Notice of Measure Election

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County

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Notice			
Date of Notice	Name of County or Counties		Date of Election
August 4, 2016	Multnomah County		November 8, 2016
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Caption 10 words which reason	nably identifies the subject of the meas	sure.	
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Question 20 words which plain	nly phrases the chief purpose of the me	easure.	a-
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Summary 175 words which concisely and impartially summarizes the measure and its major effect.			
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Explanatory Statement 500) words that impartially explains the m	easure and its effect.	
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→ any initiative or referendum	n, if required by local ordinance.	explanatory Statement Attach	ieu: 🖂 res 🗀 ivo
Authorized County Official	Not required to be notarized.		
Name		Title	
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By signing this document:			
	horized by the county to submit th	is Notice of Measure Election; an	d
	pt of ballot title has been publishe	d and the ballot title challenge pro	ocess for this measure
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BALLOT MEASURE B BALLOT TITLE COMMISSIONERS RUNNING FOR CHAIR MIDTERM

Caption:

Amends charter, commissioners may run for Chair midterm without resigning.

Question:

Should charter be amended to allow commissioners to run for Chair mid-term without resigning their current elected office?

Summary:

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