

**THE ACTUAL QUESTION TO  
BE PRINTED ON THE  
BALLOT IS SUBSTANTIALLY  
AS FOLLOWS:**

**QUESTION:**

Shall Culpeper County, Virginia contract a debt and issue its general obligation bonds in the maximum principal amount of thirteen million one hundred forty-four thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$13,144,000) for the purpose of paying the costs, in whole or in part, for construction of a Community Recreation Center, which may include an indoor competition swimming pool, a therapy pool, a multi-purpose gymnasium, fitness equipment, exercise class space, classrooms for various activities, and a soccer field, as well as necessary access, parking, and utility improvements?

Yes

No



## Culpeper County

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# BALLOT & REFERENDUM QUESTION INFORMATION

Set for Vote on  
November 6, 2018  
Election Day



## **BE INFORMED: BALLOT & REFERENDUM QUESTION INFORMATION**

The Culpeper County Board of Supervisors has determined it advisable to take the sense of the qualified voters of the County by ballot on November 6, 2018, on a question regarding the potential incurrence of debt and issuance of general obligation bonds in a maximum principal amount up to but not exceeding \$13,144,000.00 toward the construction of a Community Recreation Center.

The building, as constructed, may include all, or only one or some, of the following features: an indoor competition swimming pool, a therapy pool, a multi-purpose gymnasium, fitness equipment, exercise class space, classrooms for various activities, and an adjacent soccer field, as well as necessary access, parking, and utility improvements.

## **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:**

1. What costs or expenses associated with this potential project would the \$13,144,000 pay for or cover?

The costs referenced in the ballot question are strictly limited to costs estimated for construction only. No operational costs are included in the amount referenced in the ballot question.

It is important to note that in the event the County were to move forward with a Community Recreation Center project of any kind, it is anticipated that the County would contract with a third party to operate the Center - with that third party incurring and paying all of the operational costs and expenses associated with operations, ongoing maintenance, and programming.

## **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:**

2. How does the outcome of the vote obligate the County with regard to the construction of a Community Center Recreation?

(i) No matter the outcome of the ballot vote, the County is not obligated to construct a Community Recreation Center; and

(ii) No matter the outcome of the ballot vote, the County may construct a Community Recreation Center utilizing alternative methods of paying for the project that do not require a referendum vote. The referendum specifically seeks approval to take on debt in the form of general obligation bonds to accomplish the project.