

## **BILL NO. 26-007**

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AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR AN ELECTION OF MUNICIPAL OFFICERS BY VOTERS IN THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI, AT THE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON APRIL 7, 2026, AND PROVIDING THAT NOTICE OF SAID ELECTION BE GIVEN.

WHEREAS, a general election of municipal officers is held the first Tuesday in the month of April, as established by the State of Missouri; and,

WHEREAS, the Charter passed by the voters of said city on April 2, 1996, provides that candidates elected to fill offices with expiring terms shall serve four-year terms.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI, as follows:

SECTION 1. That an election shall be held within the city of Lee's Summit on April 7, 2026, in conformity with Section 9.1 and Section 16.2 of the Charter for the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri. At said election, there shall be one candidate elected for the following positions:

Mayor for a term of four (4) years:

Cynda Rader  
Beto Lopez

A Member of City Council from District 1 for a Term of Four (4) years:

Mia Prier

A Member of City Council from District 2 for a Term of Four (4) years:

Shari Williams Frazier  
Will Kraus

A Member of City Council from District 3 for a Term of Four (4) years:

Dana Arth  
Melanie Adkins

A Member of City Council from District 4 for a Term of Four (4) years:

Donnie Funk  
Zak Al-Shawish

A Member of City Council from District 4 for a Term of Two (2) years:

Robert G. "Bob" Jones  
Scott Shepherd  
Nyauna Cravens

A Municipal Judge for Division I (Municipal Division No. 243 of the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit) of the City of Lee's Summit for a Term of Four (4) years:

Dana M. Altieri

SECTION 2. That at said election the qualified registered voters of the city shall vote at the polling places within the city, as designated by the Board of Election Commissioners of Jackson County, Missouri, and the Election Authority of Cass County, Missouri.

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SECTION 3. That the judges and clerks at said election shall be designated by the Board of Election Commissioners of Jackson County, Missouri, and the Election Authority of Cass County, Missouri.

SECTION 4. That the Board of Election Commissioners for Jackson County, Missouri, and the Election Authority for Cass County, Missouri, shall be provided a certified copy of this ordinance and are requested to conduct said election in the manner provided in the Statutes of the State of Missouri relating to Charter Cities.

SECTION 5. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6. That this ordinance calling an election is an emergency within the meaning of Section 3.13(f)(4) of the Charter of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri and shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and adoption, and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2026.

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Mayor *William A. Baird*

ATTEST:

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City Clerk *Trisha Fowler Arcuri*

APPROVED by the Mayor of said city this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2026.

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Mayor *William A. Baird*

ATTEST:

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City Clerk *Trisha Fowler Arcuri*

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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City Attorney *Brian W. Head*