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Subject: Council Questions: Item 6: Bond Order

Council Question: Agenda Item #6 - Relating to the explanation of recommendations on p. 43 and the particular step of publishing the bond orders and notice of referendum twice ... by when must the bond orders be published and notice of the referendum given?

Staff Response: *The bond order and notice of referendum are typically published at the same time. The notice of referendum is the one that holds more time constraints. State statute 159-61 requires that the first publication shall not be less than 14 days and the second publication not less than seven days before the last day on which voters may register for the referendum (25 days prior to the election).*

Council question: Will we see AH bond referendum ballot question language before the May 23rd Council meeting? (I'd love to avoid word-smithing on the day)

Staff response: *The bond order and ballot question that were included in the material provided to Council are the Staff's and Bond Counsel's recommended version of these items. State Statute prescribes the language that we use for both these documents. The Town could choose to add additional information related to the projects that will be funded with the bonds, but neither staff nor bond counsel recommend adding language that is not required. Additional information can be provided in any education campaign the Council chooses to conduct in association with the bod referendum*