653 No votes against, it is found and determined that said proposition received a majority of the votes of the qualified voters of said election on said proposition.

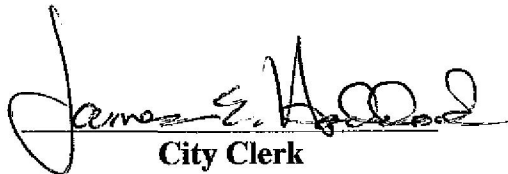
Section 4: This ordinance is passed as an emergency measure due to charter provisions requiring the council to organize on the 3rd Tuesday in April, which said requirements prohibit the passage of this measure in regular fashion with the customary date.

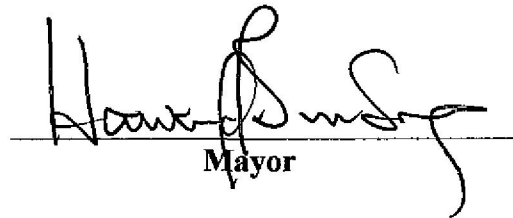
Section 5: This ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon final passage and approval.

APPROVED after final passage this 19th day of April, 2005.

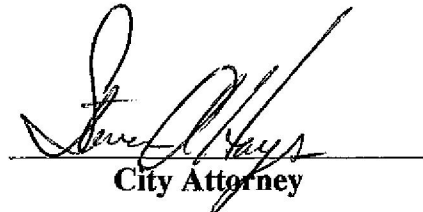
ATTEST:

CITY OF NEOSHO, CITY COUNCIL


City Clerk


Mayor

APPROVED:


City Attorney

KAY BAUM
COUNTY CLERK



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203 E. MAIN
NEOSHO, MO 64850

RE: CERTIFICATION OF APRIL 5, 2005 ELECTION

I KAY BAUM, ELECTION AUTHORITY OF NEWTON COUNTY, MISSOURI DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE RESULTS FOR THE APRIL 5, 2005, ELECTION ARE AS FOLLOWS:

CITY OF NEOSHO
PROPOSITION NUMBER TWO
SALES TAX

PRECINCT	YES	NO
ABSENTEES	96	32
NEOSHO #1	434	215
NEOSHO #2	191	142
NEOSHO #3	162	115
NEOSHO #4	207	149
TOTAL:	1,090	653

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of the county at my office in Neosho, Missouri on this 6TH, day of April 2005.

KAY BAUM, Election Authority
Newton County, Missouri at Neosho

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CITY OF NEOSHO
COUNCILMAN

PRECINCT	BILL CARLSTEN	MATTHEW RYAN PERSINGER
ABSENTEES	65	49
NEOSHO #1	298	267
NEOSHO #2	133	154
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TOTAL:	740	787

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CITY OF NEOSHO
PROPOSITION NUMBER ONE
FLUORIDE

PRECINCT	YES	NO
ABSENTEES	39	89
NEOSHO #1	209	436
NEOSHO #2	93	238
NEOSHO #3	82	193
NEOSHO #4	86	267
TOTAL:	509	1,223

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of the county at my office in Neosho, Missouri on this 6TH, day of April 2005.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kay Baum".

KAY BAUM, Election Authority
Newton County, Missouri at Neosho

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