

**NOTICE OF BALLOT TITLE
INITIATIVE MEASURE TO AMEND THE HOOD RIVER CITY CHARTER**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Hood River City Recorder has received a proposal from two individuals to amend the Hood River City Charter to add a new chapter prohibiting the disposal of any city park property without a public vote.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Hood River City Recorder has determined that the proposal contains only one subject, as required by section 1(2)(d), Article IV of the Oregon Constitution.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the Hood River City Attorney has submitted the following ballot title for the proposal:

BALLOT TITLE

MEASURE No. 14-67

CAPTION: Amendment to the city charter regarding disposal of city parks

QUESTION: Shall Hood River revise its charter to prohibit the disposal of any city park land without a public vote?

SUMMARY: Amends the Hood River City Charter to require a public vote before the council can dispose of any designated, dedicated, or recognized city park, including the sale, lease or transfer of any property rights, unless it is for the promotion or enhancement of recreational enjoyment of the general public. If adopted, this charter amendment will take effect immediately by emergency clause as it is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and welfare.

Any person who wishes to contest the ballot title or explanatory statement as written must file a petition for review of the ballot title in Circuit Court for Hood River County as provided in ORS 250.296 not later than the seventh (7th) business day (May 29, 2019, no later than 5 p.m.) following the date the city received the ballot title, which is the date of this Notice.

JENNIFER GRAY, City Recorder and Elections Official

DATE: May 20, 2019