RESOLUTION NO. 08-12

WHEREAS, Section 71-3305 of the Nebraska Statutes requires any city with a population of one thousand or more to add fluoride to the city's water system; and

WHEREAS, Section 71-3305 allows the voters of a city to vote to adopt an ordinance before June 1, 2010, to prohibit the addition of fluoride to the city water system; and

WHEREAS, Section 71-3305 authorizes the governing body to place the ordinance to prohibit the addition of fluoride to the city water system on the ballot; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Friend, Nebraska, have determined that there is interest in determining whether fluoride should be added to the city's water system.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Friend, Nebraska:

Section 1. That at the general election to be held on Tuesday, November 4, 2008, the issue of whether the City of Friend, Nebraska, should adopt or reject an ordinance to prohibit the addition of fluoride to the City water system shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the City and to be presented in the following form:

Shall the City of Friend, Nebraska, adopt an ordinance to prohibit the addition of fluoride to the City's water system?

 FOR said ordinance
AGAINST said ordinance

Section 2. That the City Clerk is authorized and directed to certify a copy of this resolution to the election commissioner/county clerk by September 2, 2008. The City agrees to reimburse the election commissioner/county clerk for the expenses of conducting the election, as required by law.

All previous resolutions in conflict with this resolution are hereby revoked.

Councilmember Harlan Schrock moved, seconded by Councilmember Dale Lawver, that the resolution be adopted. Upon vote, the following Council members voted as follows: Aye: Dan Fricke, Dale Lawver, Harlan Schrock. Nay: none. Absent: Councilmember Dan Drake.

The Mayor declared the resolution adopted. Dated: August 19, 2008

THE CITY OF FRIEND, NEBRASKA

James W. Vossler, Mayor

END ATTEST:

Debbie Gilmer, City Clerk/Treasurer

CERTIFICATION

I, Debbie Gilmer, City Clerk/Treasurer of the City of Friend, Nebraska, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. 08-12 passed and approved by the Mayor and Council of the City of Friend, Nebraska on August 19, 2008.

Debbie Gilmer, City Clerk/Treasurer

Main Identity from City-clerk-pc

From:

"Mike Mullally" <mullallylaw@alltel.net>

To: Sent: "City of Friend" <cityoffriend@alltel.net>

Tuesday, August 19, 2008 10:09 AM

Attach:

fluoride notice.2008.pdf

Subject: flouride notice election

Debbie- Attached is a notice of election regarding the flouride issue. It appears that this would have to be both published and posted in 3 places within the city at least one time, 30 days or longer prior to the election. I'd recommend that you take care of both of these requirements as soon as you can, in order that these deadlines don't slip by.

I visited with Jim this morning and he indicated that I wouldn't need to attend the meeting tonight. I'll have my cell with me in case anything comes up. Thanks for sending me the agenda.

Mike

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NOTICE OF ELECTION CITY OF FRIEND, NEBRASKA COUNTY OF SALINE

Tuesday, November 4, 2008

Public Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the City of Friend, Nebraska, that an election has been called and will be held in said City on Tuesday November 4, 2008, at which time there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said City the following proposition:

"Shall the City of Friend, Nebraska, enact an ordinance to prohibit the addition of fluoride to the water supply of the City of Friend, Nebraska?"

- FOR said ordinance
- AGAINST said ordinance

Voters desiring to vote in favor of the question shall mark an "x" in the square preceding the words "FOR said ordinance".

Voters desiring to vote against the question shall mark an "x" in the square preceding the words "AGAINST said ordinance".

The polls will be open at 8 o'clock a.m. and will continue to be open until 8 o'clock p.m. on the same day and voting places as established for the general election to be held on November 4, 2008 in the City of Friend, Nebraska.

The voting places are accessible to individuals with physical mobility limitations.

Absentee voters' ballots and supplies can be obtained at the office of the Saline County Clerk, 215 S. Court, Wilber, Nebraska 68465, as provided by law.

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