

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 4, 2026, 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 4, 2026

PROPOSITION 1

Shall the municipality of Columbia, Missouri impose an additional citywide sales tax at a rate of one percent, solely for the purpose of providing revenues to improve public safety for the city, which shall be limited to expenditures on equipment, salaries and benefits, and facilities for police and fire departments?

**NOTE: The voter "Yes"/"No" ovals need to be located below the proposition information.**

YES

NO

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS: Fill in the oval (●) to the left of your choice.

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.]