

Notice of Measure Election District

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Notice

Date of Notice

8/20/2025

Name of District

St. Paul Rural Fire Protection District

Name of County or Counties

Marion

Date of Election

November 4, 2025

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

Local Option Levy to Maintain Fire & Medical Emergency Response

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

Shall the Fire District levy 1.08 per \$1,000 of assessed value for five years beginning in 2026-2027 for emergency operations? This measure may cause property taxes to increase more than three percent.

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

The St Paul Fire District provides fire, emergency medical, and rescue services to the residents of St Paul and the surrounding area. The fire district currently has 35 volunteers and 12 part-time paramedics.

If adopted, the levy funds would:

- Provide funding for 24/7 paramedic coverage.
- Provide funding to replace obsolete apparatus.
- Provide funding for the required maintenance of existing emergency response equipment and fire apparatus.
- Allow the purchase of firefighter personal protective equipment.
- Provide funding for the purchase of EMS and fire equipment.

Fire district emergency operations are funded through property taxes.

The requested rate will raise approximately \$243,300 in 2026-2027; \$252,700 in 2027-2028; \$262,400 in 2028-2029; \$272,500 in 2029-2030, and \$283,300 in 2030-2031. The estimated tax cost for this measure is an ESTIMATE ONLY based on the best information available from the county assessor at the time of estimate and may reflect the impact of early payment discounts, compression and the collection rate.

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 district elections authority; or
- any initiative or referendum, if required by local ordinance.

Explanatory Statement Attached?



Yes



No

Authorized District Official Not required to be notarized.

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By signing this document:

- I hereby state that I am authorized by the district elections authority 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

8-22-2025
Date Signed