

# Notice of Measure Election

## District

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### Notice

**Date of Notice**  
July 21, 2017

**Name of District**  
MAC Recreation District

**Name of County or Counties**  
Jefferson County

**Date of Election**  
11.7.2017

**Ballot Title** Prepare with assistance from the district attorney or an attorney employed by the district.

**Caption** 10 words which reasonably identifies the subject of the measure.

Renew of five-year local option tax for general operations

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

Shall district impose \$0.40 per \$1,000.00 assessed value to continue operations and services for five years beginning 2018-2019? The measure renews current local option taxes.

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

The Madras Aquatic Center Recreation District ("District") levy will not increase taxes. It continues the same rate previously approved by voters. Approval of this levy will renew the expiring District local option levy for general District operations at the current rate of \$0.40 per \$1,000.00 assessed value on real property located within District's territory. The expiring levy was approved by voters in 2013 and provided funding for District's operating costs not met by its permanent tax rate. The proposed levy is intended to continue covering the difference for the next five years, commencing in July 2018.

The levy will provide District continued funds necessary to sustain District's current year-round recreation operations and services, including, without limitation, community recreation, safety programming, and events. Funds are also used for infrastructure maintenance. Without this additional revenue, District will reduce services by an amount equal to approximately 45% of its general fund budget, resulting in the elimination and/or reduction of, among other things, all out-of-water recreation programming, swim teams, water polo, and safety personnel.

The proposed rate will raise approximately \$247,089.00 in 2018-2019, \$254, 502.00 in 2019-2020, \$262,137.00 in 2020-2021, \$270,000.00 in 2021-2022, and \$278,101.00 in 2022-2023, for a total of \$1,311,829.00.

**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 governing body; 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 the above ballot title is true and complete.

  
Signature

7/21/2017  
Date Signed