

THE SAME BEING AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF NEOSHO, MISSOURI, CALLING FOR AN ELECTION TO AMEND THE CITY CHARTER AND FIXING THE DATE OF THE ELECTION TO BE HELD ON THE 6TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1996; PROVIDING FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF JUDGES AND FOR PUBLICATION OF NOTICES;

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

SECTION ONE: It is deemed by the City Council of the City of Neosho that it is necessary for the Neosho City Charter to be amended;

SECTION TWO: It is therefore called that an election shall be held in the City of Neosho on Tuesday, August 6, 1996, to submit to the voters of the City of Neosho the following proposition which shall take effect on the election date affirming the amendment to the Charter:

PROPOSITION: "Shall Section 2.17 (Ordinances: Reading of Bills) of the Neosho City Charter be amended to read:

Reading of Bills. All bills shall be read three (3) times before final passage, with no more than two (2) readings (except readings of appropriation and emergency measures) at the same session. The readings of bills may be by title only unless reading in full is required by State Statute or court decision or requested by one (1) or more members of the Council. Except for appropriation ordinances for payment of obligation incurred by the City and emergency measures, at least seven (7) days shall elapse between the introduction and final passage of any bill. Appropriation ordinances and emergency measures may be read three (3) times and finally passed at the meeting at which presented."

SECTION THREE: The judges for the Municipal Election for each of the voting precincts shall be named and designated as provided by applicable laws of the State of Missouri.

SECTION FOUR: The County Clerk shall act as the election authority. The City Clerk of the City of Neosho is hereby directed to notify the election authority of the proposition to appear on the ballots at such Municipal Election; the election authority shall give notice of such Municipal Election, and such notice shall be published in a daily newspaper as provided by law. The form of such notice, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part thereof, is hereby approved.

Bill No. 96-17

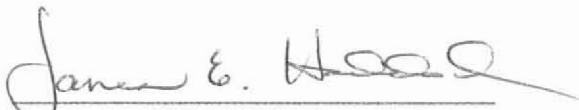
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SECTION FIVE. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon final passage and approval.

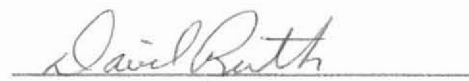
APPROVED after final passage this 21st day of May, 1996.

ATTEST:

CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF NEOSHO

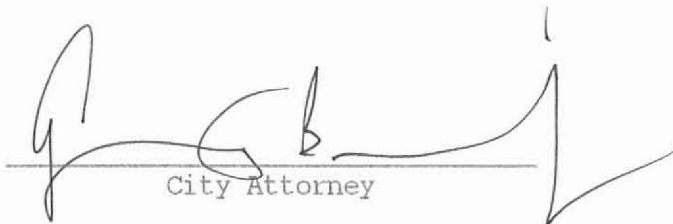


City Clerk



Mayor

APPROVED:



City Attorney

NOTICE OF MUNICIPAL ELECTION

In accordance with Chapter 115, Revised Statutes of the State of Missouri, and the City Charter of the City of Neosho, Missouri, notice is hereby given that a Municipal Election will be held in the City of Neosho, Missouri, on Tuesday, August 6, 1996, at which election all registered voters residing within the City of Neosho will be given the opportunity to vote.

The official ballot for the said election will be in substantially the following form:

PROPOSITION

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_____ Yes _____ No

The polling places for the said election will open at 6:00 a.m. and close at 7:00 p.m.

The polling places for the election will be:

Precinct No. 1 ...Neosho High School
Precinct No. 2 ...Field Elementary School
Precinct No. 3 ...Municipal Auditorium
Precinct No. 4 ...Benton Elementary School

Given under my hand the Official Seal of the City of Neosho, Missouri, this _____, of May, 1996.

City Clerk
City of Neosho