

1 **BOARD BILL #201 INTRODUCED BY ALDERMAN JOSEPH RODDY**

2 An ordinance submitting to the qualified voters residing in the Central West End Southeast
3 Special Business District, as established in Ordinance No. 63780, approved May 31, 1996,
4 amended in Ordinance No. 64550, approved January 15, 1999, and amended in Ordinance No.
5 68236, approved January 16, 2009, a proposal to extend the levy of a tax on the real property
6 located in said district for an additional ten years and increasing the amount of such tax to an
7 amount not to exceed \$0.85 per \$100 assessed valuation; submitting said proposal to the voters
8 of said district at the General Election on April 2, 2019; and containing an emergency clause.

9 **BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS AS FOLLOWS:**

10 **SECTION ONE.** The following proposition is hereby submitted to the qualified voters residing
11 in the Central West End Southeast Special Business District, as established in Ordinance 63780,
12 approved May 31, 1996, amended in Ordinance 64550, approved January 15, 1999, and amended
13 in Ordinance 68236, approved January 16, 2009, and shall be voted upon at the election to be
14 held as hereinafter provided. The proposition shall read in words and figures as follows:

15 Shall the Central West End Southeast Special Business District, as established in
16 Ordinance 63780, approved on May 31, 1996, amended in Ordinance 64550, approved
17 January 15, 1999, and amended in Ordinance 68236, approved on January 16, 2009, be
18 authorized to impose a tax not to exceed \$.85 per \$100.00 valuation for the tax years 2019, 2020,
19 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027 and 2028 on all real property located in the
20 aforementioned Central West End Southeast Special Business District?

21 YES

22 NO

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1 **SECTION TWO.** The foregoing proposition shall be submitted to qualified voters residing in
2 the Central West End Southeast Special Business District at the City-wide election to be held on
3 Tuesday, April 2, 2019. If the proposition shall receive in its favor the votes of the majority of
4 the qualified voters voting at said election for or against said proposition, the tax as set forth
5 within said proposition shall be authorized and adopted and become part of the laws of the City
6 of St. Louis from the date of said election. The qualified voters may, at such election, vote a
7 ballot substantially in the following form:

8 **OFFICIAL BALLOT**

9 (Check one for which you wish to vote)

10 Shall the Central West End Southeast Special Business District, as established in
11 Ordinance No. 63780, approved on May 31, 1996, amended in Ordinance No. 64550, approved
12 on January 15, 1999, and amended in Ordinance 68236, approved on January 16, 2009, be
13 authorized to impose a tax not to exceed \$.85 per \$100.00 valuation for the tax years 2019, 2020,
14 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027 and 2028 on all real property located in the
15 aforementioned Central West End Southeast Special Business District for the purposes set forth
16 in such ordinance as amended and restated to include cleaning, landscaping and maintenance,
17 security and public safety, purchase and installation of public infrastructure, public
18 transportation, administration, and contingency fund for such categories?

19 YES

20 NO

21 **SECTION THREE.** Notice of the election on such proposition shall be published and said
22 election shall be conducted in the manner provided by law.

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1 **SECTION FOUR.** Immediately upon the passage and approval of this Ordinance, the City
2 Register shall certify a copy thereof to the Board of Election Commissioners for the City of
3 St. Louis for actions and proceedings by said Board in accordance herewith and as required by
4 law.

5 **SECTION FIVE:** This being an ordinance calling and providing for an election and vote by the
6 people and fixing a tax rate, it is declared to be an emergency measure as defined by Article IV,
7 Sections 19 and 20 of the Charter of the City of St. Louis and shall take effect and be in force
8 from and after its adoption and approval by the Mayor.