

Request for Ballot Title

Preparation or Publication of Notice

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No later than the **81st day before an election**, a governing body that has referred a measure must prepare and file with the local elections official the text of the referral for ballot title preparation or the ballot title for publication of notice of receipt of ballot title. This form may be used to file the text of the referral and request the elections official begin the ballot title drafting process or file a ballot title and request the elections official publish notice of receipt of ballot title.

Filing Information

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Referral Information

Title, Number or other Identifier

This Filing is For

Drafting of Ballot Title Attach referral text. Publication of Notice Ballot title below.

Ballot Title Additional requirements may apply

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

Levy Renewal to Retain TTSD Teachers and Preserve Classroom Programs

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

Shall District retain teachers/programs by renewing current levy taxes (\$1 per \$1,000 assessed value) for five years, beginning 2025?

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

This measure is not a new or added tax.

It simply continues the current local option levy, which voters passed in 2000 and then renewed in 2004, 2008, 2014, and 2018. Renewing the levy again would keep the existing levy rate for another five years, beginning in 2025-26 when the current levy expires.

Renewal of the local option levy would continue funding for a level of program offerings, staffing, and class sizes that wouldn't be possible without it. The levy renewal would:

- continue funding for approximately 100 teachers and the classroom programs they provide
- support class sizes funded by the current levy
- help local schools by supplementing insufficient state funding

The local option levy rate would not exceed \$1 per \$1,000 of assessed value. The levy is estimated to raise \$12,600,000 in 2025-26, \$13,000,000 in 2026-27, \$13,400,000 in 2027-28, \$13,800,000 in 2028-29, and \$14,200,000 in 2029-30, for a total of \$67,000,000 over five years.

By signing this document:

→ I hereby state that I am authorized by the county or city governing body, or district elections authority to submit this Request for Ballot Title – Preparation or Publication of Notice.

8/12/24

Date Signed