

Bill No. 754

Ordinance Number 754

AN ORDINANCE IMPOSING A SALES TAX OF ONE-HALF OF ONE PERCENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING PARKS AND STORMWATER CONTROL AND CALLING AN ELECTION TO APPROVE SUCH TAX TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 2016:

WHEREAS, Section 644.032 RS Mo. authorizes all municipalities within the State of Missouri to impose by ordinance following voter approval a sales tax not to exceed one-half of one percent for the purposes of funding local parks and stormwater control;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF UPLANDS PARK, MISSOURI AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE:

There is hereby established a sales tax of one-half of one percent on all retail sales made in the Village of Uplands Park, Missouri which are subject to taxation under the provision of Sections 144.010 to 144.525 RSMo. For the purposes of funding local parks and stormwater control as authorized under Section 94.577, RSMo.

SECTION TWO:

Said sales tax shall become effective upon approval thereof by a majority of the votes cast on the proposal by the qualified voters of the City voting thereon.

SECTION THREE:

An election is hereby called and ordered to be held on the 8th day of November, 2016, within the Village of Uplands Park, Missouri for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the Village of Uplands Park, Missouri, a proposal to approve the imposition of the tax established by this Ordinance, which proposition shall be submitted in the following form:

PROPOSITION ONE

Shall the Village of Uplands Park impose a sales tax of one half of one percent for the purpose of funding for local parks and stormwater control for the Village of Uplands Park?

YES ()

NO ()

If you are in favor of the question, place an "X" in the box opposite "Yes". If you are opposed to the question, place an "X" in the box opposite "No".

SECTION FOUR:

The Village Attorney shall prepare and cause to be forwarded to the Board of Election Commissioners of St. Louis County, Missouri, a Notice of Election in compliance with this ordinance and take such other steps as may be required so that an election may be lawfully conducted.

SECTION FIVE:

The Board of Election Commissioners of St. Louis County shall conduct such election according to the law and certify the results thereof. Said Board of Election Commissioners shall designate such polling places as shall be required for said election and shall appoint such necessary election officials as may be required for the conduct thereof. Said Board of Election Commissioners shall also publish such notice of said election as shall be required by law and shall do and perform such other necessary acts as may be required to conduct such election in accordance with the statutes of the State of Missouri and the ordinances of the Village of Uplands Park, Missouri.

SECTION SIX:

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect both from and after its passage and approval by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Uplands Park, Missouri.

This Bill was passed and approved this 24th day of August, 2016, by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Uplands Park, Missouri having been read by title or in full two times prior to passage.



B.W. Shelton
Chairman

ATTEST:



Izora Liggins
Village Clerk