

Board of Aldermen Meeting November 15, 2022 at 6:00 PM

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen will hold the regular monthly meeting in the Betty Brazelton Community Center at 707 Oak Street to consider and act upon the matters on the following tentative agenda and such other matters as may be presented at the meeting and determined to be appropriate for discussion at that time.

Tentative Agenda

1. Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag

2. Roll Call

3. Approve Agenda

4. Richard Eugene Williams Memorial

Gary Brown

5. Middle Road Productions

6. Minutes

A. October 18, 2022 Regular Meeting

B. October 25, 2022 Special Meeting

7. October Financial Report

8. October Check Listing

9. Reports

a. Water System Report – Jeff Jones, Decker Construction

b. Police Report – Dave Speiser

c. Public Works Report – Dennis Hudson

d. City Administrator Report – Bob Burns

10. Review/Approve Employee Health Insurance

11. Review/Approve Ordinance for General Election

**12. Review Ordinance for Additional Street Bonds for February 2023
Election**

13. Park Construction Update

14. Public Participation

15. Mayor Comments

16. Aldermen Comments

17. Adjourn

Bob Burns, City Administrator

Posted November 10, 2022

BILL NO. _____

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE CALLING FOR A GENERAL ELECTION FOR THE CITY OF LATHROP, MISSOURI TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY APRIL 4, 2023 FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE VOTERS, CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR FOR A TERM OF TWO YEARS, ONE ALDERMAN FROM WARD I (SOUTH WARD) FOR A TERM OF TWO YEARS, AND ONE ALDERMAN FROM WARD II (NORTH WARD) FOR A TERM OF TWO YEARS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF LATHROP, MISSOURI AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That the general election of the City of Lathrop, Missouri shall be held on April 4, 2023 for the purpose of submitting to the voters of the city candidates for Mayor for the term of two years, one Alderman from Ward I (South Ward) for a term of two years, and one Alderman from Ward II (North Ward) for a term of two years.

Section 2. That the General Election will be held at the following place in said City: Polling place for Ward I and Ward II, Goppert Community Center, 406 Elm Street, Lathrop, MO.

Said election will be held and the polling place for same will be open between the hours of 6:00 o'clock in the morning and 7:00 o'clock in the evening.

Section 3. The Clerk of the City of Lathrop, Missouri is responsible for filing Notice of General Election by causing to be published in The Clinton County Leader, a newspaper printed, published and in general circulation in the City of Lathrop, Missouri, a Notice of General Election in the following form, to-wit:

Notice of City Election

In accordance with the Missouri Comprehensive Election Act of 1977, and pursuant to the provisions of Chapters 70.010, et seq., and 130.010 et seq., Revised Statutes of Missouri, I hereby give notice that the General Election for the City of Lathrop will be held on Tuesday, April 4, 2023, for the purpose of electing the following city officials:

Mayor for the term of two years.

One Alderman from Ward I (South Ward) for a term of two years.

One Alderman from Ward II (North Ward) for a term of two years.

Polling place for Ward I and Ward II, Goppert Community Center, 406 Elm Street. Polls will be open from 6:00 AM until 7:00 PM.

All candidates shall file with the City Clerk beginning December 6, 2022, 8:00 AM and ending December 27, 2022. Hours to file are 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday. All qualified electors of the City of Lathrop shall be entitled to vote at said election.

SUSIE FREECE, CITY CLERK

Section 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage by the Board of Alderman of the City of Lathrop, Missouri.

READ TWO TIMES and passed by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Lathrop, Missouri, this 15th day of November, 2022.

Jennifer Morrison, Mayor

ATTEST:

Susie Freece, City Clerk

BILL NO. _____

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE CALLING FOR THE ELECTION FOR THE CITY OF LATHROP, MISSOURI TO BE HELD ON THE FIRST TUESDAY IN FEBRUARY 2023 FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE VOTERS A GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND QUESTION FOR A STREET IMPROVEMENT PROJECT.

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen desires to take the necessary steps to improve the streets in the City of Lathrop.

WHEREAS, the method chosen to finance such project is a General Obligation Bond requiring a vote of the residents of Lathrop, Missouri.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF LATHROP, MISSOURI AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen finds it necessary and hereby declares its intent to borrow \$3,509,000.00 for the purpose of a street improvement project in the City of Lathrop and to evidence such borrowing by the issuance of general obligation bonds of the City in the amount of \$3,509,000.00.

Section 2. That the election for the City of Lathrop, Missouri shall be held on February 7, 2023 for the purpose of submitting to the voters of the City a General Obligation Bond Question.

Section 3. That the Election will be held at the following place in said City: Polling place for Ward I and Ward II, Goppert Community Center, 406 Elm Street, Lathrop, MO.

Said election will be held and the polling places for same will be open between the hours of 6:00 o'clock in the morning and 7:00 o'clock in the evening.

Section 4. The Board of Alderman hereby give notice that the Bond Election for the City of Lathrop will be held on Tuesday, February 7, 2023, and will include a General Obligation Bond Issue for the purpose of street improvements consisting of upgrading street drainage, street repairs and re-paving of selected streets.

Polling place for Ward I and Ward II, Goppert Community Center, 406 Elm Street. Polls will be open from 6:00 AM until 7:00 PM.

The ballot of submission shall contain substantially the following language:

Ballot Question

Shall the City of Lathrop, Missouri, issue general obligation bonds in the amount of \$3,509,000.00 for the purpose of improving the streets in said city?

() Agree

() Disagree

The approval of the Bonds will authorize a levy to be collected annually in addition to the other taxes provided for by law on all taxable tangible property, real and personal, within the territorial limits of the City sufficient to pay the interest and principal of the Bonds as they fall due and to retire the same within ten years from the date thereof.

Section 5. The City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to notify the Clerk of Clinton County, Missouri, of the passage of this Ordinance no later than 4:30 PM on Tuesday, November 22, 2022, and to include in said notification all of the terms and provisions required by Chapter 115, RSMo, as amended.

Section 6. The City expects to incur expenditures on or after the date of passage of this Ordinance in connection with such Project, and the City intends to reimburse itself for such expenditures with the proceeds of the Bonds.

Section 7. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage by the Board of Alderman of the City of Lathrop, Missouri.

READ TWO TIMES and passed by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Lathrop, Missouri, this 15th day of November 2022.

APPROVED:

Jennifer Morrison, Mayor

ATTEST:

Susie Freece, City Clerk