

**CITY OF LIBERTY LAKE  
SPOKANE COUNTY, WASHINGTON  
RESOLUTION NO. 25-277**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF LIBERTY LAKE PROVIDING FOR  
SUBMISSION TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY A NONBINDING  
ADVISORY PROPOSITION CONCERNING THE FUNDING AND  
CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW COMMUNITY CENTER AND LIBRARY**

WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 29A.04.175, a local legislative body may conduct a special election in conjunction with a general election; and

WHEREAS, the City Council (“Council”) is considering various funding mechanisms for and construction of a new community center and library at Town Square Park located at Signal and Mission in the City of Liberty Lake; and

WHEREAS, the Council wishes to determine the will of the public on this issue by placing an advisory proposition on the November 4, 2025, election ballot presenting the question of whether the Council should approve the funding and construction of a new community center and library in the City of Liberty Lake; and

WHEREAS, the Council will consider the results of this advisory proposition when determining what action, if any, should be taken with regards to the funding and construction of a new community center and library in the City of Liberty Lake.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LIBERTY LAKE, WASHINGTON, as follows:

**Section 1.**     Findings. The Council finds that the interests of the City of Liberty Lake will be best served by placing before the voters an advisory proposition asking voters whether the City should fund and construct a new community center and library in the City of Liberty Lake.

**Section 2.**     Calling of Election. The Council requests that the Spokane County Elections Division call and conduct an election in the City of Liberty Lake, in the manner provided by law, to be held on November 4, 2025, for the purpose of submitting to the voters of the City an advisory proposition to advise the Council whether the City should fund and construct a new community center and library in the City of Liberty Lake. This vote is advisory only, and the Council will not be legally bound by its results but will carefully consider the results in making any decision regarding such funding and construction.

**Section 3.**     Ballot Proposition. The Mayor is authorized and directed to certify, no later than August 5, 2025, to the Spokane County Elections Division, a copy of this Resolution and the following advisory proposition to be submitted to the qualified voters at that election, in substantially the following form:

**CITY OF  
LIBERTY LAKE, WASHINGTON  
ADVISORY PROPOSITION 1  
FUNDING AND CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW  
COMMUNITY CENTER AND LIBRARY**

The Liberty Lake City Council is calling for an advisory election to consider whether to fund and construct a new community center and library in the City of Liberty Lake.

Should the City pursue the funding and construction of a new community center and library in the City of Liberty Lake?

YES             
NO             

For purposes of receiving notice of the exact language of the ballot proposition required by RCW 29A.36.080, the Council hereby designates the City Clerk as the individual to whom such notice should be provided. The City Clerk, in consultation with the City Attorney, is authorized to approve changes to the ballot title, if any, deemed necessary by the Director of Elections.

The City Clerk is authorized to make necessary clerical corrections to this Resolution including, but not limited to, the correction of scrivener's or clerical errors, references, resolution numbering, section/subsection numbers, and any reference thereto.

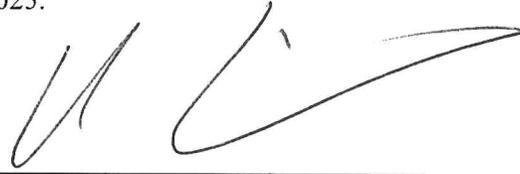
The proper City officials are authorized to perform such duties as are necessary or required by law to submit this advisory proposition to City of Liberty Lake voters at the November 4, 2025, election.

**Section 4.**    Voters' Pamphlet. The Council finds and declares it to be in the best interests of the City to have information regarding this advisory proposition included in local voters' pamphlets and authorizes the appropriate costs thereof to be charged to and paid by the City of Liberty Lake and further authorizes and directs the City Attorney and Finance Director to provide such information to the Spokane County Elections Division.

**Section 5.**    Severability. If any section, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Resolution should be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Resolution.

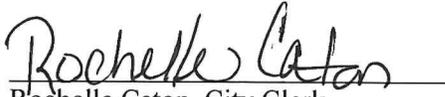
**Section 6.**    Effective Date. This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon passage by the City of Liberty Lake City Council.

ADOPTED this 4<sup>th</sup> day of August 2025.

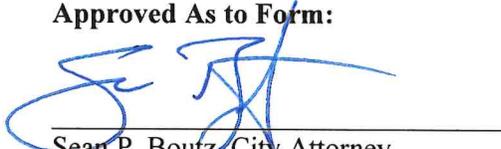


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Mayor Pro Tem Chris Cargill

Attest:

  
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Rochelle Caton, City Clerk

**Approved As to Form:**

  
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Sean P. Boutz, City Attorney