

BILL NO. 2017-04-19-3

ORDINANCE NO. 2017-04-18-3

**An Ordinance Setting An Election November 7, 2017, For The Qualified Voters Of The Village of Loch Lloyd, Missouri, To Decide Whether To Forego Annual Municipal Elections For Six Years If The Number Of Candidates Filing Equal The Number Of Seats Up For Election In Accordance With Section 115.124 RSMo.**

WHEREAS, Section 115.124 RSMo. applies to any city, town, or village with a population of one thousand or less, and it provides that the governing body may pass an ordinance calling an election for the qualified voters to decide whether to forego annual municipal elections for six years if the number of candidates filing equal the number of seats up for election in accordance with Section 115.124 RSMo.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF LOCH LLOYD, MISSOURI, as follows:

Section 1. An election is hereby ordered to be held in the Village of Loch Lloyd, Missouri, on Tuesday, November 7, 2017, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the Village the following proposition:

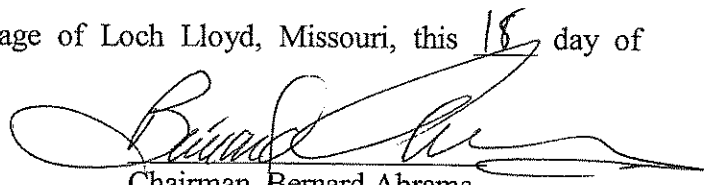
**Shall the Village of Loch Lloyd, Missouri be authorized to forgo annual elections if the number of candidates who have filed for a particular office is equal to the number of positions in the office to be filled by the election?**

Section 2. If the majority of the votes cast by the qualified voters are in favor of the question, then the municipality shall conduct its municipal elections for the following six years immediately thereafter in accordance with Section 115.124, RSMo. At the end of such six-year period, it shall be prohibited from conducting elections in such a manner unless another election is held and the issue is again approved by the majority of the qualified voters.


Section 3. If no election is held for such office as provided in this section the election authority shall publish a notice containing the names of the candidates that shall assume the responsibilities of office under this section. Such notice shall be published in at least one newspaper of general circulation as defined in Section 493.050 RSMo by the first of the month in which the election would have occurred, had it been contested.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval, subject to voter approval as herein above set forth.

PASSED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Loch Lloyd, Missouri, this 18 day of April, 2017.

  
Chairman Bernard Abrams

ATTEST:

  
Village Clerk Wayne Little