RESOLUTION

DECLARING A MUNICIPAL SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL A VACANCY ON THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN ON MARCH 5, 2019, ESTABLISHING THE TIME PERIOD FOR FILING NOMINATION PetITIONS, ESTABLISHING POLLING TIMES AND ISSUING PRECEPTS TO THE SELECTMEN OF THE CITY WARDS

CITY OF NASHUA

In the Year Two Thousand and Eighteen

WHEREAS, a vacancy exists for Alderman-at-Large on the Board of Aldermen.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Nashua that a Municipal Special Election for the purpose of electing a member to fill said vacancy on the Board of Aldermen be held on March 5, 2019;

FURTHER RESOLVED that petitions and acceptances of nominations for said vacancy on the Board of Aldermen shall be presented to the City Clerk from January 24, 2019 at 8:00 a.m. through February 1, 2019 at 5:00 p.m.; and

FURTHER RESOLVED that the polls for the Municipal Special Election on March 5, 2019 shall be open between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. and precepts shall be issued to the selectmen of the city wards directing them to issue their warrants calling meetings of the voters in their wards.
LEGISLATIVE YEAR 2018

RESOLUTION: R-18-096

PURPOSE: Declaring a municipal special election to fill a vacancy on the Board of Aldermen on March 5, 2019, establishing the time period for filing nomination petitions, establishing polling times and issuing precepts to the selectmen of the city wards

ENDORSERS: Alderman-at-Large Lori Wilshire

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT:

FISCAL NOTE: The City Clerk estimates that the cost to conduct the Special Municipal Election will be approximately $36,320. This cost will be funded from multiple FY19 accounts in the City Clerk’s Department as well as a requested transfer from general contingency into those accounts.

ANALYSIS

This resolution sets the date, time period for nomination petitions and polling hours for a municipal special election required to fill the Alderman-at-Large vacancy on the Board of Aldermen and issues precepts to the selectmen of the city wards. The procedures for filing the vacancy are found in City Charter §44.

R-18-097, filed contemporaneously with this legislation, requests a transfer of $31,870 from general contingency for most of the necessary funding. The remaining funding is available in FY19 City Clerk Department accounts.

Approved as to form: Office of Corporation Counsel
By: Dwayne Clarke
Date: 5 December 2018