

# Notice of Measure Election County

**SEL 801**

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250.175, 254.103, 254.465

**Notice**

**Date of Notice**

June 22, 2016

**Name of County or Counties**

Douglas County

**Date of Election**

November 8, 2016

**Final Ballot Title** The following is the final ballot title of the measure to be submitted to the county's voters. The ballot title notice has been published and the ballot title challenge process has been completed.

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

Concerning formation of the Douglas County Library District.

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

Shall the district be formed with a permanent rate limit for operating taxes of \$0.44 per \$1000 of assessed value?

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

In June 2016, the Douglas County Board of Commissioners agreed to send to the voters the question of forming a library district with a permanent rate limit for operating taxes of \$0.44 (44 cents) per \$1000 of assessed value and ordered that an election on that question be held. If approved by the voters, the Douglas County Library District will be created to provide public library services. A yes vote on the question creates the district with the stated tax rate, beginning with the 2017-2018 fiscal year (that is the fiscal year that begins July 1, 2017). If created, all of Douglas County and all cities within Douglas County will be included in the district, with the exception of the cities of Sutherlin and Elkton (which will not be included). This tax rate is a permanent maximum; the district is not required to assess the full rate. A no vote on the question does not create the district and does not impose any tax rate.

**Explanatory Statement** 500 words that impartially explains the measure and its effect.

If the county is producing a voters' pamphlet an explanatory statement must be drafted and attached to this form for:

→ any measure referred by the county governing body; **or**

→ any initiative or referendum, if required by local ordinance.

**Explanatory Statement Attached?**

Yes

No

**Authorized County Official** Not required to be notarized.

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*By signing this document:*

→ I hereby state that I am authorized by the county 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.



**June 22, 2016**

**Signature**

**Date Signed**