

NOTICE OF OPEN MEETING NOTICE OF SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Public Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Excelsior Springs will conduct a **SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING at 7:30 AM, May 29, 2018** in the Hall of Waters Building, Council Chambers, 201 E. Broadway, Excelsior Springs, Missouri.

The tentative agenda of this meeting is as follows.

CITY COUNCIL City of Excelsior Springs

AGENDA

**May 29, 2018, 7:30 AM
Hall of Waters Building, Council Chambers**

Call to Order
Roll Call

1. Consideration of Approval of an Ordinance for the Counties of Clay & Ray, for the Purpose of Placing on the Ballot for Consideration by Vote of the City at the Election of August 7, 2018, the Imposition of a Thirty Cent Tax for Hospital, Public Health, and Museum Purposes - Ordinance No. 18-05-16
2. Comments
3. Adjourn

Representatives of the news media may obtain copies of this notice by contacting the City Manager's office, 201 East Broadway. Phone (816) 630-0752.

If any accommodations are required in order to attend this meeting (i.e. qualified interpreter, large print, reader, hearing assistance), please notify the City Manager's office no later than 48 hours prior to the beginning of the meeting.

Date and Time of Posting: Thursday, May 24, 2018 @ 5:00 pm



City Manager
Council Meeting 5/29/2018

To: Mayor and City Council
From: Molly McGovern, City Manager
Date: 5/24/2018

RE: Consideration of Approval of an Ordinance for the Counties of Clay & Ray, for the Purpose of Placing on the Ballot for Consideration by Vote of the City at the Election of August 7, 2018, the Imposition of a Thirty Cent Tax for Hospital, Public Health, and Museum Purposes - Ordinance No. 18-05-16

Please consider the appropriateness of placing on the August 7th ballot a proposition to levy 30 cents per \$100 Assessed Valuation according to RSMO 94.070 for hospitals, public health, and museum purposes.

We have discussed the needs of the Excelsior Springs Historic Museum and the needs of the Historic Hall of Waters and without financial assistance we are unable to properly maintain these two buildings that are so important to our community. Due to the architectural character of the Hall of Waters, we consider the building itself to be worthy as a museum.

The tax would provide funds that could be dedicated to improving both the Hall of Waters and Museum and could also support operating expenses of either building as needed. Additionally, as the statute permits tax revenues could be used for museum purposes.

While the statute states the purposes of this tax includes hospitals and public health, at this time, our intention is to focus only on museum purposes.

Molly McGovern, City Manager

ATTACHMENTS:

Description	Type	Upload Date
Ordinance	Ordinance	5/25/2018
Motion Sheet	Cover Memo	5/25/2018
Notice of Election - Clay Co.	Backup Material	5/25/2018
Notice of Election - Ray Co.	Backup Material	5/25/2018

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, STATE OF MISSOURI, COUNTIES OF CLAY AND RAY, FOR THE PURPOSE OF PLACING ON THE BALLOT FOR CONSIDERATION BY VOTE OF THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY AT THE ELECTION OF AUGUST 7, 2018, THE IMPOSITION OF A THIRTY CENT TAX LEVY FOR HOSPITAL, PUBLIC HEALTH, AND MUSEUM PURPOSES

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Excelsior Springs, Missouri, as follows:

SECTION I. A proposition shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of the City of Excelsior Springs at the Election to be held on the seventh day of August, 2018, to consider the adoption of a thirty cent tax levy for Hospital, Public Health, and Museum purposes; and that the ballot of the submission shall provide substantially as follows:

PROPOSITION

Shall there be a thirty cent tax levy on one hundred dollars valuation for hospital, public health, and museum purposes in the City of Excelsior Springs, Missouri?

☐ **YES** (For the Proposition)

☐ **NO** (Against the Proposition)

If you are in favor of the question, place an "X" in the box opposite "YES." If you are opposed to the question, place an "X" in the box opposite "NO."

SECTION II. That the form of the Notice and the form of the ballot therein set forth for said Election, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof, is hereby approved.

SECTION III. That the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to notify the Clay County Collector and Ray County Collector within ten (10) days after adoption or approval by the voters of the ordinance reflecting the effective date thereof and shall be accompanied by a map of the City clearly showing the boundaries thereof.

SECTION IV. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

INTRODUCED IN WRITING, read by title two times, passed and approved on the _____ day of _____, 2018.

Bradley T. Eales, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kathy Twitchell, Deputy City Clerk

REVIEWED BY:

Molly McGovern, City Manager

AGENDA ITEM NO. _____

MOTION: A Motion to Place Ordinance No. _____ authorizing the City Council of Excelsior Springs, State of Missouri, Counties of Clay and Ray, for the Purpose of Placing on the Ballot for Consideration by Vote of the Qualified Voters of the City at the Election of August 7, 2018, the Imposition of a Thirty Cent Tax for Hospital, Public Health, and Museum Purposes on Second Reading.

MOTION BY: _____

SECOND: _____

Ayes _____ Nays _____

Councilwoman Morgan: _____

Councilman McElwee: _____

Councilman Buckman: _____

Mayor Pro-Tem Powell: _____

Mayor Eales: _____

MOTION: A Motion to Approve Ordinance No. _____ authorizing the City Council of Excelsior Springs, State of Missouri, Counties of Clay and Ray, for the Purpose of Placing on the Ballot for Consideration by Vote of the Qualified Voters of the City at the Election of August 7, 2018, the Imposition of a Thirty Cent Tax for Hospital, Public Health, and Museum Purposes.

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SECOND: _____

Ayes _____ Nays _____

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

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Given under my hand the official seal of the City of Excelsior Springs, Missouri this ____ day of _____, 2018.

(SEAL)

Kathy Twitchell, Deputy City Clerk

This is to certify that the foregoing notice is a true copy of the certification of the election notice filed in this office on _____, 2018, by the Deputy City Clerk of the City of Excelsior Springs, Missouri.

Clerk, County of Clay
STATE OF MISSOURI

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Clerk, County of Ray
STATE OF MISSOURI