

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT FOR BENTON COUNTY VOTERS' PAMPHLET

☐ Primary Election MM/DD/YYYY ☐ General Election MM/DD/YYYY ☐ Special Election MM/DD/YYYY

☐ Original Statement ☐ Amended Statement

Measure Number	District Submitting Statement
<p>Total Words: _____ This Statement must not exceed 500 words.</p> <p>Printed Name: _____ Signature: _____</p> <p>Title: _____ Date: _____</p>	

Filing Instructions

1. An Explanatory Statement is **required** to be submitted when a County Voter's Pamphlet is printed for the Election.
2. The person responsible for the content of the statement shall print and sign their name. Include title and name of the governing body represented.
3. Filing deadline is the same filing deadline as the Notice of Measure Election.
4. E-mail an electronic text of the explanatory statement to **elections@bentoncountyor.gov**. The electronic version must mirror the submitted file print copy. If they are different, the hard copy version will take precedence.

Requirements

1. It must be an impartial, simple, and understandable statement explaining the measure and its effect.
2. Typewritten on 8 1/2" X 11" white paper in Tahoma size 12 and attached to this form.
3. The maximum word count is 500 words/numbers. If the statement exceeds the word limit, the Elections Office will end the statement at 500 words.
4. Consist of words and numbers only. Charts, graphics or photographs are not acceptable.
5. If a word is hyphenated and is listed in a dictionary as one word, it will count as one word. All other hyphenated words will count as more than one word.

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