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Notice of Measure Election

City

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Notice

Date of Notice February 16, 2016	Name of City or Cities City of Reedsport	Date of Election May 17, 2016
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The following is the final ballot title of the measure to be submitted to the city's voters.

Final Ballot Title Notice of receipt of ballot title has been published and the ballot title challenge process has been completed.

Caption 10 words which reasonably identifies the subject of the measure

Seasonal Tax on Gas and Diesel Fuel Sales in Reedsport

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

Shall electors allow a three (3) cent per gallon tax on the sale of fuel from May through October?

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

The City is seeking innovative ways to fund necessary infrastructure improvements (e.g., levee improvements and streets) in Reedsport while minimizing the impact to the local rate payer. Considering the significant seasonal increase of travelers utilizing City funded facilities, this tax would seek to recapture some of the expense of maintaining these facilities that would otherwise fall directly to the local rate payer through either property tax or utility fee. The seasonal implementation would provide maximum revenue from those traveling through the area.

If passed this tax would add (for example) \$.30 to ten (10) gallons of fuel purchased. Based on other cities fuel tax revenues (e.g., Newport, Brookings, Warrenton, etc.) cumulatively this has the potential to generate, around \$100,000 annually. These funds would go directly toward infrastructure analysis, repair and maintenance.

A "Yes" vote will establish a three (3) cent tax to be levied on the gross sale of fuel in Reedsport from May through October each year.

A "No" vote will prevent the local tax.

Explanatory Statement 500 words that impartially explains the measure and its effect, if required attach to this form

If the county is producing a voters' pamphlet an explanatory statement must be submitted for any measure referred by the city governing body and if required by local ordinance, for any initiative or referendum.

Measure Type	County producing voters' pamphlet	Local ordinance requiring submission	Explanatory statement required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Referral	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Initiative	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Referendum	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Authorized City Official Not required to be notarized

→ By signing this document, I hereby state that I am authorized by the city 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.

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Deanna Schafer
Signature

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Date Signed

PATRICIA K. HITT, COUNTY CLERK