

County of Riverside



Registrar of Voters

Polling Place Location
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Polls Open
November 4, 2014
7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

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October 20, 2014**
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October 6th - October 28th
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Consolidated General Election

*Tuesday, November 4, 2014
Sample Ballot and Information Pamphlet*



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Riverside County
Registrar of Voters Office

See inside for additional locations and information



HELP KEEP VOTER ROLLS CURRENT

In an effort to maintain current voter rolls and to save taxpayer dollars, the Registrar of Voters will mail residency confirmation notices after the November 4, 2014 Election. The notification cards will be mailed to voters who have not voted in any election within the preceding four years, and his or her residence address, name or party affiliation had not been updated during that time.

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REGISTRAR OF VOTERS COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

Dear Voter:

November 4, 2014 is Election Day. This Sample Ballot and Information Pamphlet provides ballot marking instructions, polling place location, candidate information, and other important election details that you should review before you vote. You may mark your selections on your Sample Ballot and take it with you to the polls for easy reference.

You have several options for voting:

Vote-by-Mail – Voting by mail is convenient and easy. You will find an application to receive a Vote-by-Mail ballot on the back cover of this pamphlet. The deadline to request a vote-by-mail ballot is October 28. You have several options for returning your ballot:

- Mail your ballot in time to reach the Registrar of Voters office by 8 p.m. on Election Day, November 4, 2014. Postmarks are not accepted.
- Return your ballot in person to the Registrar of Voters office during regular business hours and until close of polls on Election Day. For your convenience the Registrar's office has a secure locked drop box at its entry for ballot drop off 24 hours a day.
- Deposit your ballot in one of the secure drop-off boxes available at designated City Clerks' offices from October 6 through November 3. Please visit our website to view a map of ballot drop-off locations.
- Take your ballot to any polling place (before 8 p.m.) in Riverside County on Election Day.
- You may confirm that the Registrar of Voters office has received your returned Vote-by-Mail ballot on our website at www.voteinfo.net.
- **Vote First, Count First!** Vote-by-mail ballots received before Election Day are counted first. Return your ballot as soon as possible to ensure that it is included in the first Election Night results!

Early Voting – Vote at the Registrar of Voters office beginning October 6 through November 3 (excluding Holidays), Monday through Friday, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; Saturday, October 25 and November 1, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.; and Election Day, November 4, from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Early voting will also be available at participating malls in Riverside County on October 24 through October 26. Please visit our website at www.voteinfo.net for additional early voting information.

Vote on Election Day November 4 – See the back cover of this Sample Ballot for your polling place location.

There is still time to volunteer to be a poll worker. We need Polling Officers to work at the polls on Election Day and we are eager to train you to assist voters with our proudest legacy – the right to vote.

The Registrar of Voters team is here to serve you. Please contact us anytime, so we can help make your voting experience a positive one. Thank you for participating in this election -- your vote counts!

Sincerely,

Rebecca Spencer
Registrar of Voters



Be sure to follow the Registrar of Voters on
Facebook, YouTube and Twitter.

Elections in California

The Top Two Candidates Open Primary Act, which took effect January 1, 2011, requires that all candidates for a voter-nominated office be listed on the same ballot. Voter-nominated offices are state legislative offices, U.S. congressional offices, and state constitutional offices.

In both the open primary and general elections, you can vote for any candidate, regardless of what party preference you indicated on your voter registration form. In the primary election, the two candidates receiving the most votes—regardless of party preference—move on to the general election regardless of vote totals. If a candidate receives a majority of the vote (50 percent + 1), a general election still must be held. Even if there are only two candidates for an office in the open primary, a general election for that office is still required.

California's open primary system does not apply to candidates running for local offices.

California law requires that the following information be printed in this pamphlet.

Voter-Nominated Offices

Political parties are not entitled to formally nominate candidates for voter-nominated offices at the primary election. A candidate nominated for a voter-nominated office at the primary election is the nominee of the people and not the official nominee of any party at the general election. A candidate for nomination to a voter-nominated office shall have his or her party preference, or lack of party preference, stated on the ballot, but the party preference designation is selected solely by the candidate and is shown for the information of the voters only. It does not mean the candidate is nominated or endorsed by the party designated, or that there is an affiliation between the party and candidate, and no candidate nominated by the voters shall be deemed to be the officially nominated candidate of any political party. In the county sample ballot booklet, parties may list the candidates for voter-nominated offices who have received the party's official endorsement.

Any voter may vote for any candidate for a voter-nominated office, if they meet the other qualifications required to vote for that office. The top two vote-getters at the primary election move on to the general election for the voter-nominated office even if both candidates have specified the same party preference designation. No party is entitled to have a candidate with its party preference designation move on to the general election, unless the candidate is one of the two highest vote-getters at the primary election.

Nonpartisan State Offices

Political parties are not entitled to nominate candidates for nonpartisan offices at the primary election, and a candidate at the primary election is not the official nominee of any party for the specific office at the general election. A candidate for nomination to a nonpartisan office may not designate his or her party preference, or lack of party preference, on the ballot. The top two vote-getters at the primary election move on to the general election for the nonpartisan office.

Redistricting

New electoral district boundaries are drawn every 10 years in order to equalize district populations. Boundaries for the congressional, state legislative, and county supervisorial districts are now different. Boundary changes also apply to any city, school district, or special district that votes by trustee areas or divisions. To see the new district maps, visit the Registrar of Voters website at www.voteinfo.net.

HOW TO MARK YOUR PAPER BALLOT

Please refer to the following instructions on how to properly complete your official ballot:

- ▶ Connect the head and tail of the arrow that points to your choice like the example provided.
- ▶ Check both front and back of ballot for voting contests.
- ▶ Use a black ball point pen. Do not use felt tip, red or gel ink.
- ▶ One line connecting the arrow is preferred.
- ▶ Vote for no more than the number of votes allowed in each contest (e.g. vote for one, vote for no more than two, etc.).
- ▶ Please keep the vote-by-mail ballot folded the same way you received it.

TO MARK YOUR VOTE DRAW A LINE



VOTE!!!

IMPORTANT NOTE:

If you are a Vote-by-Mail voter, you must fill out and sign your return envelope in order for your vote to be counted.

MAKE YOUR VOTE COUNT...MARK YOUR BALLOT CORRECTLY

EXAMPLE

CORRECT



INCORRECT



For a demonstration on marking your ballot please visit our website at www.voteinfo.net

SAMPLE BALLOT / BOLETA EJEMPLAR

VOTER-NOMINATED OFFICES CARGOS NOMINADOS POR LOS VOTANTES		JUDICIAL / JUDICIAL VOTE YES OR NO FOR EACH OFFICE VOTE SÍ O NO POR CADA OFICINA	
STATE / ESTADO		FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT PARA JUEZ ASOCIADO DE LA CORTE SUPREMA	
Governor / Gobernador Vote for One / Vote por Uno	EDMUND G. "JERRY" BROWN Party Preference: Democratic Governor of California Gobernador de California	YES SÍ	NO NO
NEEL KASHKARI Party Preference: Republican Businessman Preferecia de Partido: Republicano Empresario	NADER SHAHATIT Party Preference: Democratic Government Auditor / Realtor Auditor de Gobierno / Agente de Bienes Raíces	YES SÍ	NO NO
Lieutenant Governor Vicegobernador Vote for One / Vote por Uno	UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE 41st Congressional District Distrito Congresional Núm. 41	FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT PARA JUEZ ASOCIADO DE LA CORTE SUPREMA	
RON NEHRING Party Preference: Republican Small Businessman / Educator Pequeño Empresario / Educador	STEVE ADAMS Party Preference: Republican Riverside City Councilman Concejal Municipal de Riverside	Shall Stanford University Law Professor, MARIANO-FLORENTINO CUELLAR be elected to the office for the term provided by law? ¿Deberá MARIANO-FLORENTINO CUELLAR , el Profesor de Derecho de la Universidad de Stanford, ser elegido por votación a la oficina por el periodo que dispone la ley?	
GAVIN NEWSOM Party Preference: Democratic Lieutenant Governor Preferecia de Partido: Demócrata Vicegobernador	MARK TAKANO Party Preference: Democratic United States Representative / Teacher Representante de Estados Unidos / Maestro	FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT PARA JUEZ ASOCIADO DE LA CORTE SUPREMA	
Secretary of State Secretario de Estado Vote for One / Vote por Uno	MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY MIEMBRO DE LA ASAMBLEA DEL ESTADO 61st Assembly District Distrito de la Asamblea Núm. 61	YES SÍ	NO NO
ALEX PADILLA Party Preference: Democratic California State Senator Preferecia de Partido: Demócrata Senador Estatal de California	RUDY ARANDA Party Preference: Republican Retired Police Officer Oficial de Policía Jubilado	YES SÍ	NO NO
PETE PETERSON Party Preference: Republican Educator / Institute Director Educador / Director de Instituto	JOSE MEDINA Party Preference: Democratic State Assemblymember / Teacher Preferecia de Partido: Demócrata Miembro de la Asamblea del Estado / Maestro	FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, COURT OF APPEAL DISTRICT 4, DIVISION 1 PARA JUEZ ASOCIADO, CORTE DE APELACIÓN DISTRITO 4, DIVISIÓN 1	
Controller / Contralor Vote for One / Vote por Uno	ASHLEY SWEARENGIN Party Preference: Republican Mayor / CEO Preferecia de Partido: Republicano Alcaldesa / Funcionaria Ejecutiva Principal	YES SÍ	NO NO
BETTY T. YEE Party Preference: Democratic California State Board of Equalization Member Preferecia de Partido: Demócrata Miembro, Directiva de Impuestos sobre Ventas, Uso y Otros del Estado de California		FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, COURT OF APPEAL DISTRICT 4, DIVISION 1 PARA JUEZ ASOCIADO, CORTE DE APELACIÓN DISTRITO 4, DIVISIÓN 1	
Treasurer / Tesorero Vote for One / Vote por Uno	JOHN CHIANG Party Preference: Democratic California State Controller Preferecia de Partido: Demócrata Contralor del Estado de California	YES SÍ	NO NO

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GREG CONLON Party Preference: Republican Businessman / CPA Preferencia de Partido: Republicano Empresario / Contador Público Certificado	↓
Attorney General Procurador General Vote for One / Vote por Uno	
KAMALA D. HARRIS Party Preference: Democratic Attorney General of California Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata Procuradora General de California	↓
RONALD GOLD Party Preference: Republican California Attorney Preferencia de Partido: Republicano Abogado de California	↓
Insurance Commissioner Comisionado de Seguros Vote for One / Vote por Uno	
DAVE JONES Party Preference: Democratic Insurance Commissioner Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata Comisionado de Seguros	↓
TED GAINES Party Preference: Republican Independent Insurance Agent Preferencia de Partido: Republicano Agente de Seguros Independiente	↓

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FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, COURT OF APPEAL DISTRICT 4, DIVISION 1 PARA JUEZ ASOCIADO, CORTE DE APELACIÓN DISTRITO 4, DIVISIÓN 1	
Shall Associate Justice, Court of Appeal, District 4, Division 1, ALEX C. MCDONALD be elected to the office for the term provided by law? ¿Deberá ALEX C. MCDONALD , Juez Asociado de la Corte de Apelación, Distrito 4, División 1, ser elegido por votación a la oficina por el periodo que dispone la ley?	YES SÍ NO NO
FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, COURT OF APPEAL DISTRICT 4, DIVISION 1 PARA JUEZ ASOCIADO, CORTE DE APELACIÓN DISTRITO 4, DIVISIÓN 1	
Shall Associate Justice, Court of Appeal, District 4, Division 1, JAMES A. MCINTYRE be elected to the office for the term provided by law? ¿Deberá JAMES A. MCINTYRE , Juez Asociado de la Corte de Apelación, Distrito 4, División 1, ser elegido por votación a la oficina por el periodo que dispone la ley?	YES SÍ NO NO

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JUDICIAL / JUDICIAL VOTE YES OR NO FOR EACH OFFICE VOTE SÍ O NO POR CADA OFICINA		RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT DISTRITO DE UNIVERSIDAD COMUNITARIA DE RIVERSIDE	
FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, COURT OF APPEAL DISTRICT 4, DIVISION 2 PARA JUEZ ASOCIADO, CORTE DE APELACIÓN DISTRITO 4, DIVISIÓN 2		Governing Board Member, Trustee Area 5 Miembro Junta Gobernante, Fideicomisario Área 5	
Shall Associate Justice, Court of Appeal, District 4, Division 2, THOMAS E. HOLLENHORST be elected to the office for the term provided by law? ¿Deberá THOMAS E. HOLLENHORST, Juez Asociado de la Corte de Apelación, Distrito 4, División 2, ser elegido por votación a la oficina por el período que dispone la ley?		Vote for One / Vote por Uno	
YES SÍ		TRACEY B. VACKAR Moreno Valley Unified School District Trustee Regente del Distrito Escolar Unificado de Moreno Valley	
NO NO		STEVE D. COLLIER Teacher / Educator Maestro / Educador	
FOR PRESIDING JUSTICE, COURT OF APPEAL DISTRICT 4, DIVISION 3 PARA JUEZ PRESIDENTE, CORTE DE APELACIÓN DISTRITO 4, DIVISIÓN 3		Riverside Community College Board Member Mbro. de la Jta. de la Universidad Com. de Riverside	
Shall Presiding Justice, Court of Appeal, District 4, Division 3, KATHLEEN E. O'LEARY be elected to the office for the term provided by law? ¿Deberá KATHLEEN E. O'LEARY, Juez Presidente de la Corte de Apelación, Distrito 4, División 3, ser elegida por votación a la oficina por el período que dispone la ley?		KERIA A. THEN Professor / Telecommunications Engineer Profesora / Ingeniera de Telecomunicaciones	
YES SÍ		ANGELOV FAROOQ Educator / Business Owner Educador / Propietario de Empresa	
NO NO		VAL VERDE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT DISTRITO ESCOLAR UNIFICADO DE VAL VERDE	
FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, COURT OF APPEAL DISTRICT 4, DIVISION 3 PARA JUEZ ASOCIADO, CORTE DE APELACIÓN DISTRITO 4, DIVISIÓN 3		Governing Board Member Miembro Junta Gobernante	
Shall Associate Justice, Court of Appeal, District 4, Division 3, WILLIAM F. RYLAARSDAM be elected to the office for the term provided by law? ¿Deberá WILLIAM F. RYLAARSDAM, Juez Asociado de la Corte de Apelación, Distrito 4, División 3, ser elegido por votación a la oficina por el período que dispone la ley?		Vote for no more than Three / Vote por no más de Tres	
YES SÍ		MICHAEL M. VARGAS Incumbent Titular	
NO NO		DAMON J. NAVARRO Manager Gerente	
FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, COURT OF APPEAL DISTRICT 4, DIVISION 3 PARA JUEZ ASOCIADO, CORTE DE APELACIÓN DISTRITO 4, DIVISIÓN 3		JULIO GONZALEZ Educator / Parent Educador / Padre	
Shall Associate Justice, Court of Appeal, District 4, Division 3, RICHARD M. ARONSON be elected to the office for the term provided by law? ¿Deberá RICHARD M. ARONSON, Juez Asociado de la Corte de Apelación, Distrito 4, División 3, ser elegido por votación a la oficina por el período que dispone la ley?		JOE ESPARZA Small Business Owner Propietario de Pequeña Empresa	
YES SÍ		D. SHELLY YARBROUGH Boardmember / Businesswoman Miembro de la Junta / Empresaria	
NO NO			
FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, COURT OF APPEAL DISTRICT 4, DIVISION 3 PARA JUEZ ASOCIADO, CORTE DE APELACIÓN DISTRITO 4, DIVISIÓN 3			
Shall Associate Justice, Court of Appeal, District 4, Division 3, RICHARD M. ARONSON be elected to the office for the term provided by law? ¿Deberá RICHARD M. ARONSON, Juez Asociado de la Corte de Apelación, Distrito 4, División 3, ser elegido por votación a la oficina por el período que dispone la ley?			
YES SÍ			
NO NO			
FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, COURT OF APPEAL DISTRICT 4, DIVISION 3 PARA JUEZ ASOCIADO, CORTE DE APELACIÓN DISTRITO 4, DIVISIÓN 3		CITY / CIUDAD	
		CITY OF MORENO VALLEY CIUDAD DE MORENO VALLEY	

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Shall Associate Justice, Court of Appeal, District 4, Division 3, DAVID A. THOMPSON be elected to the office for the term provided by law? ¿Deberá DAVID A. THOMPSON , Juez Asociado de la Corte de Apelación, Distrito 4, División 3, ser elegido por votación a la oficina por el período que dispone la ley?	YES
	SÍ
	NO
	NO
FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, COURT OF APPEAL DISTRICT 4, DIVISION 3 PARA JUEZ ASOCIADO, CORTE DE APELACIÓN DISTRITO 4, DIVISION 3	
Shall Associate Justice, Court of Appeal, District 4, Division 3, RICHARD D. FYBEL be elected to the office for the term provided by law? ¿Deberá RICHARD D. FYBEL , Juez Asociado de la Corte de Apelación, Distrito 4, División 3, ser elegido por votación a la oficina por el período que dispone la ley?	YES
	SÍ
	NO
	NO
NONPARTISAN OFFICES CARGOS NO PARTIDARIOS	
SCHOOL / ESCOLAR	
Superintendent of Public Instruction Superintendente de Instrucción Pública	
Vote for One / Vote por Uno	
TOM TORLAKSON Educador / California Superintendent Educador / Superintendente de California	
MARSHALL TUCK Educador / Schools' Executive Educador / Ejecutivo de Escuelas	

City Council Member, Councilmanic District 4 Miembro del Concejo Municipal, Councilmanic Distrito 4	
Vote for One / Vote por Uno	
WRAYMOND SAWYERR Business Owner / Educador Propietario de Empresa / Educador	
LORI NICKEL Retired Registered Nurse Enfermera Registrada Jubilada	
YXSTIAN GUTIERREZ Teacher / Educador Maestro / Educador	
WELDON L. BOONE College Student Estudiante Universitario	
GWENDOLYN CROSS Business Woman Empresaria	
JAIME MORENO Customer Service Representative Representante de Servicio al Cliente	
ROBIN WETMORE Businesswoman Empresaria	

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MEASURES SUBMITTED TO THE VOTERS / MEDIDAS SOMETIDAS A LOS VOTANTES

STATE / ESTADO

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WATER BOND. FUNDING FOR WATER QUALITY, SUPPLY, TREATMENT, AND STORAGE PROJECTS. Authorizes \$7.545 billion in general obligation bonds for state water supply infrastructure projects, including surface and groundwater storage, ecosystem and watershed protection and restoration, and drinking water protection. Fiscal Impact: Increased state bond costs averaging \$360 million annually over 40 years. Local government savings for water-related projects, likely averaging a couple hundred million dollars annually over the next few decades.

BONOS DE AGUA. FINANCIAMIENTO PARA LA CALIDAD, SUMINISTRO, TRATAMIENTO Y PROYECTOS DE ALMACENAMIENTO DE AGUA. Autoriza \$7.545 mil millones en bonos de obligación general para proyectos estatales de infraestructura de suministro de agua, incluyendo almacenamiento de aguas superficiales y subterráneas, protección y restauración del ecosistema y las cuencas, y protección del agua potable. Impacto fiscal: Incremento de los costos de los bonos estatales con un promedio de \$360 millones anuales durante 40 años. Ahorros para el gobierno local por proyectos relacionados con el agua, posiblemente promediando un par de cientos de millones de dólares anuales durante las próximas décadas.

YES

SI

NO

NO

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STATE BUDGET. BUDGET STABILIZATION ACCOUNT. LEGISLATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT. Requires annual transfer of state general fund revenues to budget stabilization account. Requires half the revenues be used to repay state debts. Limits use of remaining funds to emergencies or budget deficits. Fiscal Impact: Long-term state savings from faster payment of existing debts. Different levels of state budget reserves, depending on economy and decisions by elected officials. Smaller local reserves for some school districts.

PRESUPUESTO ESTATAL. CUENTA DE ESTABILIZACIÓN DEL PRESUPUESTO. ENMIENDA CONSTITUCIONAL LEGISLATIVA. Exige una transferencia anual de las rentas del fondo general a la cuenta de estabilización del presupuesto. Exige que la mitad de las rentas sea utilizada para pagar las deudas del estado. Limita el uso del remanente de fondos a emergencias o déficit presupuestarios. Impacto fiscal: Ahorros a largo plazo del estado por pago más rápido de las deudas actuales. Diferentes niveles de reservas del presupuesto estatal, dependiendo de la economía y las decisiones de funcionarios elegidos. Menores reservas locales para algunos distritos escolares.

YES

SI

NO

NO

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HEALTHCARE INSURANCE. RATE CHANGES. INITIATIVE STATUTE. Requires Insurance Commissioner's approval before health insurer can change its rates or anything else affecting the charges associated with health insurance. Provides for public notice, disclosure, and hearing, and subsequent judicial review. Exempts employer large group health plans. Fiscal Impact: Increased state administrative costs to regulate health insurance, likely not exceeding the low millions of dollars annually in most years, funded from fees paid by health insurance companies.

SEGURO DE CUIDADOS DE LA SALUD. CAMBIOS DE TARIFAS. INICIATIVA PARA PROMULGAR UN ESTATUTO. Exige la aprobación del Comisionado de Seguros antes de que las aseguradoras de salud puedan cambiar sus tarifas o cualquier cosa que afecte los cargos relacionados con el seguro de salud. Prevé aviso público, divulgación, y audiencia, y posterior revisión judicial. Exime a los planes de salud para grupos grandes proporcionados por empleadores. Impacto fiscal: Incremento de los costos administrativos del estado para regular el seguro de salud, que muy probablemente no excederá unos pocos millones de dólares anuales en la mayoría de los años, financiado con las tarifas pagadas por las compañías de seguro.

YES

SI

NO

NO

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DRUG AND ALCOHOL TESTING OF DOCTORS. MEDICAL NEGLIGENCE LAWSUITS. INITIATIVE STATUTE. Requires drug testing of doctors. Requires review of statewide prescription database before prescribing controlled substances. Increases \$250,000 pain/suffering cap in medical negligence lawsuits for inflation. Fiscal Impact: State and local government costs from raising the cap on medical malpractice damages ranging from tens of millions to several hundred million dollars annually, offset to some extent by savings from requirements on health care providers.

PRUEBAS DE DETECCIÓN DE DROGA Y ALCOHOL A DOCTORES. DEMANDAS POR NEGLIGENCIA MÉDICA. INICIATIVA PARA PROMULGAR UN ESTATUTO. Exige pruebas de detección de drogas a doctores. Exige revisar la base de datos estatal de medicamentos con receta antes de prescribir sustancias controladas. Incrementa el tope de \$250,000 de indemnización por dolor/sufrimiento en demandas de negligencia médica para compensar por la inflación. Impacto fiscal: Costos para los gobiernos estatal y local al aumentar el tope de indemnización por mala praxis médica, en el orden de decenas de millones a varios cientos de millones de dólares anuales, compensados en cierto modo por ahorros en los requerimientos sobre los proveedores de cuidados de la salud.

YES

SI

NO

NO

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CRIMINAL SENTENCES. MISDEMEANOR PENALTIES. INITIATIVE STATUTE. Requires misdemeanor sentence instead of felony for certain drug and property offenses. Inapplicable to persons with prior conviction for serious or violent crime and registered sex offenders. Fiscal Impact: State and county criminal justice savings potentially in the high hundreds of millions of dollars annually. State savings spent on school truancy and dropout prevention, mental health and substance abuse treatment, and victim services.

CONDENAS PENALES. PENAS POR DELITOS MENORES. INICIATIVA PARA PROMULGAR UN ESTATUTO. Exige condenas por delito menor en lugar de delito mayor para ciertas infracciones relacionadas con las drogas y la propiedad. No aplicable a personas con condenas anteriores por delitos graves o violentos y ofensores sexuales registrados. Impacto fiscal: Ahorros a los sistemas penales del estado y condado potencialmente en varios cientos de millones de dólares anuales. Los ahorros estatales se gastarán en la prevención del ausentismo y deserción escolar, tratamiento de salud mental y abuso de sustancias, y servicios a las víctimas.

YES

SI

NO

NO

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INDIAN GAMING COMPACTS. REFERENDUM. A "Yes" vote approves, and a "No" vote rejects, tribal gaming compacts between the state and the North Fork Rancheria of Mono Indians and the Wiyot Tribe. Fiscal Impact: One-time payments (\$16 million to \$35 million) and for 20 years annual payments (\$10 million) from Indian tribes to state and local governments to address costs related to the operation of a new casino.

CONVENIOS DE JUEGOS DE AZAR INDÍGENAS. REFERÉNDUM. Un voto "Sí" aprueba, y un voto "No" rechaza los convenios de juegos de azar indígenas entre el estado y los Indios Mono de North Fork Rancheria y la Tribu Wiyot. Impacto fiscal: Pagos por única vez (\$16 millones a \$35 millones) y pagos anuales durante 20 años (\$10 millones) de las tribus indígenas al estado y los gobiernos locales para solventar los costos relacionados con la operación de un nuevo casino.

YES	NO
SÍ	NO

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MEASURES SUBMITTED TO THE VOTERS / MEDIDAS SOMETIDAS A LOS VOTANTES	
CITY / CIUDAD	
CITY OF MORENO VALLEY / CIUDAD DE MORENO VALLEY	
I	MEASURE "I": APPROVAL OF TERM LIMITS FOR MORENO VALLEY CITY COUNCIL. Shall an ordinance be adopted to enact term limits upon members of the Moreno Valley City Council, preventing any person who serves three (3) successive terms from serving again until an intervening period of two (2) years has elapsed? MEDIDA "I": APROBACIÓN DE LÍMITES DE MANDATO PARA EL CONCEJO DE LA CIUDAD DE MORENO VALLEY. ¿Deberá adoptarse una ordenanza para promulgar los límites del mandato de los miembros del Concejo de la Ciudad de Moreno Valley impidiendo a cualquier persona que sirva por tres (3) períodos consecutivos servir de nuevo hasta que un período intermedio de dos (2) años haya transcurrido?
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S	Shall the term of office of mayor be two years? ¿Deberá ser el mandato del Alcalde de dos años?
T	Shall the term of office of mayor be four years? ¿Deberá ser el mandato del Alcalde de cuatro años?

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VOTER'S PAMPHLET INFORMATION SECTION

The following pages contain voter information applicable to your ballot which may include the following items:

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- ANALYSES
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This list covers all legislative districts in the County. Not all districts will appear on your ballot.

STATE SENATE, 28TH DISTRICT

Jeff Stone, Republican
Bonnie Garcia, Republican

STATE ASSEMBLY, 42ND DISTRICT

Chad Mayes, Republican
Karalee Hargrove, Democratic

STATE ASSEMBLY, 56TH DISTRICT

Eduardo Garcia, Democratic
Charles Bennett Jr., Republican

STATE ASSEMBLY, 60TH DISTRICT

Ken Park, Democratic

STATE ASSEMBLY, 61ST DISTRICT

Rudy Aranda, Republican

STATE ASSEMBLY, 67TH DISTRICT

Melissa Melendez, Republican
Conrad Melton, Democratic

STATE ASSEMBLY, 71ST DISTRICT

Tony Teora, Republican
Brian W. Jones, Republican

STATE ASSEMBLY, 75TH DISTRICT

Marie Waldron, Republican
Nicholas Shestopole, Democratic

Party Endorsements – Elections Code § 13302(b)

The County Elections Official shall print a list of all candidates for Voter-Nominated Offices that are endorsed by the following qualified political parties:

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Edmund G. "Jerry" Brown, Governor
Gavin Newsom, Lieutenant Governor
Alex Padilla, Secretary of State
Betty T. Yee, Controller
John Chiang, Treasurer
Kamala D. Harris, Attorney General
Dave Jones, Insurance Commissioner
Nader Shahatit, Board of Equalization Member, 4th District
Raul Ruiz, United States Representative, 36th District
Mark Takano, United States Representative, 41st District
Tim Sheridan, United States Representative, 42nd District
James H. Kimber, United States Representative, 50th District
Karalee Hargrove, Member of the State Assembly, 42nd District
Eduardo Garcia, Member of the State Assembly, 56th District
Ken Park, Member of the State Assembly, 60th District
Jose Medina, Member of the State Assembly, 61st District
Conrad Melton, Member of the State Assembly, 67th District
Nicholas Shestopole, Member of the State Assembly, 75th District

REPUBLICAN PARTY

Neel Kashkari, Governor
Ron Nehring, Lieutenant Governor
Pete Peterson, Secretary of State
Ashley Swarengin, Controller
Greg Conlon, Treasurer
Ronald Gold, Attorney General
Ted Gaines, Insurance Commissioner
Diane L. Harkey, Board of Equalization Member, 4th District
Brian Nestande, United States Representative, 36th District
Steve Adams, United States Representative, 41st District
Ken Calvert, United States Representative, 42nd District
Duncan Hunter, United States Representative, 50th District
Chad Mayes, Member of the State Assembly, 42nd District
Eric Linder, Member of the State Assembly, 60th District
Rudy Aranda, Member of the State Assembly, 61st District
Melissa Melendez, Member of the State Assembly, 67th District
Marie Waldron, Member of the State Assembly, 75th District

AMERICAN INDEPENDENT PARTY

Pete Peterson, Secretary of State
Ashley Swarengin, Controller
Ronald Gold, Attorney General
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**CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR
UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE,
41ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

STEVE ADAMS, Republican

AGE: 61

**OCCUPATION: Councilman / Retired Policeman
EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:**

As a Riverside resident since 1958, a retired Riverside Police Officer, a small business owner, and 3rd term Riverside City Councilman, I am uniquely aware of the issues facing the residents of the 41st District.

Over-regulation from Congress and Washington politicians is restraining economic growth, stifling job creation hurting the residents of the 41st. We need and deserve better than single issue politicians with extreme agendas.

As a three-term Councilman, I've been intricately involved in the betterment of my community. I was successful in helping make Riverside #1 in the Nation in new jobs and top 8 places to be. I was part of the team that brought in the UC Riverside Medical School, bringing quality jobs and millions of dollars to our economy. I will continue to do this for the 41st District.

An uncontrolled border has negatively impacted our lives; jobs, economy, education, crime, hospitals and more. We must stop the human trafficking, victimizing children and women and the flow of drugs and criminals into our cities. The first step is a secure and safe boarder for legal entry. I will go to Congress to help broker real solutions and break the gridlock and partisanship that has plagued this country for the past six years.

Our region has experienced tremendous growth over the years, straining our infrastructure and roadways. Serving on local, state and national transportation committees I know the issues and offer real solutions that I will take to Washington and fight for our region.

**CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR
UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE,
41ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

MARK TAKANO, Democratic

AGE: 53

**OCCUPATION: United States Representative / Teacher
EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:**

Dear Neighbor,

Congress is broken, and I have used my first term in office fighting for the commonsense reforms we all know it desperately needs.

As your Representative, I have fought for the middle class, worked to create good paying jobs in the Inland Empire, and stood up to the leaders of both parties to protect Social Security and Medicare.

Over the past two years, my office has secured more than \$1 million in benefits owed to veterans and held several town hall meetings to understand local priorities. I introduced legislation to strengthen and improve school curriculum, increase business participation in job training programs, make it easier for veterans to go back to school, and support the creation of advanced manufacturing jobs.

I will continue to fight for the middle class by supporting job-creating local investments like the UC Riverside Medical School and I'll stand up against tax cuts for billionaires and corporations that want to ship American jobs overseas.

Prior to being elected to the House of Representatives, I dedicated my life to public service as a high school teacher and Riverside Community College Trustee. Those roles prepared me to be an effective advocate for local schools, businesses, veterans, seniors, and middle class families.

I am proud to have the support of local leaders from throughout Riverside, Moreno Valley, Jurupa Valley, and Perris.

I respectfully ask for your vote on November 4th so we can continue to grow our economy and fix Congress.

Mark Takano
www.marktakano.com
(951) 534-6647

**CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR
MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY,
61ST ASSEMBLY DISTRICT**

RUDY ARANDA, Republican
OCCUPATION: Retired LAPD
EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:

My name is Rudy Aranda, and I respectfully ask for your vote.

I have dedicated my life to public service, and I would be honored to serve you as your next Assemblyman.

As a young man, I couldn't sit in class doing nothing while my country was at war. I had to do something. I joined the Army and proudly served in Vietnam.

After the military, I joined the Los Angeles Police Department where I was proud "to protect and to serve" for over 28 years.

All my adult life I have served my country and community with honor and integrity. I will take that honor and integrity with me to Sacramento, and I will work to bring back common sense to state government with my guiding principle being: "What is best for California?"

California faces many challenges. The Inland Empire needs jobs. Our communities need to be safe. Our students need quality education. Taxpayers need relief from excessive taxes, and our state needs a reliable sources of water during this prolonged drought and beyond. These issues, and others, have been ignored for too long and will only be resolved with a common sense approach and cooperation from all stakeholders.

Also, as veteran, I will be the voice and advocate for California veterans and their families in Sacramento.

Let's get California moving again. I ask for your vote on November 4th.

Respectfully,

Rudy Aranda
Candidate
61st Assembly District

Website: RudyAranda2014.com
Email: rudy@RudyAranda2014.com

**CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER,
RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT, TRUSTEE AREA 5**

TRACEY B. VACKAR **AGE: 51**
OCCUPATION: Director, Career Technical Education
EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:

Tracey Vackar understands your family needs a community college that offers affordable training programs, industry certifications, and pathways to university programs!

Tracey Vackar brings proven leadership as the President of Moreno Valley Unified School District Board of Trustees. She earned a Bachelors Degree in Workforce Education, and Masters Degree in Educational Administration. She brings experience setting policy, understanding budgets, curriculum development, and communicates with our community making Tracey Vackar the most qualified candidate for the Riverside Community College District Trustee.

Tracey Vackar collaborates with Inland Empire Colleges as a K-12 school administrator. She designs industry pathways programs that advocates for student employment and higher education opportunities.

Tracey Vackar's dedication and trusted service to our community recognized her as the Moreno Valley Citizen of the Year, and California State Assembly Woman of the Year for her continued service with our schools, Riverside County's Workforce Investment Board Youth Council, Rape Crisis Center, Optimist Club, and educational committees.

Tracey understands the importance keeping college cost affordable while supporting the faculty ensuring classrooms has the technology, equipment for a quality program. Her established relationships with our local schools, colleges, university's and community make her the most experienced candidate.

FOR DEDICATED LEADERSHIP! ELECT TRACEY VACKAR!

www.VACKAR4RCC.com

**CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER,
RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT, TRUSTEE AREA 5**

KERI A. THEN **AGE: 54**
OCCUPATION: Professor
EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:

Dr. Keri Then is core adjunct faculty, School of Business, University of Redlands, where she teaches graduate and undergraduate courses.

She is a former IT Director at the University of Redlands and a former Senior Development Engineer, UC Riverside. Keri is retired from the U.S. Air Force. Her last assignment at Pruem Air Station, Germany, was as the Operating Location Chief.

Keri completed a Doctor of Business Administration. Selections from her dissertation, entitled "Factors Related to the Adoption of Information Technology Emerging Technologies by Research and Non-research Based Universities" were published in the *Research in Higher Educational Journal*, April 2013. She has completed a MS in Telecommunications and a MS in International Relations. Her undergraduate degree is from Chapman University and her associates' degree is from the Community College of the Air Force. Keri is a Master Telecommunications Engineer.

Keri is a member of the board of directors for Community Connect, a non-profit organization, which provides service programs for Riverside Country residents. She was a volunteer for the Moreno Valley Arts Commission's 2013 Art-o-ber Fest and sponsored a fundraiser for the Vanguard Community Art Gallery.

She and her husband, Robert, and daughters, Christina and Elizabeth, live in Moreno Valley.

**CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER,
RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT, TRUSTEE AREA 5**

ANGELOV FAROOQ
OCCUPATION: Educator / Business Owner
EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:

The Riverside Community College District needs strong, experienced leadership to ensure every student in Moreno Valley has access to a quality college education.

As an *educator and business owner*, I understand the unique role Moreno Valley College and the RCCD system occupy in our local economy. I'm running for Board of Trustees to improve the learning experience for our students, expand job training programs, and ensure that RCCD's budget is efficiently managed.

Growing up, I attended local public schools and began taking classes at Riverside Community College at the age of 13. I went on to earn a Bachelor's from UC Berkeley, a Master's and a Doctorate of Policy, Planning and Development from USC. I now work as an instructor with the UC Riverside Extension, own a business that has helped revitalize local communities, and serve on the California Workforce Investment Board. My wife and I are proud residents of MARCH AIR RESERVE BASE.

I have earned the endorsements of the RCCD Faculty Association, Federal, State and local leaders throughout Moreno Valley and the region because they trust that I will work hard to improve our local Community College.

I would be honored to receive your vote.

Angelov Farooq

www.DrFarooq.com

**CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER,
VAL VERDE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

MICHAEL MARTIN VARGAS
OCCUPATION: Incumbent
EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:

AGE: 52

After 33 years of service, I retired from being a police sergeant for the Los Angeles School Police Department. As your School Board member, I have supported quality education, maintained a physically solvent budget, been an advocate for employee rights and maintained communication and trust with parents and employees.

As a parent, tax payer and community member of Val Verde Unified, I have a vested interest in our educational process.

I have strived for and will continue to support transparency and fairness throughout the District. It's imperative to understand the needs of our students, employees and community. I will continue to attend school functions, parent and school site meetings, employee meetings and community meetings. I will continue to attain further knowledge to ensure, we, as a Board of Education are providing our employees the tools needed to provide a safe and healthy environment so our students receive the best education possible.

I believe my background in education, my experience and leadership have prepared me to continue being an effective Board Member and a strong advocate for all parents, staff, students and the community. I will commit to the rigorous demands and respond to the best of my ability.

Vargas4schoolboard@yahoo.com

**CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER,
VAL VERDE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

JULIO CESAR GONZALEZ RODRIGUEZ
OCCUPATION: Educator / Parent
EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:

As the father of three children attending schools within Val Verde, a citizen who pays property and Mello- Roos taxes and voted for Measure L, I have a vested interest in our district. Like most parents, I want the best for my children, which to me means a great education.

For about 14 years, I have worked for outreach departments at local colleges and university, promoting education and careers. I tell students that every job within society is valuable. A society with only doctors would crumble, we also need teachers, janitors and all the other careers, in order to prosper. The question they need to ask themselves is what do they want to do and how are they going accomplish it.

Growing up in Central California, I worked in agricultural farms in the summers, an experience that taught me to value education and my community. I earned my bachelors from UC Riverside and my master in Educational Counseling from the University of Redlands.

Through my professional, academic and personal background, and my desire to provide the best education to my children and all children within our district, I believe that I am a strong candidate. Vote for Julio Gonzalez.

**CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER,
VAL VERDE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

D. SHELLY YARBROUGH
OCCUPATION: Businesswoman / Board Member
EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:

AGE: 57

California has faced a financial crisis over the years. Our school system was broken. Budgets were slashed. Teachers and support staff were laid off. Programs were cut. Many lost faith in the public school system.

Yet, Val Verde improved test scores. From the worst in Riverside County to a top six district of choice.

Today, we hold the highest attendance rate at 96%, the lowest truancy rate, and our graduation rate is at 90.2%.

I've kept my promise to improve test scores at Val Verde, and I've supported a technology driven education utilizing computers to engage students.

Our world is changing. Education is changing.

Our new high school is under construction and will open in 2016 with a focus on Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math (STEAM) program.

Inspiring students to learn through discovery while encouraging them to reach their full potential.

Our students and our community deserve that.

Great teachers, safe schools, the latest in technology, and a new high school.

The very foundation to live a prosperous life in a community of progress and growth.

Visit www.syarbroughforvalverde2014.com or send an email to: syarbrough@valverde.edu

I respectfully ask for your vote.

Thank you and God Bless,

D. Shelly Yarbrough

**CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR
CITY COUNCIL MEMBER,
CITY OF MORENO VALLEY, DISTRICT 4**

WRAYMOND SAWYERR

AGE: 52

**OCCUPATION: Business Owner / Educator
EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:**

My wife and I made Moreno Valley our home 24 years ago. We raised our son here and he attended Val Verde Schools. He is now finishing college.

For the last 8 years I've had the privilege to serve you on the Val Verde Unified School District Board of Education.

I am a small business owner and former Federal Corrections Officer. I believe I bring a unique blend of experience that is greatly needed on the Moreno Valley City Council.

My three main goals are as follows:

BRING GOOD PAYING JOBS TO MORENO VALLEY

Moreno Valley's unemployment rate is 9.8%. We must attract job-creating businesses here to help put residents back to work now.

KEEP OUR NEIGHBORHOODS AND FAMILIES SAFE

The City needs to invest in the necessary police, fire, and emergency services to make residents safer, especially from violent crime and gangs.

HOLD CITY HALL ACCOUNTABLE

I support creating a strong Code of Ethics with tough lobbying restrictions to ensure open and honest government in Moreno Valley.

It would be my honor to serve you on the City Council and I respectfully ask for your vote.

If you have any questions you can reach me at 951-488-2507 or Wraymond@WraymondSawyerr.com.

**CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR
CITY COUNCIL MEMBER,
CITY OF MORENO VALLEY, DISTRICT 4**

LORI NICKEL

AGE: 57

**OCCUPATION: Retired Registered Nurse
EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:**

Moreno Valley has been my home since 1984, the year of incorporation, and I believe the city has yet to achieve her full potential. The city needs a leader in office with knowledge and experience to help manage her affairs. I worked on the first General Plan, and worked to secure our Fire Department's first ladder truck. I served as PTA president at Badger Springs Elementary School, as Band Booster president of MVHS, and on the MVUSD Special Education Advisory. I was appointed by Mayor Ray Tanner to serve on the Riverside County Transportation Citizens Advisory Committee over a tenure of 13 years. I gained a vast knowledge of transit issues from public transit to improvements of streets, roads, and sidewalks, and worked on Measure A to help implement Metrolink into the Inland Empire.

As a trained Registered Nurse since 1978 I know how to work within the confines of legal mandates, and work with vast personality types to achieve common goals. My life has been one of service and I believe these learned skills can be used to better serve the residents of District 4. Let's heal Moreno Valley together!

**CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR
CITY COUNCIL MEMBER,
CITY OF MORENO VALLEY, DISTRICT 4**

DR. YXSTIAN GUTIERREZ

OCCUPATION: Teacher / Educator

EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:

LET'S MOVE FORWARD

I bring the skills of owning a small business and the patience and knowledge of a special needs teacher and professor to the Council. We have made progress balancing our budget and restoring city services, but more work is needed.

PUBLIC SAFETY

We will concentrate police in unsafe neighborhoods and improve our quality of life by:

- Increasing Patrols
- Improving Community Relations
- Patrolling Schools and Parks
- Ensuring Adequate Police Funding

MORENO VALLEY NEEDS JOBS

We have created 3000 jobs, but unemployment continues above 11%. We must continue to:

- Offer Job Creation Incentives to Attract New Businesses
- Reduce Regulations and Lower Taxes
- Improve Infrastructure
- Advocate for Small Business/Homeowner Friendly Programs
- Lower Unemployment Rates

AS YOUR COUNCILMAN, I've fought for you!

I will continue to fight for the things you care about such as:

- More Jobs and Public Safety WITHOUT New Taxes
- Continuing Efforts to Expand Youth Programs
- Advocating for our Aging, Veterans, and Special Needs Communities
- Reducing Animal Shelter Kill Rates
- Expanding MUSIC and ARTS Programs

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**CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR
CITY COUNCIL MEMBER,
CITY OF MORENO VALLEY, DISTRICT 4**

GWENDOLYN CROSS

OCCUPATION: Business Woman
EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:

I have been a resident of the 4th district for 14 years. I am a community activist for district 4.

I was appointed by Governor Jerry Brown as a commissioner to the California Private Security Disciplinary Review Committee, South May 2013 and recently appointed to the U.S.-Vets Advisory Council, Moreno Valley for Riverside County.

As your Councilwoman I am committed to:

- Working to reduce the crime in District 4
- Support additional funding for Public Safety
- Bringing integrity, trust and character to city council
- Promote economic development and bring union jobs
- Increase services for seniors
- Continue to work for the Homeless Veterans

I respectfully ask for your vote, Gwendolyn Cross for City Council, November 4, 2014

**CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR
CITY COUNCIL MEMBER,
CITY OF MORENO VALLEY, DISTRICT 4**

JAIME MORENO

OCCUPATION: Customer Service Representative
EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:

I am a resident of Moreno Valley for 16 years. I received all my K-12 education in our school district and have been a loyal resident to this community.

I am a graduate of UCR with a B.A. in Political Science/Law and Society. I have interned for the San Bernardino Board of Supervisors and learned how to improve the way government should work to make stronger communities and create economic growth. I also interned for the 45th Congressional District where I learned to be responsive to the needs of constituents. My internships have taught me how to run an effective government that adapts to change.

I worked at our local Cinnabon bakery for 5 years. I helped create a healthy work environment, save cost and drive in business traffic. For 2 years I have worked in logistics customer service, helping companies save operational cost, improve service agreements, and create more services. My work experience has given me the skills to make wise business decisions.

Together we can make Moreno Valley a stronger and healthier community and I am the man for the job.

**CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR
CITY COUNCIL MEMBER,
CITY OF MORENO VALLEY, DISTRICT 4**

ROBIN WETMORE

OCCUPATION: Businesswoman
EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:

Moreno Valley is home to many hard-working people, yet we're crushed by high taxes and unemployment, plus the nation's worst business climate for jobs. My goal is simple: help the people in our community prosper and create jobs by focusing on policies that help the people, and meeting critical needs like public safety and transportation.

Moreno Valley citizens want opportunities to expand businesses, access good paying jobs, educate and raise families safely, and realize a bright, secure future for seniors, children, and grandchildren.

My experience includes 15 years with the Los Angeles Office of the District Attorney as a supervisor in the criminal division. I have 27 years experience working for the City of Moreno Valley preparing and submitting recommendations to the budget process, forecasting future capital spending, and I participated for several years as a member of the budget committee.

For the past 7 years I have served as a Supervisory Committee Member at our local credit union on March AFB. I bring my diverse knowledge of the city culture and my concerns as a small business owner. I respectfully ask for your vote for Robin Wetmore.

MEASURE "I" – CITY OF MORENO VALLEY

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MORENO VALLEY, CALIFORNIA, AMENDING CHAPTER 2.04 OF THE MORENO VALLEY MUNICIPAL CODE PERTAINING TO TERM LIMITS FOR MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL

The City Council of the City of Moreno Valley does ordain as follows:

SECTION 1.

Moreno Valley Municipal Code, Chapter 2.04, "Council," is amended to add Section 2.04.025 to read as follows:

2.04.025 Term Limits.

Any person who shall have served three (3) successive terms as a member of the City Council shall be ineligible to serve again in the office until an intervening period of two (2) years has elapsed. For the purposes hereof, any person who serves as a Councilmember for two (2) years or more of an appointed or elected term shall be considered to have served a term. Neither terms completed prior to this provision taking effect nor terms that are in progress at the time this provision takes effect shall count toward the three (3) term limit.

SECTION 2. EFFECT OF ENACTMENT:

Except as specifically provided herein, nothing contained in this ordinance shall be deemed to modify or supersede any prior enactment of the City Council which addresses the same subject addressed herein. If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this ordinance, including the application of such part or provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby and shall continue in full force and effect. To this end, provisions of this ordinance are severable. The City Council of the City of Moreno Valley hereby declares that it would have adopted each section, subsection, subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase hereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, subdivisions, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases be held unconstitutional, invalid, or unenforceable.

SECTION 3. NOTICE OF ADOPTION:

Within fifteen days after the date of adoption hereof, the City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this ordinance and cause it to be posted in three public places within the city. Upon adoption of this ordinance pursuant to the voter approval referenced in Resolution No. 2014-35, the City Clerk, in consultation with the City Attorney, is hereby authorized and directed to codify this ordinance in the Moreno Valley Municipal Code.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE:

Pursuant to Elections Code section 9217, this ordinance shall take effect ten (10) days after the City Council declares the results of the election.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 201__.

ATTEST:

City Clerk

Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney

IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE "I"

Councilmembers in the City of Moreno Valley are elected for four year terms. Under current law, there is no limit on the number of terms an individual may serve as a councilmember.

Voters may impose term limits on city councilmembers. Measure "I", if adopted by a simple majority vote of the people, will impose term limits on councilmembers and would prohibit a councilmember from serving more than three successive four-year terms until an intervening period of two years has elapsed. Appointment to fill a vacancy on the City Council will count as serving for a full four-year term if the appointed councilmember serves two or more years on the City Council.

Measure "I" was placed on the ballot by the City Council. If adopted by the voters, the proposed ordinance will take effect ten (10) days after the results of the election are certified by the City Council. If the proposed ordinance is adopted, term limits would apply prospectively, meaning that council terms in progress or completed before the effective date of the ordinance would not count toward the three-term limit.

If Measure "I" passes, the term limits ordinance can only be amended by the voters. If Measure "I" fails, there will continue to be no limit on the number of terms an individual may serve as a councilmember.

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure "I". If you desire a copy of the ordinance or measure, please call the City Clerk's Office at (951) 413-3001 and a copy will be mailed at no cost to you.

By: City Attorney

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE "I"

The question of term limits is not new. The reason we should have term limits is "in free governments the rulers are the servants and the people are their superiors. "For the former to return among the latter does not degrade but promote them." It was Benjamin Franklin who summed up this best case more than two centuries ago.

The founding fathers did not want a monarchy; they wanted a government "by the people". Without the necessary restrictions of term limits, "The people" would soon devolve down to a very small, very powerful, very rich group of elites.

Local politics at the city and county level may not have as many branches, but they serve the same purpose. The city council is supposed to be made up of its constituents, who are drafted out of their local population to serve.

Term limits serve as the best buffer to keep those career-minded types from gumming up the system, which is why term limits are so very important.

A politician working without term limits is a politician working purely on re-election and amassing power.

If regular people are allowed the opportunity to run for office on a level playing field, term limits wouldn't be needed.

Regardless of how you vote, we the People will decide. Your decision will count and be respected.

Vote "YES" on Measure "I"

By: Jesse L. Molina, Mayor Moreno Valley
Lidia Molina

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE "I"

Term limits

The Concerned Citizens of Moreno Valley were involved in gathering signatures to recall the entire Moreno Valley City council because they were targets of an extensive criminal investigative probe by the FBI Criminal Political Corruption Task Force for using their position for personal gains. Some of these same individuals have decided to place Measure "I" and Measure "R" on the ballot for your approval. They cannot be trusted. They must clear themselves of the corruption allegations and regain the trust of the citizens of Moreno Valley before proposing any measure that impacts the leadership structure and our quality of life within Moreno Valley.

Measure "I" is fraudulent. The purpose of term limits is to remove entrenched power and reduce the influence of money and special interest in politics.

We support real term limits such as 2 four year terms (8 years). The president of the United States of America can only serve 2 four year terms.

Murrieta successfully passed Measure "C" (November 2010) by 67% of the votes so that elected official can only serve two consecutive terms.

We ask you to vote NO on Measure "I".

By: Craig R. Givens, Concerned Citizens of Moreno Valley Advocacy Group

Curtis L. Gardner, Concerned Citizens of Moreno Valley Advocacy Group

ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE “I”

Please vote no on Measure “I” because this ballot measure does not limit the number of terms that a city council person can be elected. The title of this initiative is misleading. This measure merely requires a 2 year break after each 12 years served but it does not limit the number of terms a person can be on the council. This measure was written without consideration of public input or the public's opinion and Moreno Valley voters deserve better.

If these “term limits” were implemented, a councilperson would still be able to serve 24 out of 26 years, 36 out of 40 years or even 48 out of 54 years. This is a poor excuse for term limits and Moreno Valley voters should reject it. Measure “I” is fraudulent and does not represent the real purpose of term limits which is to remove entrenched power and reduce the influence of money and special interests from our elected leaders.

We are in support of real term limits such as 2 four year terms (8 years) or 3 four year terms (12 years) as a lifetime limit. The president of the USA can only serve 2 four year terms. The City of Murrieta successfully passed Measure “C” in November of 2010 with 67% of the vote to limit the City Council to no more than two consecutive terms in office.

We are in favor of real term limits but this does not accomplish the task. Please let the majority of Moreno Valley City Council know they can't fool the voters by giving them a measure that doesn't do what it claims to do.

By: Deanna Reeder, Stop Votes For Sale Network

Craig R. Givens, Concerned Citizens of Moreno Valley
Advocacy Group

Curtis L. Gardner, Concerned Citizens of Moreno Valley
Advocacy Group

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE “I”

Voting Yes on Measure “I”, to have term limits will level the playing field.

The opposition claim that this measure is not absolute and they can run again in two years. By having a break in the election this helps in giving an exceptional councilmember a chance to run again, the mediocre ones will be weeded out.

Currently council members who hold office for long periods becoming out of touch with the citizens that elected them. Currently they amass power and influence, that eventually leads them to an oligarchy, and susceptible to corruption. This is evident of many city councils and county governments.

With this ballot measure you the people will have a chance to decide the term limits. Please stop the oligarchy. “Government by the people for the people.”

Ultimately it is your decision and it will be respected.

By: Jesse L. Molina

Lidia Molina

MEASURE "R" – CITY OF MORENO VALLEY

ORDINANCE NO. 879

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MORENO VALLEY, CALIFORNIA, AMENDING TITLE 2 OF THE MORENO VALLEY MUNICIPAL CODE RELATING TO THE CREATION OF THE OFFICE OF A DIRECTLY ELECTED MAYOR AND THE NUMBER, DESIGNATION, AND BOUNDARIES OF FOUR COUNCILMANIC DISTRICTS

WHEREAS, on November 6, 1984, the voters approved Measure "F", providing for the incorporation of the City of Moreno Valley with a five (5) member City Council elected at large; and

WHEREAS, on November 6, 1984, the voters approved Measure "G", providing that members of the City Council would be elected "by districts," meaning that each member of the City Council is elected by voters who only reside within each of five districts; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to California Government Code section 36801, the Moreno Valley City Council has selected the Mayor from among the Council's members; and

WHEREAS, California Government Code section 34900 *et seq.*, authorizes the City Council to submit to the voters the question of whether the voters shall elect a Mayor and four (4) City Councilmembers, and whether the Mayor shall serve a two-year term or four-year term; and

WHEREAS, on November 2, 2010, the City Council placed two advisory questions on the municipal general election ballot, the first of which asked voters if they support the change from an appointed Mayor to an elected Mayor, and the second of which asked voters if, whether or not they support such a change, the City Council should call a binding election to decide the issue, and a majority of voters voted "yes" on each question; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to place these questions on the ballot during the statewide election conducted the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November of this year; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after its adoption by a majority of the voters of the City of Moreno Valley, and shall only take effect if, prior to submission of this ordinance to the voters for their approval, the City's Planning Commission adopts a resolution making those findings required by California Government Code section 34875.

The City Council of the City of Moreno Valley does ordain as follows:

SECTION 1.

Moreno Valley Municipal Code, Chapter 2.04, "Council," is amended to add Section 2.04.005 to read as follows:

2.04.005 Mayor and Councilmembers.

- (a) The electors shall elect a mayor and four (4) councilmembers.
- (b) The council shall consist of the mayor and four (4) councilmembers.
- (c) The term of the office of mayor shall be that preferred by a majority of those voting on the proposition approving the election of the mayor, and the term of office of each councilmember shall be four (4) years.
- (d) Councilmembers shall be elected "by district" as that term is defined in Government Code section 34871.

SECTION 2.

Chapter 2.04, "Commission Appointments," of the Moreno Valley Municipal Code, is amended at Section 2.04.060 to read as follows:

2.04.060 Commission Appointments.

Unless otherwise specifically provided in this code or by state law, all city board, commission and committee appointments shall be made by the mayor with the approval of the city council.

SECTION 3.

Chapter 2.06, "Boards and Commissions-General Provisions," of the Moreno Valley Municipal Code, is amended at Section 2.06.010 to read as follows:

2.06.010 General Rules Regarding Appointments, Terms, Vacancies.

- A. Unless otherwise provided by law or by ordinance or resolution, all members of boards and commissions of the city shall be appointed by the mayor with the approval of the city council for three-year terms commencing as of July 1st of the year of appointment; provided, that interim vacancies shall be filled by appointment to the specific unexpired term of the member replaced. This rule shall not apply to newly established boards or commissions, the initial appointments to which shall be made on a staggered-term basis, provided that the longest such term shall not exceed three years, commencing with the July 1st next following the appointment.

- B. Unless otherwise provided by law, and notwithstanding that an ordinance or resolution establishing a board or commission may fail to so provide, then in addition to the number of members of a board or commission set forth in the enactment establishing such board or commission, the mayor may, with the approval of the city council and in his or her discretion, appoint one or more alternate members to each board or commission. During their incumbency as such, alternate members shall have no vote in the proceedings of the board or commission. In the event of one or more interim vacancies in a board or commission as declared by the city council, and subject to confirmation by the city council, alternate members to such board or commission shall assume the vacated seat or seats for the unexpired portion of the term of the member replaced.
- C. Any member of a board or commission of this city may be removed from office at any time, with or without cause, by a majority vote of the city council, except in cases where the mayor or city council are not the appointing authority (in which cases such regular appointing authority may exercise this power of removal). If a member is absent without advance permission of the board or commission or of the appointing authority, from three regular meetings or from twenty-five (25) percent of the duly scheduled meetings of the board or commission within any fiscal year, the membership shall thereupon become vacant and shall be filled as any other vacancy.
- D. Unless otherwise provided by law, or by ordinance or resolution of the city council, all members of any board or commission of the city appointed by the mayor and approved by the city council shall be at the inception of and throughout their incumbencies, bona fide residents of the city. No member of a board or commission of the city shall be an employee of the city during such membership.
- E. Unless otherwise specifically provided by the action establishing the body or appointing its initial members, no person shall be at the same time a member of more than one citizens advisory body created by ordinance or resolution of the city council.

SECTION 4.

If the majority of Moreno Valley voters approve the measure concerning the direct election of the mayor and the reapportionment of councilmanic districts as set forth in Exhibit A (attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference), Resolution No. 2011-107 shall be repealed and in place of Resolution No. 2011-07, new district boundaries and the designation of each of the four (4) council districts as set forth in Exhibit A including a map of the districts will be adopted. If the measure is approved, the councilmanic office previously designated as District 5 will be designated as the office of the mayor and the voters of the entire city will directly elect the mayor in the municipal general election of 2016. Districts 1 and 3 will elect Councilmembers in 2016 and Districts 2 and 4 will elect Councilmembers in 2018.

SECTION 5.

This ordinance is hereby adopted and submitted to the City Clerk, who is directed to transmit the ordinance to the Planning Commission to make findings by resolution as to the matters set forth in California Government Code section 34875. Upon adoption of such a resolution by the Planning Commission within ninety (90) days of the adoption of this ordinance, the City Clerk is directed to bring before the City Council a resolution calling a municipal election, placing a measure concerning the direct election of the mayor and reapportionment of councilmanic districts on the municipal election ballot, and requesting consolidation of the municipal election with the statewide general election of November 4, 2014.

SECTION 6.

This ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after its adoption by a majority of the voters of the City of Moreno Valley, and shall only take effect if, prior to submission of this ordinance to the voters for their approval, the City's Planning Commission adopts a resolution making those findings required by California Government Code section 34875.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 24th day of June, 2014.

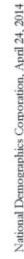
ATTEST:

Jane Halstead
City Clerk

Jesse Molina
Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Suzanne Bryant
City Attorney



IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE "R"

Background

Measure "R" is one of three ballot measures placed on the ballot by the City Council related to establishing a directly elected mayor of the City of Moreno Valley ("City"). Since incorporation as a general law city, the City has been governed by a five-member Council and the Council selects one of its members to serve as mayor for the next year. The mayor serves as the presiding officer of Council meetings, performs certain ceremonial functions, performs limited administrative duties such as signing Council approved contracts and adopted resolutions and ordinances.

As a general law city seeking to create the office of an elected mayor, State law requires that three separate but related questions be posed to the voters.

- (1) Measure "R" will ask whether the mayor of the City of Moreno Valley should be elected on a citywide basis and that the Council members be elected by 4 districts?
- (2) Measure "S" asks whether the term of office of mayor should be two years?
- (3) Measure "T" asks whether the term of office of mayor should be four years?

Powers and Duties of an Elected Mayor:

If passed, Measure "R" would designate the office of elected mayor in the City in place of one of the existing Council seats beginning in November of 2016, when the next general election for the City is scheduled. So the City would change from having a City Council elected by five (5) districts to having a City Council elected by four (4) districts and a city wide election for the mayor.

The office of elected mayor in a general law city has all the same powers and duties as a City Council member and would also make all appointments to boards, commissions, and committees (unless otherwise specified by state law) subject to the approval of the Council.

Measure "R" requires a simple majority vote to pass. Either Measure "S" or "T" shall determine the term of office, which would begin upon the seating of the new Council in November 2016.

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure "R". If you desire a copy of the ordinance or measure, please call the City Clerk's Office at (951) 413-3001 and a copy will be mailed at no cost to you.

By: City Attorney

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE "R"

PUT RESIDENTS IN CHARGE NOT POLITICIANS

Those opposing Measure "R" want politicians to continue to choose Moreno Valley's "Ceremonial Mayor" amongst themselves. Opponents say the current system is "not broken" and "the measure gives too much power to the Mayor."

NOTHING COULD BE FURTHER FROM THE TRUTH.

The Mayor's powers are essentially unchanged. The City Manager is in charge of the day-to-day operations of the city and there are major problems with the current system:

- Rotating the Mayor every year weakens the Mayor's ability to effectively represent Moreno Valley's interest with other governmental agencies. Some projects require the Mayor's attention for more than a year's time.
- The ceremonial selection of the Mayor prohibits residents from participating in the election of the primary representative of their city.
- Currently Mayors are councilmembers who are responsible to only their district's interest but must weigh decisions affecting the interest of the entire city. Oftentimes they're at odds.
- The ceremonial "my turn" selection of the mayor fails to provide for a consensus making leader that is accountable to residents citywide.

MORENO VALLEY RESIDENTS KNOW WHAT'S BEST

In a 2010 non-binding referendum, over 80% of voters supported a citywide elected Mayor. Despite overwhelming support it wasn't economically feasible to place this issue on the ballot. The voters felt ignored. The time to elect our Mayor is NOW!

The campaign for citywide Mayor will focus debate on citywide issues and increase voter participation.

- The Mayor will serve as an elected official answerable to a citywide constituency.
- A citywide elected Mayor with a four year term will significantly enhance the stature of the Mayor in dealings with outside government agencies.

YOUR MAYOR SHOULD BE ACCOUNTABLE TO YOU!

THE TIME HAS COME FOR MORENO VALLEY TO HAVE AN ELECTED MAYOR!

VOTE YES ON MEASURE "R"

By: Jesse L. Molina, Mayor
Lidia Molina
Roy Bleckert, Resident

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE "R"

WE DO NOT OPPOSE HAVING THE PEOPLE ELECT OUR MAYOR.

WE OPPOSE THIS POORLY DRAFTED MEASURE.

Our opponents claim this measure does not change the Mayor's powers. **That is untrue.** Currently, the entire Council screens applicants for boards and commissions. This measure gives the Mayor sole power to choose board and commission members. The illegal appointment of the recently removed District 4 Councilman illustrates the potential negative outcome of such power.

This measure reduces the number of Councilmembers and Districts from five to four. Many residents support increasing the number of Districts in our growing City. Our opponents claim a larger Council would cost more. **That is untrue.** Pay and benefits for each Councilmember currently total about \$40,000 per year. Splitting the \$200,000 salary budget between six Councilmembers and a Mayor leaves pay of about \$30,000 per year.

Our opponents claim an appointed mayor is weak and ineffective. **That is untrue.** The Mayor, whether elected or appointed, creates their own success.

This measure reflects the dishonest character of the politicians behind it, who are being recalled and investigated for corruption. The recently recalled Mayor initiated this measure and the illegally appointed District 4 Councilman supported it. Only two of the current Councilmembers support this measure, and one of them faces recall in November.

THIS MEASURE WOULD NOT BE EFFECTIVE UNTIL 2016. WE HAVE TIME TO DEVELOP A BETTER MEASURE WITH THE NEW COUNCIL THAT WILL BE IN PLACE AFTER THE NOVEMBER ELECTION.

PLEASE VOTE **NO** ON MEASURE "R"!

<https://www.facebook.com/NoOnMoValMeasureR>

By: Richard A. Stewart
George Price
Kathleen Dale, Moreno Valley Resident Since 1958
Deanna Reeder, Stop Votes for Sale Network

ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE "R"

PLEASE VOTE **NO** ON MEASURE "R"!

In 2010 the voters were asked if they want a directly-elected Mayor. They answered that question, without having been provided all the facts. The Council majority claims this new measure simply fulfills the voters' 2010 decision. This rushed and hushed measure is very different from what the voters expected in 2010 and includes many hidden provisions that are not in the long-term best interests of the City of Moreno Valley.

- **This measure reduces representation.** This measure combines five existing Council Districts into four substantially larger districts. Each Councilmember will represent about 10,000 more people.
- **This measure silences the People in deciding the number of Council Districts.** The law allows four, six or eight Council districts with a directly-elected Mayor. The Council majority decided on four Districts, without giving you a choice.
- **Your Council representative may change in December even though your District is not voting in this election.** This measure includes a redistricting element that is not openly disclosed. Reorganizing the five existing Districts into four creates new voting boundaries. The shuffling of Council District boundaries disrupts election cycles such that **some areas that last voted in 2012 will not vote again until 2018.**
- **The People deserve more opportunity for participation, not less.** If this measure passes, the Mayor will choose all commission and board appointees.

We support the People's right to determine how they should be governed. This measure is typical of problems in Moreno Valley government that led to the recalls and the ongoing corruption investigation.

If this ill-conceived measure passes, it will be difficult to repair the damage. The People would have to force another election to undo the reduction in the number of Council seats and the related redistricting.

PLEASE VOTE NO ON MEASURE "R"!

By: George Price, Councilmember District 3
Deanna Reeder, Stop Votes for Sale Network
Kathleen Dale, Moreno Valley resident since 1958
Richard A. Stewart, Councilmember District 2

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE "R"

The benefits of having a directly elected Mayor is not a new question.

Since 2001, it has been discussed but no one had the guts to bring it forward to the voters. At a April 24, 2001 council meeting, there were talks of petitioning for a directly appointed Mayor by a citizen and encouraged by the Mayor, with no action taken.

In June 2007, discussed at a study session, the mayor issue was brought forward by Council Members , again, no action.

Currently in the round robin selection, the Mayor is accountable to his constituents and has a tendency to be "biased" in his district. This is obvious. In 2010, the city of Murrieta saw this and corrected it.

A two year term everyone has the choice to elect their representatives, you do not have that opportunity now.

A four year term during the presidential election, can also work, but it's up to you the voter to decide.

Under this proposal, you will double your elected representation, which make them both accountable to you, the voter.

In November 2010, Measure "N" asked the voters of Moreno Valley if they support changing to an elected Mayor, it was overwhelmingly approved. It is time to take action!

Regardless of past discussions, this issue has come before the citizens to decide.

Vote Yes on Measure "R" !

By: Jesse L. Molina
Lidia Molina
Roy Bleckert, Resident

IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE "S"

NO ARGUMENTS FILED IN FAVOR OR AGAINST MEASURE "S"

Background

Measure "S" is one of three ballot measures placed on the ballot by the City Council related to establishing a directly elected mayor for the City of Moreno Valley ("City"). Since incorporation as a general law city, the City has been governed by a five-member Council, and the Council selects one of its members to serve as mayor for the next year.

As a general law city seeking to create the office of an elected mayor, State law requires that three separate but related questions be posed to the voters.

- (1) Measure "R" will ask whether the mayor of the City of Moreno Valley should be elected on a citywide basis and that the Council members be elected by 4 districts?
- (2) Measure "S" asks whether the term of office of mayor should be two years?
- (3) Measure "T" asks whether the term of office of mayor should be four years?

Effect

Measure "S" is a companion proposition to Measures "R" and "T". The passage of Measure "S" would set the term for an elected mayor at two years only if both of the following occur:

- (1) A majority of voters approve Measure "R" to establish the office of an elected mayor in the City; and
- (2) This Measure "S" (the two-year term of office measure) receives more votes than Measure "T" (the four-year term of office measure).

If passed, the first opportunity to elect the mayor would be in November of 2016, when the next general election for the City is scheduled.

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure "S". If you desire a copy of the measure, please call the City Clerk's Office at (951) 413-3001 and a copy will be mailed at no cost to you.

By: City Attorney

IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE "T"

NO ARGUMENTS FILED IN FAVOR OR AGAINST MEASURE "T"

Background

Measure "T" is one of three ballot measures placed on the ballot by the City Council related to establishing a directly elected mayor of the City of Moreno Valley ("City"). Since incorporation as a general law city, the City has been governed by a five-member Council, and the Council selects one of its members to serve as mayor for the next year.

As a general law city seeking to create the office of an elected mayor, State law requires that three separate but related questions be posed to the voters.

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Effect

Measure "T" is a companion proposition to Measures "R" and "S". The passage of Measure "T" would set the term for an elected mayor at four years only if both of the following occur:

- (1) A majority of voters approve Measure "R" to establish the office of an elected mayor in the City; and
- (2) This Measure "T" (the four-year term of office measure) receives more votes than Measure "S" (the two-year term of office measure).

If passed, the first opportunity to elect the mayor would be in November of 2016, when the next general election for the City is scheduled.

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure "T". If you desire a copy of the measure, please call the City Clerk's Office at (951) 413-3001 and a copy will be mailed at no cost to you.

By: City Attorney

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Election Day, November 4

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IMPORTANT DATES



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OCTOBER 20

Close of voter registration

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NOVEMBER 4, ELECTION DAY

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9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Election Day November 4

7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Please visit our website at www.voteinfo.net for additional early voting locations and information.

IMPORTANT NOTICE!!!

Accessible Voting Unit available at all polling locations.

TO MARK YOUR VOTE
DRAW A LINE



VOTE!!!

For a demonstration on marking your ballot visit www.voteinfo.net

VOTE EARLY

IT'S QUICK

IT'S EASY

IT'S CONVENIENT

GET OUT OF LINE ON ELECTION DAY!

VOTE-BY-MAIL

↓ LOCATION OF YOUR POLLING PLACE ↓



ACCESS?

