NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION City of Columbia, Missouri

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of the City of Columbia, Missouri, that the City Council of the City has called an election to be held in the City on Tuesday, August 2, 2016, commencing at six o'clock a.m. and closing at seven o'clock p.m., on the question contained in the following sample ballot:

OFFICIAL BALLOT Special Election City of Columbia, Missouri Tuesday, August 2, 2016

PROPOSITION 1

Shall the City of Columbia, Missouri increase the gross receipts license tax on hotels and motels from 4 percent to 5 percent of the gross daily rental receipts due from or paid by transient guests for a period not to exceed 23 years, such gross receipts license tax to be used for tourism and economic development purposes including construction of a new airport terminal and related improvements, with such tax thereafter to the be levied at a rate of 4 percent?

YES
NO

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".

The election will be held at the following polling places in the City:

[Polling places to be added by election authority.]

[Date to be added by election authority.]

[Name and title of election authority to be added by election authority.]