**EXPLANATORY STATEMENT FOR COUNTY VOTERS’ PAMPHLET (2017)**

Ballot Title Caption:

Measure Number: Word Total (500 Maximum):

**(Explanatory Statement Shall Be Typed)**

Person responsible for the content of the Explanatory Statement:

(Typed)

(Signed) **X**

Name of the Governing Body the person represents.

**Instructions**

1. **The Explanatory Statement shall be typed. The text of the Explanatory Statement will be printed as submitted**.

2. The word total shall not exceed 500 words.

3. The Explanatory Statement shall be signed by the person responsible for the content of the statement and include the name of the governing body that person represents.

4. The Explanatory Statement shall be filed with the County Clerk of the county in which the administrative office of the electoral district is located.

5. The Explanatory Statement **shall be filed by 5:00 p.m.** on the filing deadline for the notice of measure as shown in the table below.

6. The text of the Explanatory Statement may be submitted on a separate piece of paper with the top and bottom of the Explanatory Statement form completed, and both signed and dated. Indicate on the form in the area designated for the typed text “See Attached”. **Both the form and attachment must be signed and dated.**

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| **ELECTION:** | **March 14, 2017** | **May 16, 2017** | **September 19, 2017** | **November 7, 2017** |
| Deadline: | January 12, 2017 | March 16, 2017 | July 20, 2017 | September 7, 2017 |

Return this completed form to: Nancy Blankenship

Deschutes County Clerk

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Also, submit explanatory text via email to: nancyb@deschutes.org