

PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY COUNCIL'S INTENT TO FILL CITY COUNCIL VACANCY BY APPOINTMENT AND RIGHT TO FILE PETITION FOR SPECIAL ELECTION

The resignation of William Koopman will create a vacancy on the City Council for his seat until the next regular city election on November 12, 2019. The City Council pursuant to §372.13 of the Iowa Code, intends to fill this vacancy by appointment until the next regular City election.

All persons interested in being appointed to this vacancy by the City Council are requested to submit via mail or personal delivery a statement of interest to the City Clerk at 120 S Main Street, P.O. Box 686, George, Iowa 51237 by 4:00 p.m. on January 4, 2019.

All interested persons are also requested to attend the City Council meeting on Thursday, January 10, 2019 at the council chambers located at 120 S Main Street, George, Iowa, at which time the City Council will take into consideration the matter of the appointment to fill this vacancy.

You are further notified that after the foregoing appointment has been made the electors of the City of George have the right to file a petition requiring that the vacancy be filled by special election. Since this notice is being published prior to the filling of the vacancy by appointment, any petition will need at least the number of signatures equal to fifteen (15) percent of the voters who voted for the candidate for the office of council member at the preceding regular election, or at least ten signatures, whichever is greater. If a petition requesting a special election is filed within fourteen (14) days after the appointment, the appointment is temporary and the City Council shall be required to call a special election.

If you have any questions, please contact the George City Clerk's office at 712-475-3612.