

Special Referendum Election

April 15, 2025

Lisbon High School Gym
7:00 AM until 8:00 PM

FAQ:

What will be on the ballot?

The Town of Lisbon will be holding a special election to vote on the following Council Order:

COUNCIL ORDER SUBMITTING AMENDMENT TO ORDER AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF LISBON TO ISSUE UP TO \$2,800,000 IN BONDS TO FINANCE THE RECONSTRUCTION OF A PORTION OF THE FERRY ROAD AND RELATED IMPROVEMENTS.

What does this mean?

In 2022, the residents of Lisbon voted in favor of allowing the Town to borrow money for road repairs and projects on and around Ferry Road. **The repairs and projects from 2022 didn't cost as much as we expected**, so the Town has remaining funds available. Because the Town can't spend the remaining funds without first gaining approval from the residents through a vote, **the Town is asking the residents to vote in favor of allowing the use of the remaining funds from 2022 to conduct additional repairs and projects on additional roads.**

What does a "Yes" vote mean, and will it directly increase my taxes?

A "yes" vote means voters will allow the Town to spend the remaining funds on additional road projects; and because the funds are already available, **voting yes will not increase your taxes.**

What does a "No" vote mean?

Because the terms of this federal government loan require that the borrowed funds are used within a specific time frame, voting "no" would mean that the town could not use the already available funds to conduct additional repairs and projects on roads, and would instead potentially have to pay additional costs to remain in compliance with the terms of this federal government loan.

Where can I get more information?

Members of the community can contact the Town Clerk or Town Manager with additional questions about this special referendum.

Contact:

Town Clerk: Alice Richards – 353-3000 Ext. 112 clerk@lisbonme.org

Town Manager: Glenn Michalowski – 353.3000 Ext. 104 townmanager@lisbonme.org

Thank you!