

ORDINANCE NO. _____

An ordinance amending Chapter 3 of Division 24 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code to amend regulations of the City Ethics Commission concerning public matching funds.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES
DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Subdivision (11) is added to Subsection (b) of Section 24.31 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code is redesignated as Subdivision (12).

Sec. 2. A new Subdivision (11) of Subsection (b) of Section 24.31 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code to read as follows:

(11) **“Town Hall Meeting”** means an event conducted by a participating candidate, at which the public is able to ask the candidate questions, and which is open to the public, the media, and other candidates.

Sec. 3. Paragraph (B) of Subdivision (3) of Subsection (a) of Section 24.32 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code is amended to read as follows:

(B) The candidate understands that the candidate must either participate in a debate with one or more opponents or conduct a town hall meeting;

Sec. 4. Paragraph (A) of Subdivision (2) of Subsection (b) of Section 24.32 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code is amended to read as follows:

(A) The request must include the following information:

(i) The date of the request;

(ii) The information in Section 24.34(a)(1)-(7);

(iii) The information in Sections 24.34(a)(8)(B)(i)-(iv) for each qualified contribution used to comply with Municipal Code Section 49.7.23(C)(1)(a) and 49.7.23(C)(2). Contributions must be listed alphabetically by the last names of the contributors;

(iv) The documentation required by Sections 24.34(a)(5), 24.34(a)(8)(B)(ii), and 24.34(a)(9); and

(v) The certification required by Section 24.34(a)(10).

Sec. 5. Paragraph (C) of Subdivision (2) of Subsection (b) of Section 24.32 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code is amended to read as follows:

(C) The request must identify at least 100 contributions that comply with the requirements in Municipal Code Section 49.7.23(C)(2). The participating candidate and treasurer must certify under penalty of perjury that, to the best of their knowledge and belief, the identified contributions comply with the requirements.

Sec. 6. Subdivisions (5), (6), (7), (8) and (9) of Subsection (a) of Section 24.34 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code are redesignated as Subdivisions (6), (7), (8), (9) and (10).

Sec. 7. A new Subdivision (5) is added to Subsection (a) of Section 24.34 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code to read as follows:

(5) The date the candidate participated in a debate with one or more opponents or conducted a town hall meeting, along with a copy of the invitation to or announcement of the event;

Sec. 8. Subparagraph (ii) of Paragraph (B) of Subdivision (8) of Subsection (a) of Section 24.34 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code is amended to read as follows:

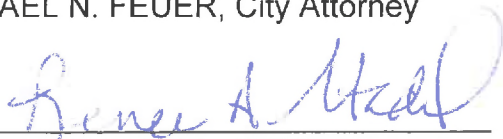
(ii) The contributor's certification required by Municipal Code Section 49.7.16(B);

Sec. 6. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and have it published in accordance with Council policy, either in a daily newspaper circulated in the City of Los Angeles or by posting for ten days in three public places in the City of Los Angeles: one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall; one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall East; and one copy on the bulletin board located at the Temple Street entrance to the Los Angeles County Hall of Records.

Approved as to Form and Legality

MICHAEL N. FEUER, City Attorney

By



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Date

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I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was introduced at the meeting of the Council of the City of Los Angeles on October 5, 2018, and was passed at its meeting of October 12, 2018.

CITY CLERK

MAYOR

Ordinance Passed _____

Approved _____