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## CITY OF MONROE

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### RECALL ELECTION CONCERNING CITY COUNCILOR LONNIE KOROUGH

**QUESTION:** "Shall the City of Monroe Recall Councilor Lonnie Koroush?"

**EXPLANATION:** If you vote YES for the recall of this Councilor, he will no longer be on the Monroe City Council. If you vote NO against the recall of this Councilor, he will remain on the Monroe City Council.

**STATEMENT FURNISHED BY RECALL COMMITTEE:**

We citizens of the City of Monroe demand a recall of Councilor Lonnie Koroush because he:

- 1.) continually conducts council business outside the general meetings without the authority to do so and voices personal views that do not reflect the majority of the council.
- 2.) has made unwarranted accusations against the Monroe Fire Department.
- 3.) has falsely claimed to have procured council member votes to terminate the franchise of the Monroe Telephone Company.
- 4.) has attempted to intimidate other councilors to miss council meetings to insure the lack of a quorum.
- 5.) refused to consider the citizens of Monroe and represents only himself at meetings by:
  - a. voting against the Benton County Sheriff's contract with no alternative offered for our police protection.
  - b. going on record (in the press) as opposed to franchises and wants to end the agreement of the Monroe Telephone Company. Again, with no alternative plan to provide phone, cable and internet service for the people of Monroe.
  - c. insisting (in the press) that the Monroe Fire Department PAY for water used outside the city limits.

**STATEMENT FURNISHED BY LONNIE KOROUGH:**

I as a Citizen of Monroe can ask questions about the City, Telephone Company and the Fire Dept.

The Mayor is the major problem with our City. He has got rid of two other City Recorders and now wants to fire the present Recorder just because he doesn't jump over and play dead for him. I also don't like it when a committee is trying to have the Recorder fired just because the Mayor's daughter was laid off.

The Mayor has tried to run the City with an Iron Fist with the help of others. The new Council is not going to let that happen.

I as a Councilor can vote on any Motion the way I see, for the good of Monroe. Without any other councilor or committee threats.

I as a Councilor voted against the Water Rate increase which was backed by the Mayor.

I voted yes to cut back on Staff at City Hall to save \$43,000 yearly. I voted yes to cancel DCS contact with the city with a savings of \$54,000 yearly. A Vote NO on Recall for Monroe