

CITY OF CARIBOU SAMPLE BALLOT MUNICIPAL CANDIDATE ELECTION NOVEMBER 2, 2021

Instructions to Voters

- ◆ To vote for 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.
- ◆ If you make a mistake, ask for a new ballot. Do not erase or cross out your choice.
- ◆ Eraser or cross out marks may invalidate your vote or result in your vote not counting properly.

COUNCILOR 3 Year Term Vote for no more than TWO	REGIONAL SCHOOL UNIT #39 3 Year Term Vote for no more than ONE	JEFFERSON CARY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL FUND 3 Year Term Vote for no more than ONE
<input type="radio"/> Ayer, Thomas E.	<input type="radio"/> Anderson, Betheny C.	<input type="radio"/> Hatch, Betty J.
<input type="radio"/> Kirkpatrick, Hugh A.	<input type="radio"/> Flannery, Andrea M.	<input type="radio"/>Write-in
<input type="radio"/> Martin, David A.	<input type="radio"/> Morrell, Kylee K.	TURN OVER TO CONTINUE VOTING
<input type="radio"/> Merchant, William M.	<input type="radio"/>Write-in	
<input type="radio"/> Morrill, John L.		
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**CITY OF CARIBOU
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REFERENDUM QUESTIONS
NOVEMBER 2, 2021**

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QUESTION 1

Ordinance No. 05, 2021 Series

Shall the municipality approve the charter amendment summarized below?

- YES
- NO

Amendment Summary

Amendment with two parts (A and B)

A. Caribou City Charter Section 2.01 Composition, Eligibility, Election and Terms paragraph b is amended as follows: (underlined text is added, stricken text is deleted)

(b) Councilor Eligibility. Each City Councilor must:

(1) Only Be qualified voters of the City,

(2) Not hold any other City Office or hold a position that has its wages based upon the City Council approved annual expense budget, and

(3) ,who are current for On or before December 31st of each year, sitting Councilors shall have all annual personal and real property taxes due to the city paid in full on or before December 31st of the previous year, shall be eligible to hold the office of Councilor. Councilors-elect shall have all personal and real property taxes due to the city paid in full prior to taking their oath of office. None of the above eligibility requirements shall be interpreted to preclude someone from running for public office.

B. Caribou City Charter Section 2.05 Prohibitions is amended as follows: (underlined text is added, stricken text is deleted)

~~(a) Holding other office. Except where authorized by law, no Councilor shall hold any other City Office or hold a position that has its salary determined by the City Council or its designee(s).~~

~~(ba)~~ Appointments and removals. Neither the Council nor any of its members shall in any manner dictate the appointment or removal of any city administrative officers or employees whom the Manager or any of his/her subordinates are empowered to appoint, but the Council may express its views and fully and freely discuss, with the Manager, anything pertaining to appointment and removal of such officers and employees.

~~(cb)~~ Interference with administration. Except for the purpose of inquiries and investigation under Section 2.08, the Council or its members shall deal with City officers and employees who are subject to the direction and supervision of the Manager, solely through the Manager, and neither the Council nor its members shall give orders to any such officer or employee, either publicly or privately.

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QUESTION 2

Ordinance No. 06, 2021 Series

Shall the municipality approve the charter amendment summarized below?

- Yes
- No

Amendment Summary

Amendment with three parts (A, B and C).

A. Caribou City Charter Section 2.04 General Powers and Duties is amended as follows:
(underlined text is added, stricken text is deleted)

All powers of the City shall be vested in the Council except as otherwise provided by law or this Charter and the Council shall provide for the exercise thereof and for the performance of all duties and obligations imposed on the City by law.

Councilors are expected to attend all regular council meetings, city budget workshop meetings, and meetings of councilor committees to which they have been assigned, unless excused by the council.

B. Caribou City Charter Section 2.06 Vacancies; Forfeiture of Office; filling of Vacancies paragraph (b)(4) is amended as follows: (underlined text is added, stricken text is deleted)

(4) fails to attend ~~three consecutive~~ 80% of regular meetings of the Council without being excused by the Council,

C. Caribou City Charter Section 2.06 Vacancies; Forfeiture of Office; filling of Vacancies paragraph (b)(7) is amended as follows: (underlined text is added, stricken text is deleted)

(7) fails to attend, in a calendar year, at least 80% of all budget workshop meetings and meetings of councilor committees to which they have been assigned, unless excused by the council. Community boards or meetings where a Councilor acts in a liaison role are excluded from this requirement.

QUESTION 3

Ordinance No. 07, 2021 Series

Shall the municipality approve the charter amendment summarized below?

- Yes
- No

Amendment Summary

Caribou City Charter Section 2.12 Ordinances in General paragraph (e) is amended as follows:
(underlined text is added, stricken text is deleted)

(e) "Publish" defined. As used in this section, the term "publish" means to provide notice of the ordinance ~~to print~~ in one or more newspapers of general circulation in the City, ~~in addition to be public notice is posted to the City's website, social media sources and public access station, and notice is posted in three public locations along with when available: (1) the ordinance or a brief summary thereof~~ the ordinance, and (2) the places where copies have been filed and the times when they are available for public inspection.

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QUESTION 4

Ordinance No. 08, 2021 Series

Shall the municipality approve the charter amendment summarized below?

- Yes
- No

Amendment Summary

Caribou City Charter Section 2.11 Actions Requiring an Ordinance, paragraphs (7) through (10) are amended as follows: (underlined text is added, stricken text is deleted)

~~(7) Convey or lease any lands owned by the City of Caribou except for tax-acquired property which shall be retained, sold or otherwise disposed of in accordance with any ordinance enacted by the City for retention or disposition of tax-acquired property.~~

~~(8)~~ Adopt with or without amendment ordinances proposed under the initiative power, and

~~(9)~~ Amend or repeal any ordinance previously adopted, except as otherwise provided in Article VIII with respect to repeal of ordinances reconsidered under the referendum power. Acts other than those referred to in the preceding sentence may be done either by ordinance or by resolution.

~~(10)~~ Changes in the personnel policy.

Ordinances are not required for the City Council to convey or lease lands. However, no real estate transaction, excepting those involving tax acquired properties, may be approved by the Council without first conducting a public hearing preceded by a seven [7] day public notice. Tax Acquired Property transactions shall be handled in accordance with the city's retention or disposition of tax acquired property ordinance.

QUESTION 5

Ordinance No. 14, 2021 Series

Shall the municipality approve the charter amendment summarized below?

- Yes
- No

Amendment Summary

Caribou City Charter Section 9.02 Prohibitions paragraph (a)(5) is amended as follows: (underlined text is added, stricken text is deleted)

(5) No city employee shall knowingly or willfully use city materials, equipment, or other city resources to make, solicit or receive any contribution to the campaign funds of any political party or committee to be used in a city election or to campaign funds to be used in support of or opposition to any candidate for election to city office or city ballot issued. Further, no city employee shall knowingly or willfully participate in any aspect of any political campaign on behalf of or opposition to any candidate for city public office during their assigned work hours. This section shall not be construed to prevent an employee from performing their regular duties under state FOAA guidelines, nor limit any person's right to exercise rights as a citizen to express opinions or to cast a vote nor shall it be construed to prohibit any person from active participation in political campaigns at any other level of government outside of work hours.

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