

**CITY OF STRUTHERS**  
**Resolution**

**NO. 21-049**

***A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE BALLOT LANGUAGE  
FROM THE BOARD OF ELECTIONS FOR SUBMITTING  
TO THE CITY ELECTORS THE QUESTION OF WHETHER  
THE TERMS OF OFFICE OF THE MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL  
SHOULD BE CHANGED FROM TWO TO FOUR YEARS,  
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.***

**WHEREAS**, on June 23, 2021, Council passed Resolution No. 21-043 indicating Council's desires and determination to proceed with the submission to the city electors of the question of whether the terms of office of the members of City Council should be changed from two to four years at the election to be held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November, 2021;

**WHEREAS**, Council further directed the Clerk of Council to certify a copy of Resolution No. 21-043 to the Board of Elections of Mahoning County, Ohio not less than ninety (90) days before said election; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Elections submitted to Council the proposed ballot language attached hereto as Exhibit A.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by Council for the City of Struthers, Ohio,  $\frac{3}{4}$ 's of all members elected thereto concurring, that:

**SECTION 1:** Council approves the proposed ballot language attached hereto as Exhibit A. The Clerk of Council is directed to certify a copy of this Resolution to the Board of Elections of Mahoning County, Ohio.

**SECTION 2:** It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in those formal actions were in meetings open in the public, in compliance with law.

**SECTION 3:** A delay in the effective date of this Resolution will result in detriment to the economic health, safety and welfare of the Struthers community at large. Accordingly, this resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of public peace, health, safety and welfare of the City and shall therefore be in full force and effect from and immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED IN COUNCIL THIS 8<sup>th</sup> DAY OF September, 2021.

Megan R. Shorthouse  
CLERK OF COUNCIL

Michael S. Patrick  
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

FILED WITH THE MAYOR THIS 8<sup>th</sup> DAY OF September, 2021.

Megan R. Shorthouse  
CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR THIS 8<sup>th</sup> DAY OF September, 2021.

Catherine Cercone Miller  
MAYOR

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Megan R. Shorthouse  
CLERK OF COUNCIL