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## **CITY OF KEARNEY** **PRESS RELEASE** ***For Immediate Release***

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### **Kearney City Council Approves Resolution to Place Authorization for Council to Adopt Good Life District Economic Development Program on May 12 Primary Ballot**

The Kearney City Council approved a resolution at its regular meeting on February 24, 2026 authorizing the placement of a ballot question on the May 12, 2026 primary election ballot. The question will ask registered voters whether to grant the City Council authority to create the proposed Good Life District Economic Development Program.

If approved by voters, the measure would authorize the City to establish the Good Life District Economic Development Program in accordance with applicable state statutes. The program is intended to serve as a tool for economic development within Kearney's approved Good Life District, as permitted under Nebraska law.

Per State Statute, the ballot question will not implement the program directly. Rather, it seeks voter authorization for the City Council to create the program should the measure receive majority support.

Additional information about the ballot question, including the official language that will appear on the ballot and details regarding the election process, is available on the City's website, found under the Government tab > City Manager > Good Life District.

Residents are encouraged to review the information and participate in the election. Questions regarding the ballot process may be directed to the Buffalo County Election Commissioner's Office.

**Check out our web site at [www.cityofkearney.org](http://www.cityofkearney.org).**

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