

CITY OF GLENWOOD

County Seat of Pope County

GLENWOOD, MINNESOTA 56334



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• Parks and Playgrounds

Glenwood, Minnesota
November 12, 1968

• Natural Beach on
Lake Minnewaska

Mr. Joseph L. Donovan
Secretary of State
State of Minnesota
St. Paul, Minn. 55101

• Skiing with Chalet,
Tow, Slalom Runs

Dear Sir;

• Beautiful 9-Hole,
Grass Green Golf Course

Pursuant to Section 410.11, Minnesota Statutes, an election was held in the City Of Glenwood, Minnesota on November 5, 1968 at which time amendments to the city charter submitted to the voters of this City. A copy of the proposed amendments, in Official Ballot form, is attached.

• City Planning Commission

• Nine Churches and
Progressive School System

CERTIFICATE

• Railroad Division Point

I, Donald L. Miller, the duly appointed, qualified and acting City Clerk of Glenwood, Minnesota, and the keeper of the records thereof, hereby certify that the attached official ballot is a true and correct copy of said ballot as the same is on file and of record in my office and the date of the election was November 5, 1968, with the following votes cast on each amendment:

• Choice Commercial and
Industrial Sites

• Excellent Residential
Building Sites

On Amendment No. 1	Yes	735	No	354
On Amendment No. 2	Yes	604	No	487
On Amendment No. 3	Yes	585	No	455
On Amendment No. 4	Yes	774	No	186
On Amendment No. 5	Yes	787	No	260

• Excellent Fishing
and Hunting

• A Modern,
Progressive City

IN WITNESS WHEREOF. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the said City this 12th day of November, 1968.

• Home of the Famed
Waterama Summer Carnival



SEAL

Donald L. Miller
Donald L. Miller
City Clerk

"Minnesota's Summer
and
Winter Playground"

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cc/ R. C. Hilde, Register of Deeds, Pope Co. Minn.

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BALLOT ON AMENDMENTS TO CITY CHARTER OF THE CITY OF GLENWOOD

GENERAL ELECTION NOV. 5, 1968

1. Shall Section 6 of Chapter 2 of the Charter of the City of Glenwood be amended to read as follows:

"The elective officers of the City shall be a Mayor, four Commissioners, and two Justice of the Peace, all of whom shall be elected from the City at large. The Mayor shall be elected in odd numbered years for a term of four years. Two Commissioners shall be elected biennially in odd numbered years for a term of four years, and two Justices of the Peace shall be elected biennially in odd numbered years for a term of two years.

The terms of all officers shall begin on the first Monday after the first Tuesday of January following the regular municipal election. All elective officers shall hold office until their successors are elected and have qualified."

(Explanation: The proposed change in the Charter is for the purpose of increasing the term of the Mayor of the City to four years from two years.)

YES

NO

2. Shall Section 11 of Chapter 2 of the Charter of the City of Glenwood be amended to read as follows:

"The Mayor shall receive an annual salary of Three hundred Dollars payable quarterly. The Commissioners shall each receive the sum of fifteen dollars for each meeting of the Commission at which such officer is in attendance throughout its entire session, payable quarterly, provided however, that no Commissioner shall receive in excess of One Hundred and Eighty Dollars in any one year. The other elective officers and all appointive officers and employees of the City shall receive such salaries or wages as may be fixed from time to time by resolution of the Commission."

(Explanation: The purpose is to increase the salary of the Mayor of the City to \$300.00 from \$100.00 and to increase the amount received by Commissioners for each meeting of the Commission at which a Commissioner is in attendance from \$5.00 to \$15.00 with the maximum amount payable to any one Commissioner in any one year to be \$180.00 instead of \$60.00.)

YES

NO

3. Shall Section 53 of Chapter 6 of the Charter of the City of Glenwood be amended to read as follows:

"In all cases of work to be done by contract, or of the purchase of personal property of any kind wherein the amount exceeds Two Thousand Dollars, unless the Commission by an emergency Ordinance otherwise provide, the Clerk shall advertise for bids in such manner as may be prescribed by the Commission. Contracts of this magnitude shall be let only to the lowest responsible bidder; provided that in the case of expenditure of surplus funds of the water and light department for extensions and expansion when such amount does not exceed five thousand dollars, no bids shall be required. Detailed regulations for the making of bids and the letting of contracts shall be provided by Ordinance, subject to the provisions and limitations of this Charter."

(Explanation: The purpose of this Amendment is to increase the amount which the Commission may purchase by contract for work or personal property without advertising and calling for bids from \$500.00 to \$2000.00 and to provide that the amount which may be expended from surplus funds of the water and light department for extensions and expansions shall be \$5000.00 instead of \$2000.00 without requirements of bids.)

YES

NO

4. Shall Section 76 of Chapter 8 of the Charter of the City of Glenwood be amended to read as follows:

"Under this charter no cost of the improvement of street intersections or improvements lying therein or thereupon shall be assessed upon benefited property, but the City shall pay such costs from taxes through the permanent improvement fund. The City shall pay costs of improvements opposite its own property to the extent as an individual."

(Explanation: The purpose of this Amendment is to provide that the City shall pay costs of improvements opposite its property to the same extent as any individual. There is no change as to costs of improvements on street intersections.)

YES

NO

5. Shall Section 65 of Chapter 7, Paragraph "G" of the Charter of the City of Glenwood be amended to read as follows:

"A library fund for which there shall be levied annually a sum not less than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) and not to exceed five (5) mills on each dollar of taxable property in the City of Glenwood for the operation and maintenance of the public library."

(Explanation: The purpose of the Amendment is to provide that the amount assessed for

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YES

NO