

**CERTIFICATE OF CANDIDATES  
FOR THE GENERAL ELECTION  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2024**

I, Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of the County Legislature, within and for the County of Jackson, hereby certify that the persons listed below were duly nominated as candidates of the Republican party, Democratic party and Libertarian party, as shown by the Primary Election returns on file in my office, held August 6, 2024. Said candidates are entitled to be elected to the offices herein named at the General Election to be held November 5, 2024. The polls will be open between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

**REPUBLICAN PARTY CANDIDATES:**

For Sheriff – Jackson County

No Candidate Filed

For Prosecuting Attorney – Jackson County

Tracey Chappell

**DEMOCRATIC PARTY CANDIDATES:**

For Sheriff – Jackson County

Darryl Forte

For Prosecuting Attorney – Jackson County

Melesa Johnson

**LIBERTARIAN PARTY CANDIDATES:**

For Sheriff – Jackson County

No Candidate Filed

For Prosecuting Attorney – Jackson County

No Candidate Filed

STATE OF MISSOURI }  
COUNTY OF JACKSON } SS

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said County, at my office in Kansas City, Missouri, this 27<sup>th</sup> day of August 2024.



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Mary Jo Spino  
Clerk of the County Legislature  
Jackson County, Missouri



**GENERAL ELECTION  
JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2024**

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Jackson County, Missouri, that the County Legislature has called a general election, pursuant to the Floor Amendment for Ordinance #5876 dated August 26, 2024, to be held in said County on Tuesday, November 5, 2024 between the hours of 6:00 A.M. and 7:00 P.M. on the following question:

**JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI  
QUESTION # 1  
GENERAL ELECTION  
NOVEMBER 5, 2024  
OFFICIAL BALLOT**

Shall Jackson County, Missouri, levy a tax of five (5) cents per each one hundred (100) dollars assessed valuation for the purpose of providing services to persons sixty years of age or older?

YES

NO

**INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS:** If you are in favor of the question, completely darken the oval beside the word "Yes." If you are opposed to the question, completely darken the oval beside the word "No."

(Full text of the Ordinance authorizing submission of the above question is attached.)

STATE OF MISSOURI

COUNTY OF JACKSON



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I, Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of the County Legislature within and for the County of Jackson, do hereby certify that the foregoing is the Official Ballot for Question #1, as provided in the Floor Amendment for Ordinance #5876 dated August 26, 2024.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said County, at my office in Kansas City, Missouri this 27th day of August 2024.

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Mary Jo Spino  
Clerk of the County Legislature  
Jackson County, Missouri



**IN THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI**

**AN ORDINANCE** submitting to the qualified voters of Jackson County, Missouri at the general election to be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2024, a question authorizing Jackson County to levy a countywide tax at the rate of five cents per each one hundred dollars of assessed valuation, for the purpose of providing services to persons sixty years of age or older, with an effective date.

**ORDINANCE NO. 5876**, August 19, 2024

**INTRODUCED BY** Jalen Anderson and Donna Peyton, County Legislators

WHEREAS, Mo. Rev. Stat. §67.990 *et seq.*, authorize the County to levy and collect a countywide *ad valorem* property tax, not to exceed five cents per each one hundred dollars of assessed valuation, for the purpose of providing services to persons sixty years of age or older; and,

WHEREAS, if authorized by the qualified voters of the County at the general election to be held Tuesday, November 5, 2024, the proceeds of the tax would be deposited in a special "Senior Citizens' Services Fund," established within the County treasury, and administrated and managed by a seven-member board of directors appointed by the County's governing body, which shall represent, as nearly as practicable, the various groups to be served by the board, and in accordance with a budget approved by the County's governing body; and,

WHEREAS, monies in the Senior Citizens' Services Fund would be available to provide programs which will improve the health, nutrition, and quality of life of persons who are sixty years of age or older, and could be allocated for operational and capital needs to senior-related programs in the County; and,

WHEREAS, the submission of a question to the voters to authorize this tax is in the best interests of the health, welfare, and safety of the citizens of Jackson County; now therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED that if the ballot passes the County ensures diversity and equity of ALL types including geographically be prioritized by the Executive through appointment of the Board of Governors; and,

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all funding must be equally distributed, geographically across all six County sub-districts for organizations to either be directly located within or provide services within said districts; and,

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the County Legislature of Jackson County, Missouri, as follows:

Section 1. Subject to the approval of the voters of Jackson County, Missouri at the general election to be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2024, the levy of an *ad valorem* property tax at the rate of five cents per each one hundred dollars of assessed valuation, is hereby authorized within and for Jackson County, Missouri.

Section 2. Pursuant to the provisions of Mo. Rev. Stat. §67.990 *et seq*, there is hereby submitted to the qualified voters of Jackson County, Missouri, at the general election to be held on Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024, a question authorizing the levy of an *ad valorem* property tax at the rate of five (5) cents per each one hundred (100) dollars of assessed valuation for the purpose of providing services to persons sixty years of age or older.

Section 3. The qualified voters at said election shall vote by ballot and the ballots to be used at said election shall contain the following language:

**JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI**

**QUESTION #1**

**GENERAL ELECTION**

**NOVEMBER 5, 2024**

**OFFICIAL BALLOT**

Shall Jackson County, Missouri, levy a tax of five (5) cents per each one hundred (100) dollars assessed valuation for the purpose of providing services to persons sixty years of age or older?

YES

NO

If you are in favor of the question, place an "x" in the box opposite "Yes." If you are opposed to the question, place an "x" in the box opposite "No."

Section 4. This Ordinance shall become effective upon approval of the question submitted by the voters of Jackson County at the general election on November 5, 2024.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be published as required by law.

Section 6. The Clerk of the Legislature is hereby authorized and directed to notify the Jackson County Board of Election Commissioners and the Kansas City Board of Election Commissioners of the adoption of this Ordinance no later than August 27, 2024 by 5:00 p.m., and to include in said notification all the terms and provisions required by Mo. Rev. Stat. §115.12.



Effective Date: This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon its signature by the County Executive and pursuant to the effective date indicated herein.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bryan Covinsky

Bryan Covinsky (Aug 15, 2024 11:21 CDT)

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County Counselor

I hereby certify that the attached ordinance, Ordinance No. 5876 introduced on August 19, 2024, was duly passed on August 26, 2024 by the Jackson County Legislature. The votes thereon were as follows:

Yeas 8

Nays 0

Abstaining 0

Absent 1

This Ordinance is hereby transmitted to the County Executive for his signature.

8/26/2024  
Date

Mary Jo Spino  
Mary Jo Spino, Clerk of Legislature

I hereby approve the attached Ordinance No. 5876.

8/27/2024  
Date

Frank White, Jr.  
Frank White, Jr., County Executive