

INTRODUCED: 06/29/2009

REFERRED TO: Rules and Public Policy Committee

SPONSOR: Councillors Day and Plowman

DIGEST: certifies a question to be submitted to voters in the November 3, 2009 special election regarding a referendum tax levy by Beech Grove City Schools

SOURCE:

Initiated by: Beech Grove City Schools  
Drafted by: Office of Corporation Counsel

LEGAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ADOPTION:  
Subject to approval or veto by Mayor

PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE:  
Adoption and approvals

GENERAL COUNSEL APPROVAL: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: June 25, 2009

CITY-COUNTY GENERAL RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_, 2009

PROPOSAL FOR A GENERAL RESOLUTION to certify a question to be submitted to voters in the November 3, 2009 special election regarding a referendum tax levy by Beech Grove City Schools.

WHEREAS, pursuant to IC 20-46-1-8(a)(2), a school corporation may place a referendum on the ballot for the purpose of replacing the property tax revenue loss because of the application of the circuit breaker tax caps or credits pursuant to IC 6-1.1-20.6; and

WHEREAS, because of its urgent financial situation, Beech Grove City Schools desires to hold this referendum by special election on November 3, 2009 and has adopted the resolution required to place said referendum on the ballot pursuant to IC 20-46-1-8, attached hereto and made a part thereof; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to IC 20-46-1-12 and IC 20-46-1-14, the county fiscal body shall certify the question no later than ninety (90) days prior to the scheduled date of the referendum to the county election board to be voted on at the referendum; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to IC 20-46-1-10, the question to be submitted to voters residing in the jurisdiction of Beech Grove City Schools in the referendum must read, "For the next seven calendar years immediately following the holding of the referendum, shall the Beech Grove City Schools impose a property tax rate that does not exceed thirty-five cents (\$0.35) on each one hundred dollars (\$100) of assessed valuation and that is in addition to the school corporation's normal tuition support tax rate?"; now, therefore:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY-COUNTY COUNCIL OF THE  
CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS AND OF MARION COUNTY, INDIANA:

SECTION 1. Pursuant to the specific authority and direction provided by IC 20-46-1-12, the City-County Council hereby certifies the question to be voted on at the referendum to be held in the November 3, 2009 special election to the county election board.

SECTION 2. The question to be submitted to voters residing in the jurisdiction of Beech Grove City Schools in the referendum shall read as follows:

"For the next seven calendar years immediately following the holding of the referendum, shall the Beech Grove City Schools impose a property tax rate that does not exceed thirty-five cents (\$0.35) on each one hundred dollars (\$100) of assessed valuation and that is in addition to the school corporation's normal tuition support tax rate?"

SECTION 3. Upon the effective date of this general resolution, the Clerk of the City-County Council shall deliver a certified copy thereof to the County Clerk in order that the County Clerk and the County Election Board may discharge their duties pursuant to IC 20-46-1 et seq.

SECTION 4. This resolution shall be in effect from and after its passage by the Council and compliance with Indiana Code § 36-3-4-14.

The foregoing was passed by the City-County Council this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2009, at \_\_\_\_\_ p.m.

ATTEST:

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Bob Cockrum  
President, City-County Council

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Melissa Thompson  
Clerk, City-County Council

Presented by me to the Mayor this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2009, at 10:00 a.m.

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Melissa Thompson  
Clerk, City-County Council

Approved and signed by me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2009.

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Gregory Ballard, Mayor