SAMPLE BALLOT
for the
CITY OF AUGUSTA
WARD 3
MUNICIPAL / REFERENDUM ELECTION
November 8, 2016

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

- To vote for a candidate of your choice, fill in the oval to the left, like this: ⬬.
- To vote for a write-in candidate, fill in the oval to the left of the write-in space and write in the person's name.
- To have your vote count, do not erase or cross out your choice.
- If you make a mistake, ask for a new ballot.

COUNCIL, AT-LARGE Vote for TWO	COUNCIL, WARD 3 Vote for ONE	BOARD OF EDUCATION, AT-LARGE Vote for ONE
○ **O'Brien, Mark S.** 12 Myrtle Street	○ **Elliott, Harold** 152 Northern Avenue	○ **Hastings, Edward P.** 10 Sewell Street
○ **Paulette, James A.** 31 Village Circle	○ **Jarody** 5 Washington Street Place	○ **Kiidli, Holly** 56 Longwood Avenue
○ **Wilson, Corey S.** 44 Kelton Road	○ **Koski, Stanley** 6 Townsend Street	○ .....Write-in
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SAMPLE BALLOT
for the
CITY OF AUGUSTA
ALL WARDS
MUNICIPAL / REFERENDUM ELECTION
November 8, 2016

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

- Fill in the oval next to your choice, like this: ⬬.
- To vote for the question, fill in the YES oval. To vote against the question, fill in the NO oval.
- To have your vote count, do not erase or cross out your choice.
- If you make a mistake, ask for a new ballot.

QUESTION 1

"Do you favor borrowing money as authorized by City Council Order No. 16-137 to provide an amount not to exceed $1,295,000 to pay costs of capital expenditures for the improvement of City streets, sidewalks and related facilities throughout the City? (Voter approval of the borrowed amount will not require an increase in City taxes, because the costs of repaying the borrowed amount will be paid from tax increment finance district (TIF) revenues.)"

○ YES

○ NO

QUESTION 2

"Do you favor borrowing money as authorized by City Council Order No.16–144 to provide an amount not to exceed $6,000,000 to pay costs of capital expenditures for the renovation and expansion of Hartford Fire Station? (Voter approval of the borrowed amount will not require an increase in City taxes, because the costs of repaying the borrowed amount will be paid from tax increment finance district (TIF) revenues.)"

○ YES

○ NO

TREASURER'S STATEMENT

A. Total City Indebtedness

I. Bond principal outstanding and unpaid:	$47,175,083.00
II. Bond principal authorized and unissued*:	$2,067,000.00
III. Bond principal to be issued if the question is approved (the "New Bonds"):	$7,295,000.00

* This authorized amount is expected to be issued (i.e. borrowed) after the referendum with respect to the New Bonds.

B. Costs

At an estimated maximum interest rate of 2.5% and with an estimated maximum term of ten (20) years, the estimated cost of the New Bonds will be:

Bond Principal:	$7,295,000.00
Estimated Cost of Interest:	$1,913,750.00
Total Estimated Debt Service:	$9,208,750.00
Estimated Annual Payment:	$460,437.50

It is expected that property taxes of the average residential homeowner (assessed valuation of $128,000) will be increased by $.00 annually in order to provide for payment of the "Estimated Annual Payment " set forth above.

C. Validity

The New Bonds will be valid if they are authorized by a majority of the voters voting at the referendum. The approval of the voters will not be affected by an error in any estimate provided in Paragraph B of this Statement.

Tracy Roy
Treasurer, City of Augusta

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