

Notice of Measure Election County

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Notice		
Date of Notice 1/31/2022	Name of County or Counties Washington County	Date of Election May 17, 2022

Final Ballot Title The following is the final ballot title of the measure to be submitted to the county'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.

Replacement Local Option Levy to Maintain Enhanced Sheriff, Police Response

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

Shall Patrol District maintain current level of police services by levying 83¢ per \$1,000 AV for five years, beginning 2023-2024?

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

This levy would maintain current service levels within the Patrol District by replacing a local option levy expiring June 2023. Replacing this levy would help fund:

- A rapid response to 911 calls in nearly half the time of the national average.
- The county's Mental Health Response Team – which pairs a deputy and clinician to respond to people in crisis and divert them from the criminal justice system.
- Advanced training in crisis intervention and de-escalation for deputies to use when working with individuals experiencing a mental health crisis.
- Deputies connecting people experiencing homelessness with community resources.
- A public safety response to increased overdoses and abuse of Xanax, OxyContin, Fentanyl and other drugs in the community.
- Policing service levels similar to those in neighboring cities and including expected population growth.

The replacement levy would fund District police services at a fixed tax rate of 83¢ per \$1,000 assessed value, which is an increase of 15¢ over the current rate or \$55 more per year for a home assessed at \$320,655. (Assessed value is different than market value).

Estimated revenues for each year of levy:
 \$20,670,200 in 2023-2024
 \$21,600,400 in 2024-2025
 \$22,518,400 in 2025-2026
 \$23,475,400 in 2026-2027
 \$24,473,100 in 2027-2028

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 county governing body; or
 → any initiative or referendum, if required by local ordinance.

Explanatory Statement Attached? Yes No

Authorized County Official Not required to be notarized.

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By signing this document:
 → I hereby state that I am authorized by the county 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

1/31/2022
 Date Signed