

Introduced by Buffaloe Council Bill No. R 141-24

**A RESOLUTION**

declaring the results of the special elections to elect a Ward 1 council member and to extend the one-fourth of one percent capital improvement sales tax.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBIA, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The Council declares that the special election held in the City of Columbia, Missouri on August 6, 2024, to elect a council member to fill the unexpired term for Ward 1 was duly and regularly held and conducted in accordance with the laws of the State of Missouri and the ordinances of the City of Columbia, Missouri.

SECTION 2. In accordance with the results of the election certified by Brianna L. Lennon, Clerk of the County Commission and Election Authority in and for the County of Boone, State of Missouri, the Council hereby finds and declares that the following votes were cast in the August 6, 2024, special election:

<u>COUNCIL MEMBER, FIRST WARD</u>	
Valerie Carroll	1,058

SECTION 3. Based on the results of the election set forth in Section 2, Valerie Carroll was duly elected to fill the unexpired term for the Council member of Ward 1.

SECTION 4. The City Council declares that the special election held in the City of Columbia, Missouri on August 6, 2024, on the question whether to impose a sales tax of one-fourth of one percent, for a period of ten (10) years, for the purpose of funding capital improvements, was duly and regularly held and conducted in accordance with the laws of the State of Missouri and the ordinances of the City of Columbia, Missouri.

SECTION 5. In accordance with the results of the election certified by Brianna L. Lennon, Clerk of the County Commission and Election Authority in and for the County of Boone, State of Missouri, the Council hereby finds and declares that the following votes were cast in the August 6, 2024, special election:

**PROPOSITION 1  
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT SALES TAX EXTENSION**

Shall the municipality of Columbia, Missouri impose a sales tax of one-fourth of one percent, for a period of ten (10) years, for the purpose of funding capital improvements which may

include the retirement of debt under previously authorized bonded indebtedness?\*

This sales tax would continue the existing capital improvements sales tax scheduled to expire on December 31, 2025. the City intends to use this sales tax to improve city streets and sidewalks; construct, maintain and equip police and fire facilities; and replace major capital assets (fire trucks and other equipment).


\*This language is required by state law. The City does not intend to use sales tax funds to retire debt under previously authorized bonded indebtedness.

YES 14,110  
NO 5,699

SECTION 6. Based on the results of the election set forth in Section 5, the Council hereby declares that a majority of the qualified voters of the City voting on Proposition 1 approved the proposition.

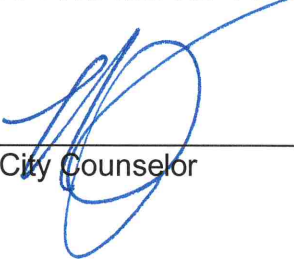
ADOPTED this 19th day of August, 2024.

ATTEST:

  
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City Clerk

  
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Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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City Counselor