



RESOLUTION

DECLARING A MUNICIPAL SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL A VACANCY ON THE CITY BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS, ESTABLISHING THE TIME PERIOD FOR FILING NOMINATION PETITIONS, ESTABLISHING POLLING TIMES AND ISSUING PRECEPTS TO THE SELECTMEN OF THE CITY WARDS

CITY OF NASHUA

In the Year Two Thousand and Fifteen

WHEREAS, a vacancy exists on the City of Nashua Board of Public Works;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Nashua that a Municipal Special Election for the purposes of electing a member to fill said vacancy on the Board of Public Works be held on September 8, 2015; and

FURTHER RESOLVED that petitions and acceptances of nominations for said vacancy on the Board of Public Works shall be presented to the City Clerk from July 30, 2015 at 8:00 a.m. through August 7, 2015 at 5:00 p.m.; and

FURTHER RESOLVED that the polls for the Municipal Special Election on September 8, 2015 shall be open between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. and precepts shall be issued to the selectmen of the city wards directing them to issue their warrants calling meetings of the voters in their wards.

LEGISLATIVE YEAR 2015

RESOLUTION: R-15-149

PURPOSE: Declaring a municipal special election to fill a vacancy on the City Board of Public Works, establishing the time period for filing nomination petitions, establishing polling times and issuing precepts to the selectmen of the city wards

SPONSOR(S): Mayor Donnalee Lozeau

**COMMITTEE
ASSIGNMENT:**

FISCAL NOTE: Since the special election would be held in conjunction with the Mayoral Primary Election, the only additional cost that would be incurred to conduct the special election on that date would be for ballot coding for this race and its candidates, an approximate amount of \$100.

ANALYSIS

This resolution sets the date of the necessary municipal special election to fill a vacancy on the City of Nashua Board of Public Works, establishes polling times, schedules the filing period, and issues precepts to the selectmen of the city wards. A special election is required to fill a vacancy on the Board of Public Works if more than six (6) months remain in the unexpired term. City of Nashua Charter § 59. The vacancy occurred May 6, 2015, and the term to be filled does not expire until December 31, 2105.

The special election must be held on a date determined by the board of aldermen which shall not be earlier than forty (40) days and not later than one hundred eighty (180) days after the vacancy occurs. The 180th day will be November 2, 2015, and the municipal general election will be held on November 4, 2015.

Approved as to form: Office of Corporation Counsel

By:

Donnalee Lozeau

Date:

June 16, 2015