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Marion County Clerk

Notice of Measure Election

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District

Notice

Date of Notice	Name of District	Name of County or Counties	Date of Election
9/5/2023	Keizer Fire District	Marion	11/7/2023

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.

Five-Year Local Option Tax Levy for Operations

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

Shall District impose \$0.99 per \$1,000 of assessed value for general operations for five years beginning in 2024-2025? 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.

Keizer Rural Fire Protection District's current local option levy of \$0.59 per \$1,000 of assessed value expires June 30, 2024. This measure will replace the current levy with a new five-year levy at the rate of \$0.99 per \$1,000 of assessed value. The new levy would start July 1, 2024, after the current levy expires.

If adopted, the District will use the tax revenue from this measure to continue to operate the District at its present level of service and continue to improve current operations. Revenue from this levy would allow the District to increase staffing to meet growing demands on District services caused by increasing emergency call volume. The revenue would also help address rising costs of fuel, medical supplies, and other materials needed for operation. In summary, the levy would allow the District to provide adequate staffing, to respond to fire and medical emergencies, and pay for the costs of the District's 9-1-1 dispatch services.

The first year of this new five-year levy would be fiscal year 2024-2025. The proposed rate will raise approximately \$2,762,998 in 2024-2025; \$2,843,128 in 2025-2026; \$2,925,588 in 2026-2027; \$3,097,763 in 2027-2028; and \$3,187,620 in 2028-2029, for a total of \$14,817,097.

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

Signature

9/5/23
Date Signed