

Referendum Question 1

Mandating Periodic Charter Review

Shall the City's Charter be reviewed every five (5) years by a Committee appointed by the City Commission. If passed, the amendment will require the City Commission to appoint a Charter Review Committee every five (5) years by Resolution.

YES

NO

Referendum Question 2

Adding Term Limits

Shall the term of office for any Commissioner not exceed a total of two four (4) year terms, not inclusive of any partial term, plus two four (4) year terms as Mayor. If passed, this amendment will create a term limit of two four (4) year terms for any Commissioner, not including partial terms, plus a term limit of two four (4) year terms as Mayor, not including any partial terms.

YES

NO

Referendum Question 3

Fixing Compensation for the Mayor and Commissioners

Shall the City Charter be amended to remove the ability of the City Commission to set compensation for the Mayor and Commissioners by adopting an Ordinance approved by referendum and, in lieu thereof, establish Mayor and Commissioner compensation at a fixed amount in the Charter subject only to cost-of-living increases. If passed, this amendment shall fix the compensation for the Mayor at \$1,500.00 per month and the compensation for each Commissioner at \$1,250.00 per month subject to cost-of-living adjustments consistent with any such adjustments provided to the employees of the City as approved in the annual budget.

YES

NO

Referendum Question 4

Requiring Background Checks for the City Manager and all Department Heads

Shall the City require level 2 background screenings for the City Manager and all City Department Heads. If passed, this amendment will require that the City conduct level 2 background screenings, including sex offender registry checks and criminal background checks, on the City Manager and all Department Heads prior to appointment of hiring. This amendment provides for certain disqualifying offenses.

YES

NO

Referendum Question 5

Providing a Penalty for Unexcused Absences by Members of the City Commission

Shall the City Charter be amended to provide for a penalty for unexcused absences by a member of the City Commission. If passed, this amendment shall cause any member of the City Commission to vacate office if absent from three consecutive regular Commission meetings unless the absence is excused by the City Commission.

YES

NO

Referendum Question 6

Approving Charter Updates Assigning Duties in the Absence of the Mayor or City Manager

Shall the City Charter be amended to provide for the appointment of a Mayor Pro Tem to serve in the Mayor's absence; to allow the City Manager to serve as a Department Head where no Deputy Department Head is available; and to allow the City Commission to appoint an interim City Manager when no Deputy City Manager is available. If passed, this amendment clarifies and provides for the appointment by the City Commission of a Mayor Pro Tem annually in May to serve in the Mayor's absence and that no Commissioner may serve more than once during a four (4) year term. This amendment also clarifies and provides for the City Commission to appoint an interim City Manager in the absence of a Deputy City Manager. Finally, this amendment allows the City Manager to serve as a Department Head or appoint a Deputy Department Head in the event of the vacancy of a Department Head with the approval of the City Commission

YES

NO

Referendum Question 7

Clarifying Election Procedures and Canvass of Returns

Shall the City Charter be amended to allow for the unopposed election of a candidate for office when another candidate or candidates withdraw or are removed from the ballot following the end of the qualifying period leaving only one candidate remaining on the ballot; and shall the results of the canvass of returns be reported to the City Commission at the next regularly scheduled Commission meeting. If passed, this amendment clarifies that when only one candidate remains on the ballot due to any reason, said candidate shall be deemed elected unopposed; and further amends the City Charter to provide for the results of the election to be reported to the City Commission at the next regularly scheduled Commission meeting as opposed to the day following the election.

YES

NO

Referendum Question 8

Approving Miscellaneous Charter Updates Correcting Formatting and Grammar, Combining Duties of the City Attorney into one Section of the Charter and Removing Obsolete Language and Offices

Shall the City Charter be amended to update matters relating to formatting and grammar, deleting obsolete language and terminology, and combining the duties of the City Attorney into one Section of the Charter, and other amendments all as specifically set forth in Ordinance XXXX unanimously adopted by the City Commission on [insert date].

YES

NO