

**THIS AMENDMENT PASSED ON A 9-0 VOTE.**

**CITY COUNCIL  
of the  
CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE**

**June 17, 2024**

**FLOOR AMENDMENT NO.   1   TO   R-24-47**

**AMENDMENT SPONSORED BY COUNCILOR   Dan Lewis**

1. Beginning on page 2, line 17, through page 3, line 4, R-24-47 shall read as follows:

**TITLE AND PROPOSITION**

**PROPOSING TO AMEND THE ALBUQUERQUE CITY CHARTER REGARDING  
MINIMUM VOTES FOR ELECTED OFFICES AND RUNOFF ELECTIONS  
ARTICLE II. ELECTIONS.**

**Section 7. ~~[FIFTY PERCENT]~~ [NO] MINIMUM VOTE.**

Those persons who are candidates for Mayor or ~~[Councillor]~~ [Councilor] and receive the largest number of votes cast for the office in question are elected~~[, provided the number of votes equals or exceeds 50% of the total number of votes cast for the office].~~

**Section 8. RUNOFF ELECTIONS.**

If ~~[no candidate receives 50%]~~ [two or more candidates tie for the most votes received] of the votes cast for the particular office in question, a runoff election shall be held within forty-five days after certification of the results of the election in question as now provided by law and as amended and supplemented from time to time. Unless otherwise specified in this Charter, the ~~[two candidates who receive]~~ [candidates who tied with] the highest number of votes cast for the office in question shall automatically become the candidates at the runoff election and the filing of declarations of candidacy is dispensed with.

**FOR** \_\_\_\_\_

**AGAINST** \_\_\_\_\_

**THIS AMENDMENT FAILED ON A 3-6 VOTE.**  
**For: Baca, Fiebelkorn, Rogers**  
**Against: Bassan, Champine, Grout, Lewis, Peña, Sanchez**

**CITY COUNCIL  
of the  
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**June 17, 2024**

**FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO R-24-47**

**AMENDMENT SPONSORED BY COUNCILOR: Nichole Rogers**

1. Add a new "Section 2" beginning on page 3, line 6 as follows. Renumber subsequent sections as necessary.

" SECTION 2. VOTER EDUCATION

- (A) The City Council shall allocate funds as necessary to implement a comprehensive voter education program regarding Proposition P-24-1.
- (B) The voter education program shall include, but not be limited to, the following components:
  1. Informational Materials: Creation and distribution of clear, concise, and impartial informational materials that explain the proposed amendments to the Albuquerque City Charter. These materials should be available in multiple languages as deemed necessary by the City Clerk.
  2. Public Forums: Organization of a series of public forums across different neighborhoods in Albuquerque to educate voters about the proposition. These events should provide opportunities for voters to ask questions and receive answers from knowledgeable officials.
  3. Online Resources: Development of a dedicated webpage on the City's official website that provides detailed information about the proposition, including frequently asked questions (FAQs), explanatory videos, and links to additional resources.
  4. Collaboration with Community Organizations: Partnership with local community organizations, including those representing minority and underserved populations, to ensure widespread dissemination of information and engagement with all segments of the community."

Explanation: This amendment proposes to implement a voter education requirement for the proposed changes to the City Charter in P-24-1.