

# Resolution To Add Referenda on November 5, 2024, General Election Ballot for Separation from Cook County

WHEREAS, a number of Vermilion County citizens feel that the political and economic conditions that currently exist throughout the entire State of Illinois have become over burdensome and counter to a significant amount of the Illinois populace and,

WHEREAS, a number of Vermilion County citizens have requested the Vermilion County Board to give their constituents the opportunity to be officially heard,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the County Board of Vermilion County directs the Vermilion County Clerk to add the following question to the November 5, 2024, General Election Ballot:

Non-Binding Advisory Public Policy

STATE SPLIT

(Illinois Separation Referendum)

Shall the board of Vermilion County correspond with the boards of the other counties of Illinois outside of Cook County about the possibility of separating from Cook County to form a new state, and to seek admission to the Union as such, subject to the approval of the people?

Yes

Pursuant to the rules of order of the Vermilion County Board, the following members request that this resolution be placed on the County Board agenda for July 9, 2024.

Jerry Hawker  
Scotty Phil Jackson  
Tara Aiter

Christine La Mor  
King Bottom  
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PASSED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

  
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CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

ATTEST:

Cathy Jenkins (18)  
COUNTY CLERK

(SEAL)

Resolution # 24-0702