

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION OF THE LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL REQUESTING THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSOLIDATION OF A CITY SPECIAL ELECTION FOR AN INITIATIVE MEASURE WITH THE STATE PRIMARY ELECTION TO BE HELD ON MARCH 5, 2024.

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Los Angeles has called a Special Election to be held together with the City’s Primary Nominating Election on March 5, 2024, to place before the qualified voters of the City of Los Angeles an initiative measure regarding hotel land use, replacement housing, and police permit requirements, and a program placing unhoused individuals in vacant hotel rooms; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Los Angeles requests that the Special Election for the initiative measure referenced above be consolidated with the State Primary Election to be held in the County of Los Angeles on March 5, 2024.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Council of the City of Los Angeles respectfully requests the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles to consent and agree to the consolidation of a City Special Election with the State Primary Election to be held on March 5, 2024, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City of Los Angeles a proposed initiative measure regarding the following subject: Hotel Land Use, Replacement Housing, and Police Permit Requirements, and a Program Placing Unhoused Individuals in Vacant Hotel Rooms.

Sec. 2. The complete text of the proposed initiative ordinance is contained in the attachment to the Resolution adopted by the City Council directing that the initiative measure be submitted to the voters (Council File No. 22-0822), and the ballot title and question for the initiative measure is contained in the Ordinance calling a special election for the initiative measure (Council File No. 24-1100-S2), copies of which shall be provided to the County Registrar together with this Resolution.

Sec. 3. The City shall transmit its requested letter designation for the initiative measure to the County in accordance with applicable City and State law.

Sec. 4. The vote requirement for the initiative measure to pass is a majority of the votes cast.

Sec. 5. The City Clerk shall administer the filing, printing, and distribution of all items contained in the City’s Voter Information Pamphlet as provided in the City Election Code, including impartial summaries, ballot arguments, and rebuttal arguments regarding the initiative measure. In other particulars, the Special Election shall be held and conducted as provided by law for the holding of the State Primary Election in the City of Los Angeles in accordance with State Elections Code Section 10418.

Sec. 6. The Council requests and authorizes the Board of Supervisors to canvass the returns of the Special Election and transmit the certified election results to the City.

Sec. 7. The Council requests the Board of Supervisors to fix the costs to be paid by the City of Los Angeles for consolidation of the Special Election. The City will reimburse the County for the City's share of the costs incurred in conducting the Special Election consistent with the cost estimate provided by the Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk and agreed to between the County and the City.

Sec. 8. The City Clerk shall file a duly certified copy of this Resolution forthwith with the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles and provide a copy of the resolution to the County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Council of the City of Los Angeles at its meeting held on _____.

HOLLY L. WOLCOTT, City Clerk

By _____
Deputy

C.F. No. 24-1100-S2