

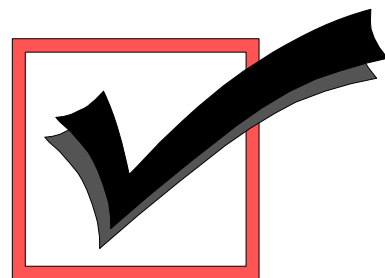


COUNTY of SAN LUIS OBISPO

**CONSOLIDATED GENERAL
ELECTION NOVEMBER 6, 2018**

MEDIA GUIDE

VOTE



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**WELCOME TO THE NOVEMBER 6, 2018 CONSOLIDATED GENERAL ELECTION
INFORMATION AND MEDIA GUIDE**

This information guide contains general information about elections as well as information specific to the upcoming election, including candidate and measure information on the ballot for this election. I hope you will find the information we have provided useful. If you have any comments, suggestions or further questions, please contact the elections staff or me personally.

Tommy Gong, County Clerk-Recorder

ELECTION NIGHT CONTACTS

Election Night Results - County of San Luis Obispo

Phone: 1-805-781-5228

Internet: www.slovote.com

Election Night Results - State

Internet: www.sos.ca.gov (Click on Elections Home Page)

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WHAT'S NEW THIS ELECTION

This election offers a myriad of changes for our voters both due to legislative actions and county processes.

NEW VOTING SYSTEM

The Clerk-Recorder is using a new voting system for the second time this year. Out of a competitive bid process selection made in Fall 2017, Dominion Voting System was selected for its modern system with high-speed central counting units, electronic adjudication of voter marks on the ballot and counting write-in candidates, ballot-on-demand ballot printers, and ballot duplication capability with efficient ballot marking devices. The system continues to be paper-based, with fill in the ovals, but with additional functionality to make the ballot counting process more efficient. Furthermore, the Clerk-Recorder office has added additional physical security measures to protect the voting equipment from tampering.

CONDITIONAL VOTER REGISTRATION

If voters missed the 15-day close of registration deadline, they now have the option to complete a Conditional Voter Registration (CVR) and vote a Provisional Ballot. Clerk-Recorder staff will review the CVR information and determine if the Provisional Ballot should be counted during the Canvass activities after Election Day. These voters must complete their CVR forms at the Elections Offices only, either in San Luis Obispo or Atascadero. For more information, call 805-781-5228.

NEW MOTOR VOTER PROGRAM AT THE DMV

Through the Secretary of State and Department of Motor Vehicles, any eligible voter that does business with the DMV will be automatically registered to vote unless they opt out. This system makes voter registration convenient and accessible to voters, especially as registration deadlines approach. This program went live in mid-April, and counties are receiving voter information directly from the DMV.

NEW LANGUAGE ACCESS REQUIREMENTS

Additional requirements are now needed for limited-English-proficient voters. Although the County of San Luis Obispo is not required to produce bilingual ballots or Spanish-only ballots, it is required to produce facsimile ballots in Spanish countywide and Tagalog (the national language of the Philippines) for a segment of voters in Arroyo Grande. These facsimile ballots are on display and available for voter's reference at polling places, on the County website, and upon request. Furthermore, this information was included in the Voter Information Guide in the required languages (Spanish and Tagalog)

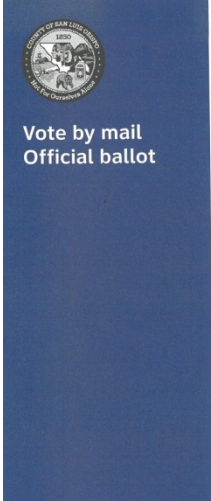
NEW POLLING PLACES - CHECK POLLING PLACE LOCATION BEFORE HEADING OUT ON ELECTION DAY

In San Luis Obispo County, we rely on public buildings for polling places. However the demand for these buildings is great and although our local agencies, schools and churches are also cooperative in ensuring we have sufficient space for Election Day activities, some polling places may change from previous locations due to scheduling conflicts. As always, it is important that

voters check to make sure they know the polling place to which they are assigned.

**VOTE BY MAIL BALLOTS
NEW VBM ENVELOPE DESIGN**

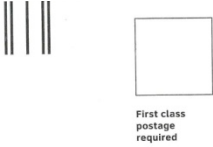
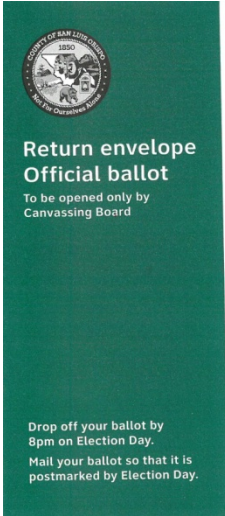
In an effort to provide more uniformity between counties and assist the United States Postal Service to identify outgoing and incoming Vote By Mail ballots, the County has redesigned its VBM envelopes.



San Luis Obispo County Recorder
Registrar of Voters
PO Box 8102
San Luis Obispo CA 93403-8102

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U.S. POSTAGE
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San Luis Obispo
County Recorder
Registrar of Voters

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SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY RECORDER
ELECTIONS DIVISION
PO BOX 8102
SAN LUIS OBISPO CA 93403-8102



ELECTION DAY POSTMARK FOR VOTE BY MAIL BALLOTS

New legislations allows county election officials to count vote by mail ballots that are postmarked by Election Day and received within three business days after Election Day. If a voter drops their ballot in the mail on Election Day, it is recommended that they take it to the mail counter and request a "Circle Date Stamp" be applied.

DROP OFF VBM BALLOT AT ANY POLL, VOTE CENTER, VBM BALLOT DROP-OFF LOCATION, OR ELECTION OFFICE IN THE STATE

Voters may drop-off their voted VBM ballot at any poll, vote center, VBM ballot drop-off location or election office in the state by the close of polls on Election Day. If the ballot was dropped off in another county, that county must forward to

the jurisdiction that issued the ballot within eight days of receipt.

SIGNATURE MISMATCH AND NO-SIGNATURE ON RETURNED VBM ENVELOPES

If a voter’s signature on the returned vote-by-mail envelope does not match the signature(s) on file in the voter record, the Elections Staff will send a letter and a Signature Verification Statement to the voter notifying them of the mismatch. The Signature Verification Statement must be completed and returned no later than 5:00 pm two days prior to the certification of the election in order for their ballot to be counted. Voters are able to mail, email, fax or hand deliver this Statement to the County Elections Department.

If a voter returned their vote-by-mail ballot without a signature on the return envelope, the Elections Staff will send a letter and an Unsigned Ballot Statement that they must complete and return, via mail, email, fax or hand-deliver no later than 5:00 pm on the eighth day after the election in order for their ballot to be counted.**WEBSITE RESOURCES**

LOOK-UP FOR VOTER REGISTRATION STATUS, WHAT ARE MY DISTRICTS? AND VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOT STATUS

Using this one webpage, voters can verify they are registered to vote at their current address, obtain a listing of the districts in which their residence is located and track their vote-by-mail status.

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Voter Status Search

To see your voter status, enter the following information and click "Show status".

In order to maintain the privacy of the voter, the information provided must be an exact match to the voter registration on file with our office and all fields must be completed.

If you cannot view your voter status, please contact the Elections Office at 781-5228 and we will assist you.

Birth date (format: mm/dd/yyyy)

Last 4 digits of your California driver's license number (or the last 4 digits of your California ID number)

Street address (number only)
(example: if your address is 123 Main, enter 123)

Show Status

Find Polling Place

The voter is required to enter their birthdate, last 4 digits of their CA driver’s license and the numbers of their street address. If an exact match is found, their registration status will be confirmed, their vote-by-mail ballot status information for the current election and the districts in which they reside will be displayed. The system will be updated daily with both registration and vote-by-mail status information. If the voter is unable to find the information on the web, they can continue to contact our office by phone at 781-5228 or by email at elections@co.slo.ca.us.

Voter Registration Status	
Registered City:	Grover Beach
Registered Political Party:	Declined To State
Voter Registration Status:	Active
* Vote-by-Mail Status:	Permanent Vote-By-Mail voter
Vote-by-Mail Ballot Status June 5, 2012 Presidential Primary Election	
Ballot Category:	Permanent Vote-By-Mail voter
Date Issued:	5/7/2012
Date Returned:	
Challenged:	
Return Source:	
Your residence address is located in these districts	
	17TH SENATORIAL DISTRICT 24TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 35TH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 3RD SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT CITY OF GROVER BEACH CUESTA TA #3 LUCIA MAR TRUSTEE AREA NO 4 LUCIA MAR UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT PORT SAN LUIS HARBOR DISTRICT SLO CO BOARD OF EDUCATION 4 SLO COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION DIST 2


CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE WEB. Candidates with committees are required to file 2 pre-election campaign reports as well as contribution reports if they receive over \$2,000 from a single source. These paper reports are scanned and uploaded to the Clerk-Recorder website. You can find the link on the Clerk-Recorder homepage under Most Requested Services, then Campaign Finance Reports and Information Search:


The portal allows you to search by name, id or all filings by date. The address information of donors has been redacted on the reports submitted on the web, however, the unredacted version is still available by visiting the offices of the Clerk-Recorder.



Welcome to the County of San Luis Obispo Public Portal for Campaign Finance Disclosure

Export E-Filed FPPC Form 460 - 496 - 497 - 461 - 465 transactions by year to Excel.

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[Export Amended](#)  Most Recently amended version of the transactions only


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Search Filings by Date	Start Date <input type="text"/>  End Date <input type="text"/> 	<input type="button" value="Search"/>


The Public Portal contains financial information provided by candidates and committees. It can answer questions about who is contributing money, who is receiving money, and how it is being spent.

Use the Campaign Statement Public Portal to research campaign contributions and expenditures, review campaign statements filed by candidates and committees, or examine a committee's filing history by election.

Browse Candidates & Measures by Election

Click the plus sign () to expand the items below. The links for candidates and measure open in a new window.

 11/04/2014 General Election

 06/03/2014 Primary Election

ACCESSIBILITY FEATURES AVAILABLE ON WEBSITE

With funding from a Help America Voter Act grant, the County Clerk-Recorder has photographed all polling places in the county and documented the accessibility features, including parking, path of travel and equipment that can be used by voters with special needs to access their polling place. Voters will also be able to view a sample of their ballot and get directions to their polling place. These features can be found in the polling place lookup feature on the Clerk-Recorder’s website (www.slovote.com) and will be a valuable tool to help voters easily identify their polling place and how to navigate to the room where the polls are located.

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Wednesday, March 10, 2010

Polling Place Search

To locate your polling place and view ballot choices, enter the following information and click "Find polling place".
 For example, if you reside at 123 West Main Street in zip code 93401, enter 123 for the street number, select W for the street direction, enter Main for the street name, select ST for the street type, and enter 93401 for the zip code. Then click "Find polling place".

Street Number	Street Direction	Street Name	Street Type	Zip Code
<input type="text"/>	Please select ▼	<input type="text"/>	Please select ▼	<input type="text"/>

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Polling Place Search Results

Note: Showing a polling place for this address does **not** mean that you are registered to vote. To verify your registration status contact the Clerk-Recorder’s Office at (805) 781-5080 or Elections@co.slo.ca.us.

To return to the Search page, click [here](#).

Your polling place:

- Polling Place: San Luis Obispo Veterans Bldg
- Location: 801 Grand Ave - San Luis Obispo
- Consolidation Number: 524
- Sample Ballot Booklet: [BallotType 6](#) (PDF file. Adobe Reader required.)
- Audio Enabled Sample Ballot: [BallotType 6](#) (Screen reader required.)
- Accessibility Details: [Accessibility Details](#)
- Link to map: [Map](#)



AUDIO-ENABLED SAMPLE BALLOT AND VOTER INFORMATION GUIDE

Furthermore, voters will now have access to an audio-enabled sample ballot and voter information guide. By clicking on the links for an audio-enabled materials, voters will be able to use their screen reading devices so that the ballot (contests, candidates, measure) can be read to them. Materials in the voter information guide are also available (candidate statements, impartial analysis and arguments for/against measures).

WHAT’S ON THE BALLOT?

Multiple jurisdictions are participating in the election being conducted by the San Luis Obispo County Clerk-Recorder including federal, state, school, county, city and numerous community services and special districts.

JURISDICTION	NUMBER OF MEASURES	NUMBER OF OFFICES/SEATS
VOTER NOMINATED OFFICES		
<p>FEDERAL United States Senator Congressional Representatives- 24th</p> <p>STATE Governor Lieutenant Governor Secretary of State Controller Treasurer Attorney General Insurance Commissioner Member, State Bd. of Equalization, 2nd District Member of the Assembly – 35th District Member of the Assembly- 37th District (Note: due to redistricting, the county was assigned the 37th district, but it will not appear on any ballot)</p>	11	<p>1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1</p>
NON-PARTISAN OFFICES		
<p>SCHOOL State Superintendent of Public Instruction Atascadero Unified Lucia Mar Unified Trustee Area No. 1 Trustee Area No. 3 Paso Robles Joint Unified 4 Year Term 2 Year Term San Luis Coastal Unified Trustee Area No. 2 Templeton Unified Shandon Joint Unified Trustee Area No. 2 Santa Maria Bonita Santa Maria Joint Union High School Cayucos Elementary Pleasant Valley Joint Unified Elementary 2 Year</p>		<p>1 4 2 1 3 1 2 2 3 2 2 3 3 3 1</p>

Allen Hancock Joint Community College	1	
COUNTY	1	
CITY		1
Arroyo Grande Mayor		2
Councilmember		1
Atascadero Mayor	2	2
Councilmember		1
Treasurer		1
Grover Beach Mayor	2	2
Councilmember		1
Morro Bay Mayor	1	2
Councilmember		1
Paso Robles Mayor	4	2
Councilmember		1
San Luis Obispo Mayor	1	2
Councilmember		
DISTRICT		
Cambria Community Services District		2
Los Osos Community Services District		2
San Miguel Community Services District		2
Cambria Community Healthcare District	1	3

PLACEMENT ON THE BALLOT/ROTATION OF CANDIDATES

The order in which candidates' names appear on the ballot is determined by a random drawing of the 26 letters of the alphabet. This random drawing is conducted by the Secretary of State and the County Clerk-Recorder prior to each election. The random drawing for this election was held on August 16, 2018.

Election law also requires the names of candidates for some offices to change positions, such as federal, statewide and county wide offices (i.e. Governor, United States Senator, Secretary of State, United States Representative). The purpose of the rotation is so one candidate's name does not always appear first, or last, on all of the ballots for the races.

As required by state law, names of candidates for certain offices are rotated on the ballot as follows:

OFFICE	ROTATION
Statewide Offices, United States Representative, Board of Equalization member	Candidates' names are arranged in accordance with the alphabetical drawing beginning with the lowest numbered Assembly District in the State or Congressional or Board of Equalization

	District. Thereafter, for each succeeding Assembly District, the candidate's name appearing first is placed last; the order of the other names remains unchanged. Since San Luis Obispo County is represented by only one Assembly District, these candidates will be in the same order on every ballot in this county.
State Assembly	For multi-county districts, such as the senate and assembly each county conducts a random drawing and the candidates' names are arranged in accordance with each county's alphabetical drawing- no other rotation.

VOTE –BY- MAIL BALLOT INFORMATION

History: Absentee ballots were first made available by the North for the soldiers and sailors in the Civil War. California first allowed absentee voting in 1920 for those who were ill or disabled, lived too far from the polls and other special circumstances. In 1978 legislation was passed which allowed universal absentee voting. As a result of this change allowing any person to vote absentee (now vote-by-mail), it has become a very popular means to cast a ballot. See the chart on page 8 to track the trend of voters casting their ballots by mail. In 2002, permanent absentee voting was expanded to any voter upon request. There are currently over 118,000 permanent vote-by-mail voters in San Luis Obispo County totaling more than 71.2% of the total registered voters.

How To Apply for a Vote-by-Mail Ballot:

The first day this office can issue a vote-by-mail ballot for the General Election is October 8, 2018 (29 days before the election). Vote-by-mail ballot requests must be received no later than October 30th in order for the ballot to be mailed to the voter. After that date, the voter must appear in the Office of the County Clerk-Recorder and complete an application indicating the reason they cannot appear at the polls on Election Day. Vote-by-mail ballots may be requested in one of four ways:

- By calling the County Clerk-Recorder's office and requesting a Vote By Mail ballot at 805-781-5228.
- By filling out and mailing the Vote by Mail Application on the back cover of the sample ballot booklet. Sample ballot booklets were mailed September 27.
- By letter to the County Clerk-Recorder, 1055 Monterey St., D120 San Luis Obispo CA 93408. The letter must state the voter's name, residence address, address to which the ballot should be sent and voter's signature.
- In person at the County Clerk-Recorder's Office- in San Luis Obispo at the address above or for voters living in the North County, at our office in Atascadero- 5955 Capistrano Ave., Suite B. The office hours in Atascadero are 7:30-4:00.
- By faxing a written request to the County Clerk-Recorder's Office at 805-781-1111.

To be counted, the voted ballot must be returned by the voter personally at any polling place in the county no later than 8:00 p.m. or if mailed, postmarked no later than Election Day and received by the Elections office within three business days of Election Day. Nevertheless, it is recommended that voters mail ballots a week prior to the election to ensure that the ballot will be received in time. The voter may also authorize any person to return the voted ballot to any polling place in the county or to the County Clerk-Recorder's Office.

WEEKEND VOTING

The County Clerk-Recorder's Office will be open the weekend before the election on Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and on Sunday from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. to issue vote-by-mail ballots. Voters may vote the ballot in the office at the voting booths or authorize any person to return the ballot for them by 8:00 p.m. on Election Day.

PREPARING FOR THE ELECTION THE READER'S DIGEST VERSION E-120 TO ELECTION DAY

The staff of the County Clerk-Recorder's Office begins preparation for a county wide election at least six months prior to Election Day and after that every day is counted as E-the number of days left. You could ask any employee in our office (and probably any candidate) how many days until the election and we won't even have to think twice to answer. Some of the important dates and the activities surrounding them are:

E minus number	Date	Activity
E-127	July 2	Letters sent to polling places
E-113	July 16	Opening of the nomination period.
E- 110	July 19	Initial letters sent to potential precinct workers for commitments to work on election day.
E-88	August 10	Close of the nomination period. After the close of nomination, the ballot layout and preparation begins. Proofing of the sample ballots and ballot information continues through early September.
E-70	August 28	Assignment letters to precinct workers that have been assigned to polling places.
E-60	September 7	60 day close. This is the initial target date for ensuring that the voter rolls are as updated as possible. Any voter registration in our office by that date is processed into the system and all changes and deletes are accomplished before officially closing our files. The 60 day close file is sent to the Secretary of State and the printer who prepares and mails San Luis Obispo County sample ballots. These names constitute the first mailing of state ballot pamphlets and sample ballot pamphlets. Any changes or anyone who registers between

		this date and the 29 day close of registration will be mailed the voter information in the second mailing.
E- 56 to E-14	September 11 – October 23	Write-in candidate nomination period.
E-40	September 27	Sample Ballot booklets are mailed to voters who have not signed up to be a permanent vote-by-mail voter or do not live in a mail ballot precinct.
E-43 to E-20	September 24 –October 17	Testing of voting machines and ballot counting software. Certification to transmit election night results to the Secretary of State.
E-29	October 8	The “informed voter” close of registration as well as the first day to issue vote-by-mail ballots. Vote-by-mail ballots are mailed to voters who are signed up permanent VBM voters and to those who live in mail ballot precincts. During the week of the close of registration, staff is busy processing voter registrations. These must be completed by the end of the week so new voters can be sent their sample ballot booklets and state voter information guides in a timely manner. While this is going on the voting booths and precinct supplies are being prepared for delivery to the county’s polling places and last minute changes to precinct worker assignments are made.
E-15	October 22	Official close of registration. Anyone registered between October 9 and 22 is eligible to vote however, the voter will not receive the state voter information guide or the county sample ballot booklet. The voter will receive a postcard indicating their polling place location and where they can obtain voter information. Elections staff begins opening and preparing the vote-by-mail ballots for counting.
E-12	October 25	Elections staff begins counting the vote-by-mail ballots. No results are released until after the close of polls on Election Night.
E-7	October 30	Copy of ballot counting software is deposited with the Secretary of State.
E-7	October 30	Last day to mail vote-by-mail ballots to voters. After this day, a voter must appear in the office to receive a ballot. The final week before the election precinct supplies are distributed to the precinct inspectors.
E-6 to E Day	October 31 – November 6	Vote-by-mail ballots can be requested in person at the Clerk-Recorder’s Office.

E-2	November 4	Delivery crew picks up voting booths, ballot box and other equipment for delivery to polls
E-1	November 5	Delivery crews deliver and set up voting equipment at 76 polling places throughout the county.
E Day	November 6	Polls are open from 7:00 am to 8:00 pm Election day begins at 6:00 a.m. and should end around 1:00 am for the County Clerk-Recorder staff, although final election night results should be completed by 12:30 am
E+1	November 7	Delivery crew picks up and returns all voting equipment to the Elections warehouse. Election staff records number of outstanding vote-by-mail and provisional ballots
E+2	November 8	Official Canvass begins – see process outline below.
E+30	December 6	Official canvass completion and election certification deadline.

ELECTION NIGHT PROCEDURES

After the last voter in line at 8:00 has cast their ballot, the precinct workers pack up and return precinct materials and the voted ballots in sealed containers to either the regional collection centers or directly to the Elections office in San Luis Obispo. Elections staff verifies that all ballots and required materials have been received and that security measures have been followed prior to releasing the precinct workers. All ballots and materials are brought to the Government Center in San Luis Obispo for ballot counting and secure storage.

SPEED OF BALLOT COUNTING ELECTION NIGHT

As in the past, results of early vote-by-mail ballots (those received by Saturday, November 3rd) will be available immediately after 8:00 pm. The ballots will be counted centrally in the County Clerk-Recorder's office on Election Night instead of at the polls during the day. The ballots will be transported from our regional collection centers in Paso Robles, Atascadero, Morro Bay and Arroyo Grande to the Government Center and fed through the Dominion Voting scanners by county staff. Final election night results should be available by 12:30 a.m.

INCOMPLETE BALLOT COUNTING ELECTION NIGHT

The public is often surprised on the day after a major election when they learn that there are as many as 15,000 ballots county wide remaining to be counted after the election. There are three categories of ballots which cannot be processed on Election Night:

1. **VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOTS TURNED IN ELECTION DAY-** Many vote-by-mail voters wait until Election Day to make their voting choices and then drop off their ballots at a polling place. These ballots are received after the polls close on election night. All vote-by-mail ballots must be pre-processed before they are counted- including entering that the ballot has been returned to protect against

double voting and verifying the voter's signature on every envelope against the signature on file in our office.

2. **PROVISIONAL BALLOTS-** Provisional Ballots are voted at the polls when the precinct workers cannot determine the voter's eligibility to vote in that election. Provisional ballots are sealed in special envelopes and must be individually researched and verified at the County Clerk-Recorder's Office before the ballots is counted or rejected in accordance with election laws. There are several reasons why someone would be required to vote a provisional ballot at the polling location:

- Voter is listed as having received a vote-by-mail ballot but does not have the ballot to surrender at the polls.
- Voter is voting under the fail safe provisions of the National Voting Rights Act. A fail safe voter is a registered voter in this county, who has moved and did not re-register to vote or notify the elections office of his/her change of address.
- Voter insists on voting a ballot for a party other than the party indicated in the roster.
- Voter's name is not on the roster, but the voter insists they are eligible to vote in that precinct.
- Voter is required to show identification as a first time voter under the Help America Vote Act and cannot produce the required identification.
- Conditional Voter Registration Provisional Ballots, while cast at the Elections Office, is a form of provisional voting for those who missed the 15-day close of registration.

In each of these instances, the elections staff must verify that the voter is eligible to vote the ballot they were issued and verify the voter's signature prior to opening the ballot for processing.

3. **DAMAGED BALLOTS:** Election Day ballots that are unable to be processed by the ballot scanners because of stray marks, overvotes or tears and need to be duplicated prior to counting.

The majority of the vote-by-mail ballots are counted by the Friday after the election. Some of these ballots require additional processing and their count is completed in the week following the election. Furthermore, the ballots postmarked by Election Day and received within the three days following the election will be processed during the following week as well. The provisional and damaged ballots are normally counted just prior to certification of the results. Results are released as a count is completed and a schedule of counting dates and times will be posted on the County Clerk-Recorder website after the election.

WRAPPING UP THE ELECTION WHAT IS THE OFFICIAL CANVASS?

The election canvass process is an internal audit required by state law to ensure the accuracy of election results. California election law allows 30 days to conduct the official canvass of final election results. The official canvass begins on Thursday, November 8 and must be concluded within 30 days, no later than December 6. San Luis Obispo County normally completes the official canvass within 23-26 days of the election. All aspects of the canvass are open to the public. The canvass concludes with the certification and issuance of official election results. Listed below are the major components of the official canvass.

Completion of the count for vote-by-mail and provisional ballots- as described above.

Election Materials accounted for- Staff verifies that all elections materials have been returned and accounted for and that precinct workers have correctly followed Election Day procedures.

Roster Reconciliation- Following the close of the polls on Election Day, precinct officers are responsible for completing the Official Ballot Statement shown below.

OFFICIAL BALLOT STATEMENT	
1. TOTAL BALLOTS RECEIVED	1. <u>400</u>
2. NUMBER OF SPOILED BALLOTS	2. <u>2</u>
3. NUMBER OF UNUSED BALLOTS	3. <u>294</u>
4. NUMBER OF PROVISIONAL BALLOTS	4. <u>10</u>
5. NUMBER OF VOTED BALLOTS (do not include AV and Provisional Ballots)	5. <u>94</u>
6. TOTAL OF 2,3,4 &5 (MUST AGREE WITH #1)	6. <u>400</u>
7. TOTAL SIGNATURES ON ROSTER (MUST AGREE WITH #5)	7. <u>94</u>

As part of the official canvass, the signatures in each roster are re-counted and the number of signatures indicated by the inspector on the roster is compared to the number of ballots tabulated by the computer tally system. Any discrepancies are investigated. The balancing process normally takes 10 days to complete.

Manual Vote Tally- All voted ballots from at least 2 precincts (1% of the 138 precincts) are manually tallied for every contests and balanced against the computer counts to verify the accuracy of the election tally system. For any contest which is not on the ballot in one of those two precincts, an additional precinct's ballots are counted for that

contest only. In addition, this same procedure is completed for 1% of the vote-by-mail ballots. The completion of the manual tally usually takes 2-4 days, depending on the number of contests on the ballot and the voter turnout.

Apply Voting History- All voters who voted at the polls are given credit for voting.

Account for all ballots- The number of precinct and vote-by-mail ballots printed, issued and unused are accounted for and balanced. Discrepancies are investigated.

Certify Election and report to the Secretary of State - Registrar of Voters certifies the Election and sends the certification, statement of vote and supplemental statement of vote to the Secretary of State. Board item is prepared to present to the Board of Supervisors.

PRIMARY ELECTION									GENERAL ELECTION							
YEAR	# of Reg Voters	# of Voters	% of reg voters	# of Precinct Voters	% of reg voters	# of Vote-by-Mail Voters	% of reg voters	% of those who voted	# of Reg Voters	# of Voters	% of reg voters	# of Precinct Voters	% of reg voters	# of Vote-by-Mail Voters	% of reg voters	% of those who voted
1980	78,805	56,302	71.4	52,240	66.2	4,062	5.2	7.2	88,967	71,200	80	65,168	73.2	6,032	6.8	8.5
1982	83,546	47,973	57.4	43,988	52.6	3,985	4.8	8.3	89,735	64,109	71.4	57,749	64.3	6,360	7.1	9.9
1984	89,990	48,725	54.1	43,807	48.7	4,918	5.4	10.1	103,880	79,393	76.4	70,201	67.6	9,192	8.8	11.6
1986	93,716	43,498	46.4	38,802	41.4	4,696	5.0	10.8	99,121	63,117	63.6	55,712	56.2	7,405	7.5	11.7
1988	100,463	57,061	56.3	50,385	50.1	6,676	6.6	11.7	115,097	88,125	76.5	74,903	65.1	13,222	11.4	15
1990	110,841	60,151	54.3	50,523	45.6	9,628	8.7	16.0	116,901	74,068	63.3	58,367	49.9	15,641	13.4	21.1
1992	113,733	68,808	60.5	53,503	47	15,305	13.5	22	128,848	107,144	83.1	81,536	63	25,608	19	23
1994	120,410	57,966	48	39,852	33	18,114	15	31	128,136	88,184	68.8	59,511	46	28,673	22.4	32
1996	121,243	67,043	55.3	47,695	39	19,348	16	28	135,876	102,804	75.7	72,195	53	30,609	22.5	29
1998a	124,990	66,984	53.6	38,117	30.5	28,867	23.1	43	126,959	75,845	59.7	39,842	31.4	36,003	28.4	47
1998	129,805	70,905	54.6	38,387	29.6	32,518	25.1	45.8	133,809	88,049	65.8	50,286	37.6	37,763	28.2	42.8
2000	130,828	84,425	64.5	52,322	40.1	32,103	24.5	38	142,633	109,761	76.9	68,236	47.8	41,525	29.1	37.8
2002	135,476	58,590	43.3	36,982	27.3	21,608	16.0	36.9	140,659	83,903	59.65	49,414	35.1	34,489	24.5	41.1
2003b									137,290	95,614	69.6	52,391	38.1	43,223	31.5	45.2
2004	139,830	80,949	57.9	41,874	30.0	39,075	27.9	48.2	162,459	130,234	80.16	71,661	44	58,573	36.1	44.9
2005c									154,871	85,019	54.9	38,218	24.7	46,801	30.2	55
2006	152,974	65,939	43.1	25,658	16.7	40,281	26.3	61.0	155,495	99,209	63.8	44,020	28.3	55,189	35.5	55.6
2008d	146,898	93,346	63.5	41,544	28.3	51,802	35.3	55.5								
2008*	148,616	64,505	43.4	20,164	13.6	44,341	29.8	68.7	161256	134061	83.14	61023	37.8	73038	45.3	54.5
2009e	156,514	61,721	39.43	15,220	9.7	46,501	29.7	75.3								
2010	154,290	72,706	47.12	23,901	15.5	48,805	31.2	67.1	156,504	108002	69.01	40906	26.13	67,096	42.87	62.1

PRIMARY ELECTION									GENERAL ELECTION							
YEAR	# of Reg Voters	# of Voters	% of reg voters	# of Precinct Voters	% of reg voters	# of Vote-by-Mail Voters	% of reg voters	% of those who voted	# of Reg Voters	# of Voters	% of reg voters	# of Precinct Voters	% of reg voters	# of Vote-by-Mail Voters	% of reg voters	% of those who voted
2010f	154,702	58,591	37.87	11,994	7.7	46,797	30.2	79.8	153,331	66,568	43.41	13,390	8.7	53,178	34.7	79.8
2012	147,276	71,565	48.59	19,592	13.3	51,973	35.3	72.6	158,603	126,818	79.96	46,578	29.4	80,240	50.59	63.27
2014	150,302	62,310	41.5	15,684	10.4	46,626	31.0	74.9	150,139	87,705	58.42	25,417	16.9	62,288	41.5	71.0
2016	155,804	95,236	61.1	26,108	16.8	69,128	44.4	72.6	168,257	139,685	83.02	40,994	24.5	98,691	58.65	70.65
2018	166,592	87,470	52.51	20,451	12.28	67,019	40.23	76.62								

Presidential Elections are indicated by shaded rows

1998a- Special Congressional Elections to fill vacancy due to death of Walter Capps

2003b- Statewide Special Election - Recall of Gray Davis

2005c-Special Statewide & Uniform District Election (California Valley CSD & Garden Farms Community Water District)

2008d- Presidential Primary on Feb. 5 - separated from the June 3rd direct primary.

2009e- Special Statewide Election on May 19,. 2009

2010f- Special Primary and General Election held for Senate Dist 15 to fill vacancy due to appointment of Abel Maldonado as Lt. Gov

VOTER REGISTRATION TOTALS- 2 SNAPSHOTS

The following two tables show a snapshot of voter registration totals.

The 1st page is the current report, run 60 days prior to this election. The 2nd page is the report from the 60 day close for the 2014 Gubernatorial General Election which was held on November 4, 2014.

There are some interesting trends:

- ◇ Overall, voter registration has increased by 18,740 voters or 12.61%.
- ◇ The number voters who have selected the Democratic Party has increased by 8,054 or 16.43%
- ◇ The number voters who have selected the Republican Party has increased by 1,625 or 2.82%
- ◇ The number of voters who have chosen to not state a party preference or are registered with a party that is not qualified for the ballot in California has increased by 7,864 or 25.30%.



Secretary of State

Elections Division
California Official Statewide Voter Registration System (VoteCal)

San Luis Obispo 19
09/07/2018

Report of Registration County Summary

Report Filter(s):

County: San Luis Obispo

ROR Date: 09/07/2018

	Registered Voters	Democratic	Republican	American Independent	Green	Libertarian	Peace and Freedom	Unknown	Other	No Party Preference
County Supervisorial 1	31,463	8,476	13,925	992	141	302	65	70	278	7,214
County Supervisorial 2	31,643	13,349	8,570	946	324	312	81	71	346	7,644
County Supervisorial 3	34,634	13,469	10,676	1,012	226	336	64	78	293	8,480
County Supervisorial 4	35,208	11,411	13,723	1,032	142	283	77	76	395	8,069
County Supervisorial 5	32,289	10,371	12,277	1,069	216	385	63	44	318	7,546
Total	165,237	57,076	59,171	5,051	1,049	1,618	350	339	1,630	38,953
US Congressional 24	165,237	57,076	59,171	5,051	1,049	1,618	350	339	1,630	38,953
Total	165,237	57,076	59,171	5,051	1,049	1,618	350	339	1,630	38,953
State Senate 17	165,237	57,076	59,171	5,051	1,049	1,618	350	339	1,630	38,953
Total	165,237	57,076	59,171	5,051	1,049	1,618	350	339	1,630	38,953
State Assembly 35	165,237	57,076	59,171	5,051	1,049	1,618	350	339	1,630	38,953
State Assembly 37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	165,237	57,076	59,171	5,051	1,049	1,618	350	339	1,630	38,953
State Board of Equalization 2	165,237	57,076	59,171	5,051	1,049	1,618	350	339	1,630	38,953
Total	165,237	57,076	59,171	5,051	1,049	1,618	350	339	1,630	38,953
Arroyo Grande	12,195	4,049	4,661	349	56	89	23	23	137	2,808
Atascadero	18,178	5,634	7,128	589	125	208	38	23	177	4,256
El Paso de Robles	16,275	4,827	6,577	506	65	159	37	37	151	3,916
Grover Beach	7,266	2,625	2,313	270	40	76	26	25	56	1,835
Morro Bay	7,344	2,909	2,131	229	77	61	26	29	84	1,798
Pismo Beach	5,822	1,886	2,263	169	21	47	10	10	59	1,357



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San Luis Obispo 20
09/07/2018

	Registered Voters	Democratic	Republican	American Independent	Green	Libertarian	Peace and Freedom	Unknown	Other	No Party Preference
San Luis Obispo	26,783	12,138	6,098	773	208	288	42	56	235	6,945
Unincorporated Area	71,374	23,008	28,000	2,166	457	690	148	136	731	16,038
Total	165,237	57,076	59,171	5,051	1,049	1,618	350	339	1,630	38,953

Report of Registration - State Reporting Districts

Run Date : 9/11/2014

County of San Luis Obispo

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Registration Close Date : 09/05/2014

POLITICAL SUBDIVISION

COUNTY TOTALS.....

	01 DEM	02 REP	03 AI	04 AE	05 GRN	06 LIB	07 PF	08 MISC	09 DECL	Total
401001 1ST SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT	7,434	13,127	853	0	144	205	55	295	5,429	27,542
401002 2ND SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT	11,643	9,049	830	2	395	300	81	400	6,599	29,299
401003 3RD SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT	11,254	10,471	823	0	284	280	61	360	6,657	30,190
401004 4TH SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT	9,853	12,554	880	3	165	216	62	369	6,217	30,319
401005 5TH SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT	8,838	12,345	845	2	265	279	60	326	6,187	29,147
Total	49,022	57,546	4,231	7	1,253	1,280	319	1,750	31,089	146,497
402024 24TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT	49,022	57,546	4,231	7	1,253	1,280	319	1,750	31,089	146,497
Total	49,022	57,546	4,231	7	1,253	1,280	319	1,750	31,089	146,497
403017 17TH SENATORIAL DISTRICT	49,022	57,546	4,231	7	1,253	1,280	319	1,750	31,089	146,497
Total	49,022	57,546	4,231	7	1,253	1,280	319	1,750	31,089	146,497
404035 35TH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT	49,022	57,546	4,231	7	1,253	1,280	319	1,750	31,089	146,497
Total	49,022	57,546	4,231	7	1,253	1,280	319	1,750	31,089	146,497
405002 STATE BOARD OF EQUAL DIST 2	49,022	57,546	4,231	7	1,253	1,280	319	1,750	31,089	146,497
Total	49,022	57,546	4,231	7	1,253	1,280	319	1,750	31,089	146,497
406001 CITY OF ARROYO GRANDE	3,557	4,452	297	0	61	78	18	138	2,135	10,736
406002 CITY OF ATASCADERO	4,794	6,839	446	0	133	132	37	180	3,147	15,708
406003 CITY OF GROVER BEACH	2,240	2,165	200	0	44	62	22	71	1,396	6,200
406004 CITY OF MORRO BAY	2,574	2,107	198	0	77	64	27	97	1,520	6,664
406005 CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES	4,236	6,376	427	0	69	114	26	150	2,893	14,291
406006 CITY OF PISMO BEACH	1,652	2,130	145	0	30	43	14	67	1,085	5,166
406007 CITY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO	9,669	7,003	672	0	273	243	40	267	5,804	23,971
Total	28,722	31,072	2,385	0	687	736	184	970	17,980	82,736
407001 UNINCORPORATED AREAS	20,300	26,474	1,846	7	566	544	135	780	13,109	63,761
Total	20,300	26,474	1,846	7	566	544	135	780	13,109	63,761

Summary for: All Contests, All Districts, All Tabulators, All Counting Groups
ELECTION SUMMARY REPORT
NOVEMBER 6, 2018 CONSOLIDATED GENERAL ELECTION
COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO
ZERO REPORT - BEFORE LOGIC & ACCURACY TEST DECK

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

Registered Voters: 0 of 101,328 (0.00%)

Ballots Cast: 0

GOVERNOR (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
JOHN H. COX	0	0	0	
GAVIN NEWSOM	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
ED HERNANDEZ	0	0	0	
ELENI KOUNALAKIS	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

SECRETARY OF STATE (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
ALEX PADILLA	0	0	0	
MARK P. MEUSER	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CONTROLLER (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
KONSTANTINOS RODITIS	0	0	0	
BETTY T. YEE	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

TREASURER (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
GREG CONLON	0	0	0	
FIONA MA	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

ATTORNEY GENERAL (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	
Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
STEVEN C. BAILEY	0	0	0	
XAVIER BECERRA	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	
	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	
Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
RICARDO LARA	0	0	0	
STEVE POIZNER	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	
	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

MEMBER, STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION 2nd District (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	
Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
MALIA COHEN	0	0	0	
MARK BURNS	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	
	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

UNITED STATES SENATOR (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
DIANNE FEINSTEIN	0	0	0	
KEVIN DE LEON	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE 24th District (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
SALUD CARBAJAL	0	0	0	
JUSTIN FAREED	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY 35th District (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 155 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
BILL OSTRANDER	0	0	0	
JORDAN CUNNINGHAM	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY 37th District (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 1 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 0	N/A
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	
Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
DAVID L. NORRDIN	0	0	0	
S. MONIQUE LIMON	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	
	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT (Corrigan) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	
Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	
	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT (Kruger) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	
Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	
	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 1 (Chaney) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 1 (Bendix) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR PRESIDING JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 2 (Lui) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 2 (Chavez) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 3 (Lavin) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 3 (Dhanidina) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 3 (Egerton) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR PRESIDING JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 4 (Manella) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 4 (Willhite) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 5 (Kim) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 5 (Moor) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 5 (Baker) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR PRESIDING JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 6 (Gilbert) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 6 (Tangeman) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 7 (Feuer) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 7 (Segal) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

FOR PRESIDING JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 8 (Bigelow) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
MARSHALL TUCK	0	0	0	
TONY K. THURMOND	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

ATASCADERO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER (Vote for 4)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 23 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 17,060	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
DONN CLICKARD	0	0	0	
BRET HEINEMANN	0	0	0	
GEORGE R. SHOEMAKER	0	0	0	
TAMI GUNTHER	0	0	0	
RAY M. BUBAN	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

LUCIA MAR UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 1 (Vote for 2)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 43 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 27,110	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
CHAD ROBERTSON	0	0	0	
STACY MEKO	0	0	0	
DAWN L. MEEK	0	0	0	
MICHAEL SULLIVAN	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

LUCIA MAR UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 3 (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 43 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 27,110	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
VERN DAHL	0	0	0	
ANDREA VERGNE	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

PASO ROBLES JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER - 4 YEAR TERM (Vote for 3)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 23 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 16,317	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
CHRISTOPHER AREND	0	0	0	
RYAN WARD	0	0	0	
MATTHEW C. MCCLISH	0	0	0	
LANCE R. GANNON	0	0	0	
TIM GEARHART	0	0	0	
FIELD GIBSON	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

PASO ROBLES JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER - 2 YEAR TERM (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 23 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 16,317	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
STEPHANIE ULIBARRI	0	0	0	
KATHLEEN YANKEE HALL	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

SAN LUIS COASTAL UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 2 (Vote for 2)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 50 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 35,451	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
MARILYN RODGER	0	0	0	
EVELYN FRAME	0	0	0	
VICTORIA S. DANDURAND	0	0	0	
JIM QUESENBERRY	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

SANTA MARIA-BONITA SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER (Vote for 2)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 1 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 0	N/A
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
VEDAMARIE R. ALVAREZ-FLORES	0	0	0	
RICKY LARA	0	0	0	
ABRAHAM MELENDREZ	0	0	0	
GARY MICHAELS	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

SHANDON JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 2 (Vote for 3)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 3 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 415	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
NATALY RAMIREZ	0	0	0	
HOLLY MARIE FURNESS-OSORIO	0	0	0	
ROBERT VAN PARLET	0	0	0	
JENNIFER MOE	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

TEMPLETON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER (Vote for 2)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 9 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 2,707	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
MATT VIERRA	0	0	0	
JAN NIMICK	0	0	0	
BARBY LICHTI WUNSCH	0	0	0	
KATRINA V. MERSON	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

SANTA MARIA JOINT UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER (Vote for 3)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 1 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 0	N/A
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
DOMINICK PALERA	0	0	0	
DIANA PEREZ	0	0	0	
CAROL A. KARAMITSOS	0	0	0	
DAVID E. BASKETT	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CAYUCOS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER (Vote for 3)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 2 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 932	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
CHRIS CASTILLO	0	0	0	
PETER J. SCHULER	0	0	0	
STEVE GEIL	0	0	0	
FREDERICK MICHAEL BEYERLEIN	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

PLEASANT VALLEY JOINT UNION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 1 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 312	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
DORA DENNING	0	0	0	
REBECCA NEW	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CITY OF ARROYO GRANDE MAYOR (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 12 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 8,312	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
CAREN RAY	0	0	0	
JIM HILL	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CITY OF ARROYO GRANDE COUNCILMEMBER (Vote for 2)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 12 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 8,312	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
TERRY FOWLER-PAYNE	0	0	0	
JIMMY PAULDING	0	0	0	
COLEEN KUBEL	0	0	0	
JOHN MACK	0	0	0	
KEITH STORTON	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CITY OF ATASCADERO MAYOR (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 16 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 15,101	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	
Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
HEATHER MORENO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	
	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CITY OF ATASCADERO COUNCILMEMBER (Vote for 2)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 16 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 15,101	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	
Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
SUSAN FUNK	0	0	0	
MARK DARIZ	0	0	0	
HEATHER NEWSOM	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	
	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CITY OF ATASCADERO CITY TREASURER (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 16 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 15,101	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	
Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
GERE W. SIBBACH	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	
	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CITY OF GROVER BEACH MAYOR (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 6 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 5,312	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	
Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
JEFF LEE	0	0	0	
ELIZABETH "LIZ" DOUKAS	0	0	0	
DEBBIE D. PETERSON	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	
	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CITY OF GROVER BEACH COUNCILMEMBER (Vote for 2)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 6 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 5,312	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	
Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
ROBERT ROBERT	0	0	0	
BARBARA NICOLLS	0	0	0	
MARIAM SHAH	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	
	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CITY OF MORRO BAY MAYOR (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 7 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 5,603	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	
Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
JOHN HEADDING	0	0	0	
JOHN WEISS	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	
	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CITY OF MORRO BAY COUNCILMEMBER (Vote for 2)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 7 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 5,603	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
DAWN ADDIS	0	0	0	
JEFF HELLER	0	0	0	
BETTY WINHOLTZ	0	0	0	
JAN GOLDMAN	0	0	0	
JESSE BARRON	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES MAYOR (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 14 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 12,107	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
JIM REED	0	0	0	
STEVEN W. MARTIN	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES COUNCILMEMBER (Vote for 2)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 14 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 12,107	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
MICHAEL RIVERA	0	0	0	
JOHN HAMON	0	0	0	
ANDY PEKEMA	0	0	0	
MARIA ELENA GARCIA	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CITY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO MAYOR (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 26 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 21,146	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	
Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
HEIDI HARMON	0	0	0	
DONALD E. HEDRICK	0	0	0	
T. KEITH GURNEE	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	
	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CITY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNCILMEMBER (Vote for 2)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 26 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 21,146	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	
Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
CARLYN CHRISTIANSON	0	0	0	
JAMES LOPES	0	0	0	
ABE LINCOLN	0	0	0	
SARAH FLICKINGER	0	0	0	
BOB VOGLIN	0	0	0	
JEFFERY C. SPECHT	0	0	0	
ERICA A. STEWART	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	
	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CAMBRIA COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT DIRECTOR (Vote for 2)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 3 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 1,125	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
DONN HOWELL	0	0	0	
DENNIS PERRY	0	0	0	
AARON WHARTON	0	0	0	
CINDY STEIDEL	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

LOS OSOS COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT DIRECTOR (Vote for 2)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 8 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 6,260	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
CHUCK CESENA	0	0	0	
MATTHEW D. FOURCROY	0	0	0	
CRAIG BALTIMORE	0	0	0	
STEPHEN M. BEST	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

SAN MIGUEL COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT DIRECTOR (Vote for 2)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 1 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 799	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
CESAR HERNANDEZ	0	0	0	
HECTOR PALAFOX	0	0	0	
ASHLEY SANGSTER	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

CAMBRIA COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT DIRECTOR (Vote for 3)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 4 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 1,309	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
BILL RICE	0	0	0	
IGGY FEDOROFF	0	0	0	
ROBERT "BOB" PUTNEY	0	0	0	
LAURIE MILEUR	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

**PROP 1 - Housing Assistance Bonds
(Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)**

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

**PROP 2 - Mental Illness Housing Program Bonds
(Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)**

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

PROP 3 - Water Projects Bonds (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

PROP 4 - Children's Hospitals Bonds (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

PROP 5 - Property Tax Base (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

PROP 6 - Transportation Tax Repeal (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

PROP 7 - Daylight Saving Time (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

PROP 8 - Kidney Dialysis (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

PROP 10 - Rent Control (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

PROP 11 - Ambulance Employees (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

PROP 12 - Farm Animals (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

Y-18 ALLAN HANCOCK JOINT COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT BOND (55 Percent Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 2 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 5	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
BONDS - YES	0	0	0	
BONDS - NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

G-18 COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO - FRACKING & OIL DRILLING BAN (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 156 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 101,328	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

D-18 CITY OF MORRO BAY CANNABIS BUSINESS TAX (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 7 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 5,603	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

E-18 CITY OF ATASCADERO CANNABIS BUSINESS TAX (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 16 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 15,101	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

F-18 CITY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO CANNABIS BUSINESS TAX (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 26 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 21,146	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

H-18 CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES APPOINTMENT OF CITY CLERK (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 14 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 12,107	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

I-18 CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES CANNABIS BUSINESS TAX (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 14 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 12,107	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

J-18 CITY OF ATASCADERO MAYORAL TERM (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 16 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 15,101	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

K-18 CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES 1/2 CENT SALES TAX (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 14 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 12,107	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

L-18 CITY OF GROVER BEACH TRANSIENT OCCUPANCY TAX (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 6 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 5,312	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

M-18 CITY OF GROVER BEACH BUSINESS TAX (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 6 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 5,312	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

N-18 CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES ADVISORY TAX MEASURE (Majority Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 14 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 12,107	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

C-18 CAMBRIA COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT SPECIAL TAX (Two-Thirds Vote) (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 0 of 4 (0.00%)

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Times Cast	0	0	0 / 1,309	0.00%
Undervotes	0	0	0	
Overvotes	0	0	0	

Candidate	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
YES	0	0	0	
NO	0	0	0	
Total Votes	0	0	0	

	Polling	Vote by Mail	Total	
Unresolved Write-In	0	0	0	

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CONSOL	NAME	ACCESS	POLL LINE 1	POLL LINE 2
101	CON 101-01L	Y	SAN MIGUEL COMMUNITY BLDG.	256 13TH ST. SAN MIGUEL
102	CON 102-02L	Y	HERITAGE RANCH CSD OFFICE	4870 HERITAGE RD, PASO ROBLES
103	CON 103-03L	Y	ESTRELLA WARBIRDS MUSEUM	4251 DRY CREEK RD PASO ROBLES
104	CON 104-04L	Y	PASO ROBLES COMMUNITY CHURCH	2706 SPRING ST., PASO ROBLES
105	CON 105-05L	Y	PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH HALL	1301 OAK ST - PASO ROBLES
106	CON 106-06L	Y	PASO ROBLES MASONIC COMPLEX	320 SHERWOOD RD, PASO ROBLES
107	CON 107-07L	N	SHANDON CLUBHOUSE	101 W. CENTRE, SHANDON
108	CON 108-04	Y	PASO ROBLES COMMUNITY CHURCH	2706 SPRING ST., PASO ROBLES
109	CON 109-08L	Y	CUESTA COLLEGE NORTH CO CAMPUS	2800 BUENA VISTA DR - PASO ROBLES
110	CON 110-05	Y	PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH HALL	1301 OAK ST - PASO ROBLES
111	CON 111-09L	N	NORTH SLO CO ASSOC OF REALTORS	1101-A RIVERSIDE AVE, PASO ROBLES
112	CON 112-10L	Y	GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH	535 CRESTON RD - PASO ROBLES
113	CON 113-10	Y	GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH	535 CRESTON RD - PASO ROBLES
114	CON 114-11L	Y	CENTENNIAL PARK LIVE OAK ROOM	600 NICKERSON DR - PASO ROBLES
115	CON 115-12L	Y	CENTENNIAL PARK WHITE OAK ROOM	600 NICKERSON DR PASO ROBLES
116	CON 116-06	Y	PASO ROBLES MASONIC COMPLEX	320 SHERWOOD RD, PASO ROBLES
117	CON 117-13L	Y	PASO ROBLES VETERANS HALL	240 SCOTT ST - PASO ROBLES
118	CON 118-06	Y	PASO ROBLES MASONIC COMPLEX	320 SHERWOOD RD, PASO ROBLES
119	CON 119-13	Y	PASO ROBLES VETERANS HALL	240 SCOTT ST - PASO ROBLES
120	CON 120-14L	Y	HIGHLANDS CHURCH	215 OAK HILL RD, PASO ROBLES
121	CON 121-14	Y	HIGHLANDS CHURCH	215 OAK HILL RD, PASO ROBLES
122	CON 122-15L	Y	TEMP HILLS 7TH DAY ADVNTST CHR	930 TEMPLETON HILLS - TEMPLETON
123	CON 123-15	Y	TEMP HILLS 7TH DAY ADVNTST CHR	930 TEMPLETON HILLS - TEMPLETON
124	CON 124-16L	Y	TEMPLETON COMMUNITY BLDG	601 MAIN STREET- TEMPLETON
125	CON 125-16	Y	TEMPLETON COMMUNITY BLDG	601 MAIN STREET- TEMPLETON
201	CON 201-17L	Y	CAMBRIA VETERANS BLDG	1000 MAIN ST - CAMBRIA
202	CON 202-17	Y	CAMBRIA VETERANS BLDG	1000 MAIN ST - CAMBRIA
203	CON 203-17	Y	CAMBRIA VETERANS BLDG	1000 MAIN ST - CAMBRIA
204	CON 204-17	Y	CAMBRIA VETERANS BLDG	1000 MAIN ST - CAMBRIA
205	CON 205-18L	Y	CAYUCOS COMMUNITY CHURCH	60 S. 3RD ST - CAYUCOS
206	CON 206-18	Y	CAYUCOS COMMUNITY CHURCH	60 S. 3RD ST - CAYUCOS
207	CON 207-19L	Y	DEL MAR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	501 SEQUOIA ST - MORRO BAY
208	CON 208-19	Y	DEL MAR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	501 SEQUOIA ST - MORRO BAY
209	CON 209-19	Y	DEL MAR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	501 SEQUOIA ST - MORRO BAY

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210	CON 210-20L	Y	THE LODGE	1338 ATASCADERO RD, MORRO BAY 93442
211	CON 211-21L	Y	MORRO BAY VETERANS BLDG	209 SURF ST - MORRO BAY
212	CON 212-21	Y	MORRO BAY VETERANS BLDG	209 SURF ST - MORRO BAY
213	CON 213-21	Y	MORRO BAY VETERANS BLDG	209 SURF ST - MORRO BAY
214	CON 214-22L	Y	LOS OSOS MIDDLE SCHOOL	1555 EL MORRO AVE, RM B-8 ,LOS OSOS
215	CON 215-23L	Y	THE WELL LOS OSOS	1335 7TH ST - LOS OSOS
216	CON 216-24L	Y	BAYWOOD ELEM SCHOOL	1330 9TH ST, LIBRARY, LOS OSOS
217	CON 217-24	Y	BAYWOOD ELEM SCHOOL	1330 9TH ST, LIBRARY, LOS OSOS
218	CON 218-25L	Y	TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH	490 LOS OSOS VALLEY RD - LOS OSOS
219	CON 219-26L	Y	FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH	1900 LOS OSOS VALLEY RD- LOS OSOS
220	CON 220-27L	Y	ST ELIZABETH ANN SETON PARISH	2050 PALISADES AVE - LOS OSOS
221	CON 221-28L	Y	MONARCH GROVE SCHOOL	348 LOS OSOS VALLEY RD - LOS OSOS
222	CON 222-29L	Y	CANYON HILLS OF SAN LUIS OBISPO	525 CERRO ROMAULDO, SAN LUIS OBISPO
223	CON 223-29	Y	CANYON HILLS OF SAN LUIS OBISPO	525 CERRO ROMAULDO, SAN LUIS OBISPO
224	CON 224-30L	Y	UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST CONGREGATIONAL	11245 LOS OSOS VALLEY RD - SAN LUIS OBIS
225	CON 225-31L	Y	C L SMITH SCHOOL	1375 BALBOA ST. RM 12, SAN LUIS OBISPO
226	CON 226-32L	Y	CAL POLY CHUMASH AUDITORIUM	CAL POLY CAMPUS-GRAND AVE- SN LUIS OBSPO
301	CON 301-30	Y	UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST CONGREGATIONAL	11245 LOS OSOS VALLEY RD - SAN LUIS OBIS
302	CON 302-33L	Y	MOUNTAINBROOK COMMUNITY CHURCH	1775 CALLE JOAQUIN, SLO
303	CON 303-34L	Y	CREEKSIDE MH COMMUNITY ROOM	3960 SOUTH HIGUERA-SAN LUIS OBISPO
304	CON 304-35L	Y	CHUMASH VILLAGE MHP REC ROOM	3057 S HIGUERA ST- SAN LUIS OBISPO
305	CON 305-36L	Y	SAN LUIS OBISPO GUILD HALL	2880 BROAD ST- SAN LUIS OBISPO
306	CON 306-37L	Y	SLO COUNTY FARM BUREAU	4875 MORABITO PL, SLO
307	CON 307-38L	Y	UNITY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO	1130 ORCUTT RD, SLO
308	CON 308-37	Y	SLO COUNTY FARM BUREAU	4875 MORABITO PL, SLO
309	CON 309-39L	Y	NAZARENE CHURCH- SAN LUIS OBISPO	3396 JOHNSON AVE-STUDENT UNION
310	CON 310-39	Y	NAZARENE CHURCH- SAN LUIS OBISPO	3396 JOHNSON AVE-STUDENT UNION
311	CON 311-36	Y	SAN LUIS OBISPO GUILD HALL	2880 BROAD ST- SAN LUIS OBISPO
312	CON 312-40L	Y	UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FELLOWSHIP	2201 LAWTON ST - SAN LUIS OBISPO
313	CON 313-40	Y	UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FELLOWSHIP	2201 LAWTON ST - SAN LUIS OBISPO
314	CON 314-41L	Y	GRACE CHURCH	1036 PISMO STREET - SAN LUIS OBISPO
315	CON 315-41	Y	GRACE CHURCH	1036 PISMO STREET - SAN LUIS OBISPO
316	CON 316-42L	Y	LOS RANCHOS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	5785 LOS RANCHOS RD - SAN LUIS OBISPO
317	CON 317-43L	Y	AVILA BEACH COMMUNITY CENTER	191 SAN MIGUEL ST - AVILA BEACH

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318	CON 318-44L	Y	SHELL BEACH VETERANS BLDG	230 LEEWARD AVE- SHELL BEACH
319	CON 319-44	Y	SHELL BEACH VETERANS BLDG	230 LEEWARD AVE- SHELL BEACH
320	CON 320-45L	Y	NEW LIFE COMMUNITY CHURCH	990 JAMES WAY - LIFE CENTER
321	CON 321-45	Y	NEW LIFE COMMUNITY CHURCH	990 JAMES WAY - LIFE CENTER
322	CON 322-45	Y	NEW LIFE COMMUNITY CHURCH	990 JAMES WAY - LIFE CENTER
323	CON 323-46L	Y	RAMONA GARDEN PARK CENTER	993 RAMONA AVE - GROVER BEACH
324	CON 324-46	Y	RAMONA GARDEN PARK CENTER	993 RAMONA AVE - GROVER BEACH
325	CON 325-47L	Y	OAK PARK CHRISTIAN CHURCH	386 N OAK PARK BLVD - GROVER BEACH
326	CON 326-48L	Y	CENTRAL COAST BAPTIST CHURCH	192 S 9TH ST - GROVER BEACH
327	CON 327-49L	Y	GROVER BEACH COMMUNITY CENTER	1230 TROUVILLE AVE- GROVER BEACH
328	CON 328-50L	Y	COASTAL COMMUNITY CHURCH	1830 FARROLL RD, GROVER BEACH
329	CON 329-51L	Y	SOUTH COUNTY REGIONAL CENTER	800 W BRANCH ST - ARROYO GRANDE
330	CON 330-51	Y	SOUTH COUNTY REGIONAL CENTER	800 W BRANCH ST - ARROYO GRANDE
401	CON 401-51	Y	SOUTH COUNTY REGIONAL CENTER	800 W BRANCH ST - ARROYO GRANDE
402	CON 402-51	Y	SOUTH COUNTY REGIONAL CENTER	800 W BRANCH ST - ARROYO GRANDE
403	CON 403-52L	Y	ARROYO GRANDE COMMUNITY CENTER	211 VERNON AVE., ARROYO GRANDE CA 93420
404	CON 404-52	Y	ARROYO GRANDE COMMUNITY CENTER	211 VERNON AVE., ARROYO GRANDE CA 93420
405	CON 405-53L	Y	ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH	959 VALLEY RD - ARROYO GRANDE
406	CON 406-54L	Y	AMERICAN LEGION HALL	417 ORCHARD ST - ARROYO GRANDE
407	CON 407-55L	Y	CALVARY CHAPEL	1133 MAPLE ST - ARROYO GRANDE
408	CON 408-55	Y	CALVARY CHAPEL	1133 MAPLE ST - ARROYO GRANDE
409	CON 409-47	Y	OAK PARK CHRISTIAN CHURCH	386 N OAK PARK BLVD - GROVER BEACH
410	CON 410-56L	Y	GOSPEL LIGHHOUSE OF ARROYO GRANDE	497 FAIR OAKS AVE, ARROYO GRANDE
411	CON 411-50	Y	COASTAL COMMUNITY CHURCH	1830 FARROLL RD, GROVER BEACH
412	CON 412-57L	Y	PISMO COAST ASSOC. OF REALTORS	1126 E. GRAND AVE, ARROYO GRANDE
413	CON 413-51	Y	SOUTH COUNTY REGIONAL CENTER	800 W BRANCH ST - ARROYO GRANDE
414	CON 414-53	Y	ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH	959 VALLEY RD - ARROYO GRANDE
415	CON 415-58L	Y	CYPRESS RIDGE PAVILION	1050 CYPRESS RIDGE PKWAY - ARROYO GRANDE
416	CON 416-58	Y	CYPRESS RIDGE PAVILION	1050 CYPRESS RIDGE PKWAY - ARROYO GRANDE
417	CON 417-59L	Y	NIPOMO SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	525 N THOMPSON AVE - NIPOMO
418	CON 418-60L	Y	THE EDWARDS BARN	1095 POMEROY RD, NIPOMO
419	CON 419-61L	Y	NIPOMO CSD OFFICE	148 S WILSON ST - NIPOMO
420	CON 420-61	Y	NIPOMO CSD OFFICE	148 S WILSON ST - NIPOMO
421	CON 421-62L	Y	NIPOMO BRANCH LIBRARY	918 W TEFFT ST - NIPOMO

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422	CON 422-62	Y	NIPOMO BRANCH LIBRARY	918 W TEFFT ST - NIPOMO
423	CON 423-60	Y	THE EDWARDS BARN	1095 POMEROY RD, NIPOMO
424	CON 424-63L	Y	THE MONARCH CLUB - ART ROOM	1645 TRILOGY PARKWAY, NIPOMO
425	CON 425-64L	Y	RANCHO DEL ARROYO MHP	2700 CIENAGA ST OCEANO CA 93445
426	CON 426-64	Y	RANCHO DEL ARROYO MHP	2700 CIENAGA ST OCEANO CA 93445
427	CON 427-65L	Y	OCEANO CSD OFFICE	1655 FRONT ST - OCEANO
501	CON 501-66L	Y	ATASCADERO ELKS LODGE	1516 EL CAMINO REAL, ATASCADERO
502	CON 502-66	Y	ATASCADERO ELKS LODGE	1516 EL CAMINO REAL, ATASCADERO
503	CON 503-67L	Y	ATASCADERO PAVILION ON THE LAKE	9315 PISMO AVE - ATASCADERO
504	CON 504-67	Y	ATASCADERO PAVILION ON THE LAKE	9315 PISMO AVE - ATASCADERO
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512	CON 512-70L	Y	COMMUNITY CHURCH OF ATASCADERO	5850 ROSARIO AVE - ATASCADERO
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514	CON 514-68	Y	ATASCADERO GOSPEL CHAPEL	8205 CURBARIL AVE- ATASCADERO
515	CON 515-71L	Y	BEREAN BIBLE FELLOWSHIP	9325 EL BORDO AVE - ATASCADERO
516	CON 516-72L	Y	UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF ATASCADERO	11605 EL CAMINO REAL, ATASCADERO
517	CON 517-72	Y	UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF ATASCADERO	11605 EL CAMINO REAL, ATASCADERO
518	CON 518-16	Y	TEMPLETON COMMUNITY BLDG	601 MAIN STREET- TEMPLETON
519	CON 519-03	Y	ESTRELLA WARBIRDS MUSEUM	4251 DRY CREEK RD PASO ROBLES
520	CON 520-06	Y	PASO ROBLES MASONIC COMPLEX	320 SHERWOOD RD, PASO ROBLES
521	CON 521-73L	Y	CRESTON FIRE STATION	6055 WEBSTER RD, HWY 229, CRESTON
522	CON 522-74L	Y	SANTA MARGARITA COMMUNITY HALL	9610 MURPHY STREET - SANTA MARGARITA
523	CON 523-74	Y	SANTA MARGARITA COMMUNITY HALL	9610 MURPHY STREET - SANTA MARGARITA
524	CON 524-75L	Y	SAN LUIS OBISPO VETERANS BLDG	801 GRAND AVE - SAN LUIS OBISPO
525	CON 525-76L	Y	LUDWICK COMMUNITY CENTER	864 SANTA ROSA ST - OFF MILL ST - SLO
526	CON 526-76	Y	LUDWICK COMMUNITY CENTER	864 SANTA ROSA ST - OFF MILL ST - SLO
527	CON 527-77L	Y	ZION LUTHERAN FELLOWSHIP HALL	1010 FOOTHILL BLVD - SAN LUIS OBIS
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Run Date : 10/1/2018

Election Date : 11/6/2018

2018 STATEWIDE GENERAL ELECTION
NOVEMBER 6, 2018

CONSOL	NAME	ACCESS	POLL LINE 1	POLL LINE 2
529	CON 529-77	Y	ZION LUTHERAN FELLOWSHIP HALL	1010 FOOTHILL BLVD - SAN LUIS OBIS
530	CON 530-75	Y	SAN LUIS OBISPO VETERANS BLDG	801 GRAND AVE - SAN LUIS OBISPO
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VOTER INFORMATION GUIDE PAGES

The following pages are in the voter information guide/sample ballot booklet to inform voters of the candidates endorsed by the Political Parties.

Party Preference and Political Party Endorsement

On the ballot, the political party preference, or no party preference, as indicated on the candidate's voter registration will be listed next to the candidate's name. The party designation is shown on the ballot for information to the voters only and it does not constitute or imply an endorsement by the party designated. Parties may provide a list of candidates for voter-nominated offices that they have endorsed. Those candidates who have received the official endorsement of the party for printing in this booklet are listed below.

PARTY ENDORSEMENTS FOR THE NOVEMBER 6, 2018, ELECTION

Party	Contests	Candidate
Democratic	Governor Secretary of State State Controller State Treasurer Attorney General Insurance Commissioner Board of Equalization, 2 nd Dist U. S. Senator U.S. Representative, 24 th Dist State Assembly, 35 th Dist Superintendent of Public Instruction	Gavin Newsom Alex Padilla Betty T. Yee Fiona Ma Xavier Becerra Ricardo Lara Malia Cohen Kevin de Leon Salud Carbajal Bill Ostrander Tony K. Thurmond
Republican	Governor Secretary of State State Controller State Treasurer Attorney General Board of Equalization, 2 nd Dist U.S. Representative, 24 th Dist State Assembly, 35 th Dist	John H. Cox Mark P. Meuser Konstantinos Roditis Greg Conlon Steven C. Bailey Mark Burns Justin Fareed Jordan Cunningham
American Independent	Governor Secretary of State State Controller State Treasurer Attorney General Insurance Commissioner Board of Equalization, 2 nd Dist U.S. Representative, 24 th Dist State Assembly, 35 th Dist Superintendent of Public Instruction	John H. Cox Mark P. Meuser Konstantinos Roditis Greg Conlon Steven C. Bailey Steve Poizner Mark Burns Justin Fareed Jordan Cunningham Marshall Tuck

*The order of parties follows the Randomized Alphabet Drawing conducted by the County.

BALLOT INFORMATION FOR ALL FEDERAL AND STATE OFFICES AND STATE BALLOT MEASURES

CANDIDATE STATEMENT PAGES FOR

- U.S. REPRESENTATIVE- 24th DISTRICT
- STATE ASSEMBLY- 35th DISTRICT

The state assembly candidates listed below have pledged to abide by the campaign spending limits as specified in the CA. Government Code. Candidates agreeing to the campaign spending limits also have the opportunity to have a Statement of Qualifications printed in the local sample ballot booklet, at their own expense.

35th ASSEMBLY DISTRICT CANDIDATES

Bill Ostrander

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STATE	
GOVERNOR	Vote for One
JOHN H. COX Party Preference: Republican Businessman/Taxpayer Advocate	<input type="radio"/>
GAVIN NEWSOM Party Preference: Democratic Lieutenant Governor/Businessman	<input type="radio"/>
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR	Vote for One
ED HERNANDEZ Party Preference: Democratic State Senator/Businessman	<input type="radio"/>
ELENI KOUNALAKIS Party Preference: Democratic Businesswoman/Economic Advisor	<input type="radio"/>
SECRETARY OF STATE	Vote for One
ALEX PADILLA Party Preference: Democratic Secretary of State	<input type="radio"/>
MARK P. MEUSER Party Preference: Republican Election Law Attorney	<input type="radio"/>
CONTROLLER	Vote for One
KONSTANTINOS RODITIS Party Preference: Republican Businessman/CFO	<input type="radio"/>
BETTY T. YEE Party Preference: Democratic California State Controller	<input type="radio"/>
TREASURER	Vote for One
GREG CONLON Party Preference: Republican Businessman/CPA	<input type="radio"/>
FIONA MA Party Preference: Democratic CPA/Taxpayer Representative	<input type="radio"/>
ATTORNEY GENERAL	Vote for One
STEVEN C. BAILEY Party Preference: Republican Retired California Judge	<input type="radio"/>
XAVIER BECERRA Party Preference: Democratic Appointed Attorney General of the State of California	<input type="radio"/>

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INSURANCE COMMISSIONER	
	Vote for One
RICARDO LARA	<input type="radio"/>
Party Preference: Democratic California Senator	
STEVE POIZNER	<input type="radio"/>
Party Preference: None Businessman/Non-Profit Director	
MEMBER, STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION 2nd District	
	Vote for One
MALIA COHEN	<input type="radio"/>
Party Preference: Democratic President, San Francisco County Supervisors	
MARK BURNS	<input type="radio"/>
Party Preference: Republican Realtor/Businessman	
UNITED STATES SENATOR	
	Vote for One
DIANNE FEINSTEIN	<input type="radio"/>
Party Preference: Democratic United States Senator	
KEVIN DE LEON	<input type="radio"/>
Party Preference: Democratic California Senator	
UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE 24th District	
	Vote for One
SALUD CARBAJAL	<input type="radio"/>
Party Preference: Democratic Member of Congress	
JUSTIN FAREED	<input type="radio"/>
Party Preference: Republican Small Businessman/Rancher	
MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY 35th District	
	Vote for One
BILL OSTRANDER	<input type="radio"/>
Party Preference: Democratic Farmer/Nonprofit Director	
JORDAN CUNNINGHAM	<input type="radio"/>
Party Preference: Republican Assemblymember/Small Businessman	

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JUDICIAL VOTE YES OR NO FOR EACH OFFICE					
FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT Shall Associate Justice CAROL A. CORRIGAN be elected to the office for the term provided by law?	<table border="1"><tr><td>YES</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr><tr><td>NO</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr></table>	YES	<input type="radio"/>	NO	<input type="radio"/>
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FOR PRESIDING JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 2 Shall Presiding Justice ELWOOD LUI be elected to the office for the term provided by law?	<table border="1"><tr><td>YES</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr><tr><td>NO</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr></table>	YES	<input type="radio"/>	NO	<input type="radio"/>
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FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 2 Shall Associate Justice VICTORIA M. CHAVEZ be elected to the office for the term provided by law?	<table border="1"><tr><td>YES</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr><tr><td>NO</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr></table>	YES	<input type="radio"/>	NO	<input type="radio"/>
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FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 3 Shall Associate Justice LUIS A. LAVIN be elected to the office for the term provided by law?	<table border="1"><tr><td>YES</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr><tr><td>NO</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr></table>	YES	<input type="radio"/>	NO	<input type="radio"/>
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FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 3 Shall Associate Justice HALIM DHANIDINA be elected to the office for the term provided by law?	YES <input type="radio"/>
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FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 3 Shall Associate Justice ANNE H. EGERTON be elected to the office for the term provided by law?	YES <input type="radio"/>
	NO <input type="radio"/>
FOR PRESIDING JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 4 Shall Presiding Justice NORA M. MANELLA be elected to the office for the term provided by law?	YES <input type="radio"/>
	NO <input type="radio"/>
FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 4 Shall Associate Justice THOMAS WILLHITE be elected to the office for the term provided by law?	YES <input type="radio"/>
	NO <input type="radio"/>
FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 5 Shall Associate Justice DOROTHY C. KIM be elected to the office for the term provided by law?	YES <input type="radio"/>
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FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 5 Shall Associate Justice CARL H. MOOR be elected to the office for the term provided by law?	YES <input type="radio"/>
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FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 5 Shall Associate Justice LAMAR W. BAKER be elected to the office for the term provided by law?	YES <input type="radio"/>
	NO <input type="radio"/>
FOR PRESIDING JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 6 Shall Presiding Justice ARTHUR GILBERT be elected to the office for the term provided by law?	YES <input type="radio"/>
	NO <input type="radio"/>

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FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 6 Shall Associate Justice MARTIN J. TANGEMAN be elected to the office for the term provided by law?		YES <input type="radio"/>
		NO <input type="radio"/>
FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 7 Shall Associate Justice GAIL R. FEUER be elected to the office for the term provided by law?		YES <input type="radio"/>
		NO <input type="radio"/>
FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 7 Shall Associate Justice JOHN L. SEGAL be elected to the office for the term provided by law?		YES <input type="radio"/>
		NO <input type="radio"/>
FOR PRESIDING JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF APPEAL 2nd Appellate District, Div. 8 Shall Presiding Justice TRICIA A. BIGELOW be elected to the office for the term provided by law?		YES <input type="radio"/>
		NO <input type="radio"/>
SCHOOL		
SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION		
Vote for One		
MARSHALL TUCK Schools Improvement Director		<input type="radio"/>
TONY K. THURMOND Educator/State Legislator		<input type="radio"/>
Write-In		<input type="radio"/>

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
U.S. REPRESENTATIVE, 24TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

SALUD CARBAJAL

Occupation: Member of Congress

Education and Qualifications: I'm Salud Carbajal. I'm a proud husband, father, and Marine Corps veteran. I was the first in my family to graduate from a University, working two jobs to pay for my education at UCSB. I know what it's like to struggle and work hard to provide for my family, and I'm committed to making sure other families on the Central Coast have the same opportunities I did to get ahead.

I've strived to represent our Central Coast values in my service. I'm proud to have earned endorsements from the Sierra Club and Planned Parenthood for standing up for women's reproductive rights, preserving our environment, and protecting the integrity of our elections.

As a Member of Congress, I've worked with my Democratic and Republican colleagues to find common ground on issues that unite us. I've reached across the aisle to move forward bipartisan legislation that helps create new jobs, addresses the disastrous impacts of climate change, supports our nation's veterans and gold star families, fixes our broken immigration system, and invests in sustainable water infrastructure as our state faces an extended drought.

However, there is more work to be done. I'm willing to tackle the big issues to bring down the cost of health care, not repeal it. I'm fighting to make college more affordable and relieve students of crushing loan debt.

For more information about my campaign, please visit SaludCarbajal.com. I hope to earn your support on November 6th. Thank you.

**DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO PARA
REPRESENTANTE DE EE. UU., DISTRITO 24 DEL CONGRESO**

SALUD CARBAJAL

Ocupación: Miembro del Congreso

Educación y Competencia: Yo soy Salud Carbajal. Soy un orgulloso esposo, padre y veterano del Cuerpo de Marines de Estados Unidos. Fui el primero de mi familia en graduarse de una Universidad, con dos trabajos para pagar mis estudios en UCSB. Sé lo que es esforzarse y trabajar duro para mantener a mi familia, y me comprometo a asegurarme de que otras familias de la Costa Central tengan las mismas oportunidades que yo tuve para salir adelante.

He luchado para representar los valores de la Costa Central durante mi mandato. Me enorgullece haber obtenido el apoyo de Sierra Club y Planned Parenthood para defender los derechos reproductivos de la mujer, preservar el medioambiente y proteger la integridad de las elecciones.

Como Miembro del Congreso, he colaborado con mis colegas Demócratas y Republicanos para ponernos de acuerdo en problemas que nos unen. Me he unido a mis colegas para proceder con una legislación bipartita para crear nuevos trabajos, abordar el grave impacto del cambio climático, apoyar a los veteranos y a las familias de la "estrella de oro" de nuestro país, arreglar el sistema migratorio arruinado, e invertir en infraestructura sostenible de agua debido a la gran sequía que enfrenta nuestro estado.

Sin embargo, hay mucho trabajo por hacer. Estoy dispuesto a resolver los problemas grandes para reducir el costo de la atención médica, no para revocarlo. Estoy luchando para hacer que la universidad sea más asequible y para liberar a los estudiantes de las devastadoras deudas de préstamos.

Para obtener más información sobre mi campaña, visite SaludCarbajal.com. Espero tener su apoyo el 6 de noviembre. Gracias.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY, 35th DISTRICT**

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BILL OSTRANDER

Occupation: Farmer/Nonprofit Advocate

Education and Qualifications: Health care is our right, not a privilege. Taking care of one another is right ethically, and using the bargaining power of California's 40 million people to negotiate medical costs is the smart thing to do fiscally. Unless you are an insurance company benefiting from a profit-driven healthcare system, this is a win/win.

A fair election process is our right, not something to be bought. We must remove the corruptive influence of using private funds to elect public officials. The insatiable need for campaign funding ruins conversations about governance, focuses politicians on just the wealthiest among us, and prevents us from achieving the legislative outcomes we need.

Access to higher education is our right, and not the privilege of the wealthy. In fact, we declared this in California's Master Plan for Education and we need to return to that commitment. It is not only right ethically: spending money on universal pre-school, more vocational and art programs for high school and college, internship programs, and affordable education are proven smart investments in our economy.

Access to clean air, water, and food is our right, not the privilege of previous generations. We must use our farming practices to combat global warming by drawing down atmospheric carbon and placing it back in our soil where it can improve fertility and water absorption, reducing our dependence on synthetic fertilizers and chemicals. That makes us all healthier.

This is about all of us. Let's put our best selves forward.

**DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO PARA
MIEMBRO DE LA ASAMBLEA ESTATAL, DISTRITO 35**

BILL OSTRANDER

Ocupación: Granjero/Defensor sin Fines de Lucro

Educación y Competencia: La atención médica es un derecho, no un privilegio. Cuidarnos los unos a los otros es éticamente correcto, y utilizar el poder de negociación de los 40 millones de habitantes de California para negociar los costos médicos es astuto a nivel fiscal. Todos ganan a menos que usted sea una empresa aseguradora que se beneficia del sistema de salud con fines de lucro.

Un proceso electoral justo es nuestro derecho, no algo que se compra. Tenemos que eliminar la costumbre corrupta de utilizar fondos privados para elegir a los funcionarios públicos. La necesidad insaciable de fondos para las campañas arruina las conversaciones sobre la gobernación, hace que los políticos se enfoquen en los más ricos, y evita que obtengamos los logros legislativos que necesitamos.

El acceso a la educación superior es un derecho y no un privilegio de los ricos. De hecho, establecimos esto en el Plan Maestro de Educación de California, y necesitamos recuperar ese compromiso. No es solo éticamente correcto: el gasto de dinero en educación preescolar universal, más programas vocacionales y artísticos para la escuela secundaria y la universidad, los programas de pasantías, y la educación asequible han demostrado ser inversiones inteligentes en nuestra economía.

El acceso al aire, el agua y la comida limpios es un derecho, no un privilegio de las generaciones anteriores. Debemos utilizar nuestras prácticas agrícolas para combatir el calentamiento global al reducir el carbono en la atmósfera y volver a colocarlo en nuestra tierra, donde puede mejorar la fertilidad y la absorción del agua, reduciendo así la dependencia de fertilizantes sintéticos y químicos. Esto nos hace más sanos a todos.

Esto es para todos. Demos lo mejor de nosotros mismos.

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MEASURES SUBMITTED TO THE VOTERS					
STATE					
<p>1 AUTHORIZES BONDS TO FUND SPECIFIED HOUSING ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS. LEGISLATIVE STATUTE. Authorizes \$4 billion in general obligation bonds for existing affordable housing programs for low-income residents, veterans, farmworkers, manufactured and mobile homes, infill, and transit-oriented housing. Fiscal Impact: Increased state costs to repay bonds averaging about \$170 million annually over the next 35 years.</p>	<table border="1"><tr><td>YES</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr><tr><td>NO</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr></table>	YES	<input type="radio"/>	NO	<input type="radio"/>
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<p>2 AUTHORIZES BONDS TO FUND EXISTING HOUSING PROGRAM FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH MENTAL ILLNESS. LEGISLATIVE STATUTE. Amends Mental Health Services Act to fund No Place Like Home Program, which finances housing for individuals with mental illness. Ratifies existing law establishing the No Place Like Home Program. Fiscal Impact: Allows the state to use up to \$140 million per year of county mental health funds to repay up to \$2 billion in bonds. These bonds would fund housing for those with mental illness who are homeless.</p>	<table border="1"><tr><td>YES</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr><tr><td>NO</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr></table>	YES	<input type="radio"/>	NO	<input type="radio"/>
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<p>3 AUTHORIZES BONDS TO FUND PROJECTS FOR WATER SUPPLY AND QUALITY, WATERSHED, FISH, WILDLIFE, WATER CONVEYANCE, AND GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AND STORAGE. INITIATIVE STATUTE. Authorizes \$8.877 billion in state general obligation bonds for various infrastructure projects. Fiscal Impact: Increased state costs to repay bonds averaging \$430 million per year over 40 years. Local government savings for water-related projects, likely averaging a couple hundred million dollars annually over the next few decades.</p>	<table border="1"><tr><td>YES</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr><tr><td>NO</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr></table>	YES	<input type="radio"/>	NO	<input type="radio"/>
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<p>4 AUTHORIZES BONDS FUNDING CONSTRUCTION AT HOSPITALS PROVIDING CHILDREN'S HEALTH CARE. INITIATIVE STATUTE. Authorizes \$1.5 billion in bonds, to be repaid from state's General Fund, to fund grants for construction, expansion, renovation, and equipping of qualifying children's hospitals. Fiscal Impact: Increased state costs to repay bonds averaging about \$80 million annually over the next 35 years.</p>	<table border="1"><tr><td>YES</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr><tr><td>NO</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr></table>	YES	<input type="radio"/>	NO	<input type="radio"/>
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<p>5 CHANGES REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN PROPERTY OWNERS TO TRANSFER THEIR PROPERTY TAX BASE TO REPLACEMENT PROPERTY. INITIATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AND STATUTE. Removes certain transfer requirements for homeowners over 55, severely disabled homeowners, and contaminated or disaster-destroyed property. Fiscal Impact: Schools and local governments each would lose over \$100 million in annual property taxes early on, growing to about \$1 billion per year. Similar increase in state costs to backfill school property tax losses.</p>	<p>YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>6 ELIMINATES CERTAIN ROAD REPAIR AND TRANSPORTATION FUNDING. REQUIRES CERTAIN FUEL TAXES AND VEHICLE FEES BE APPROVED BY THE ELECTORATE. INITIATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT. Repeals a 2017 transportation law's taxes and fees designated for road repairs and public transportation. Fiscal Impact: Reduced ongoing revenues of \$5.1 billion from state fuel and vehicle taxes that mainly would have paid for highway and road maintenance and repairs, as well as transit programs.</p>	<p>YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>7 CONFORMS CALIFORNIA DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME TO FEDERAL LAW. ALLOWS LEGISLATURE TO CHANGE DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME PERIOD. LEGISLATIVE STATUTE. Gives Legislature ability to change daylight saving time period by two-thirds vote, if changes are consistent with federal law. Fiscal Impact: This measure has no direct fiscal effect because changes to daylight saving time would depend on future actions by the Legislature and potentially the federal government.</p>	<p>YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>NO <input type="radio"/></p>
<p>8 REGULATES AMOUNTS OUTPATIENT KIDNEY DIALYSIS CLINICS CHARGE FOR DIALYSIS TREATMENT. INITIATIVE STATUTE. Requires rebates and penalties if charges exceed limit. Requires annual reporting to the state. Prohibits clinics from refusing to treat patients based on payment source. Fiscal Impact: Overall annual effect on state and local governments ranging from net positive impact in the low tens of millions of dollars to net negative impact in the tens of millions of dollars.</p>	<p>YES <input type="radio"/></p> <p>NO <input type="radio"/></p>

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9 Proposition 9 was removed from the ballot by order of the California Supreme Court.

10 EXPANDS LOCAL GOVERNMENTS' AUTHORITY TO ENACT RENT CONTROL ON RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY. INITIATIVE STATUTE. Repeals state law that currently restricts the scope of rent-control policies that cities and other local jurisdictions may impose on residential property. Fiscal Impact: Potential net reduction in state and local revenues of tens of millions of dollars per year in the long term. Depending on actions by local communities, revenue losses could be less or considerably more.

YES	<input type="radio"/>
NO	<input type="radio"/>

11 REQUIRES PRIVATE-SECTOR EMERGENCY AMBULANCE EMPLOYEES TO REMAIN ON-CALL DURING WORK BREAKS. ELIMINATES CERTAIN EMPLOYER LIABILITY. INITIATIVE STATUTE. Law entitling hourly employees to breaks without being on-call would not apply to private-sector ambulance employees. Fiscal Impact: Likely fiscal benefit to local governments (in the form of lower costs and higher revenues), potentially in the tens of millions of dollars each year.

YES	<input type="radio"/>
NO	<input type="radio"/>

12 ESTABLISHES NEW STANDARDS FOR CONFINEMENT OF SPECIFIED FARM ANIMALS; BANS SALE OF NONCOMPLYING PRODUCTS. INITIATIVE STATUTE. Establishes minimum requirements for confining certain farm animals. Prohibits sales of meat and egg products from animals confined in noncomplying manner. Fiscal Impact: Potential decrease in state income tax revenues from farm businesses, likely not more than several million dollars annually. State costs up to \$10 million annually to enforce the measure.

YES	<input type="radio"/>
NO	<input type="radio"/>

COUNTY

G-18 Shall an ordinance be adopted amending the San Luis Obispo County General Plan and County Code to prohibit any new petroleum extraction and all well stimulation treatments, as defined in the full-text of the measure, including hydraulic fracturing and acid well stimulation, on all lands within the unincorporated area of the county?

YES	<input type="radio"/>
NO	<input type="radio"/>

BALLOT INFORMATION, CANDIDATE STATEMENT AND MEASURE INFORMATION PAGES FOR LOCAL OFFICES

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CANDIDATE'S STATEMENTS
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ARGUMENTS, PRO & CON

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ATASCADERO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER	
Vote for no more than Four	
DONN CLICKARD Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
BRET HEINEMANN Writer/Businessman	<input type="radio"/>
GEORGE R. SHOEMAKER Appointed Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
TAMI GUNTHER Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
RAY M. BUBAN Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Atascadero Unified School District**

DONN CLICKARD

Occupation: Executive Director, Atascadero Greyhound Foundation

Education and Qualifications: I am a retired school teacher and athletic director from the Atascadero Unified School District. I have been a resident of Atascadero since 1970. I am past chairman of the board of the Atascadero Chamber of Commerce. I am currently the executive director of the Atascadero Greyhound Foundation and member of the Lighthouse Atascadero committee.

I was appointed to fill a vacancy on the school board in 2005 and was subsequently elected to a four-year term in 2006. I was re-elected in 2010 and am currently completing a third term which began in 2014. My daughter is a graduate of Atascadero High School and I remain committed to the goal that "All students will gain the knowledge, skills and understandings to be college, career and citizenship ready".

The Governing Board must support the efforts of the Superintendent as he capably guides the district in the direction of excellence. Trustees must continue to support the achievements of the dedicated certified and classified staff members and the administrative team who work so hard and so successfully to nurture students to become critical thinkers and lifelong learners. I hope to continue my service to our students as a member of the board, dedicated to providing the best possible educational experience for each of our students.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Atascadero Unified School District**

BRET HEINEMANN

Occupation: Writer / Businessman

Education and Qualifications: Education occurs every day in and outside of the formal school setting in the family, home, and community. Schools traditionally focus on academics.

Character education also occurs every day in the home, schools, and community. It is not something extra to be taught or done in schools, at home, at work or at play but is done all the time in everything we do and how we participate in our daily lives. It is often viewed as the plate everything is served on.

As a member of the school board I will also be a role model in the community.

Time is something we can never get back once given, and I'm looking forward to using my time to support the students and families in the entire school district..

Thank you for your time and please vote.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Atascadero Unified School District**

GEORGE R. SHOEMAKER

Age: 57

Occupation: Appointed Incumbent, Farmer

Education and Qualifications: Bachelor's degree in Cultural Geography and a Masters degree in Public Policy.

Having spent 15 years teaching high school history, government, and economics I have an appreciation for what goes on in the classroom and the challenges teachers face every day. As a Board Trustee I will work hard to support teachers and quality programs as well as working to be a good steward of the public money entrusted to our district. My background in education and my knowledge of public finance will help guide my decisions.

I have been a community volunteer, coaching baseball, basketball, and track and field. I spend my time working to develop the youth of our community, and take pride in knowing many of our youth and understanding the challenges that many of them face.

Keeping the district financially healthy, and working to improve the education of our kids with strong programs that challenge them and support them is my goal. I am a strong supporter of vocational education and believe we need to increase public/private partnerships to create a well educated workforce.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Atascadero Unified School District**

TAMI GUNTHER

Occupation: Incumbent

Education and Qualifications: I am running for re-election to the Atascadero School Board in order to continue advocating for our public schools locally, regionally, and at the State level. I am currently serving on the Board of Directors for the California School Boards Association, and as Vice President of the Tri-County Education Coalition which represents San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara and Ventura Counties, in addition to serving on other local and statewide committees. Voicing the needs of our students and community to our legislators is more important now than ever and I look forward to continuing this important work.

Arts, Vocational Education and Life Skills are extremely important and I have been a strong advocate for these programs for many years. I support efforts to expand the use of technology in communication to keep our parents and community members informed and involved. I will continue to support and encourage public involvement and advisory committee processes in budget development, facilities planning, Special Education, and all areas of critical decision making.

Please feel free to contact me at tamig030@aol.com if you have any questions.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Atascadero Unified School District**

RAY M. BUBAN

Occupation: Incumbent

Education and Qualifications: I have been a Trustee for eight years; I have been the Board Clerk and President.

I represent you and our district on the City of Atascadero and Atascadero Unified School District committee. It is a committee where we and the city get together and discuss areas of interest that may or may not affect the City or our District.

I represent you and our district as a member of the San Luis Obispo County Office of Education as a member of the County Committee on School District Organization.

I was inspired to join the school board by concerned parents and community members who knew of my involvement, passion and commitment to our city and schools over the last 30 years.

I am an Enrolled Agent, licensed by the Internal Revenue Service, a Registered Representative and a Certified Fiduciary. I am the principal owner of Ray M. Buban, EA Financial & Tax Service. I have had my business in Atascadero since 1986. I provide financial services to individuals and businesses which include Corporations, Partnerships, LLC's and Non-Profit Charitable Organizations also income tax planning, preparation and representation before the Internal Revenue Service and California Franchise Tax Board.

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LUCIA MAR UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 1	
	Vote for no more than Two
CHAD ROBERTSON Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
STACY MEKO Wine Industry Consultant	<input type="radio"/>
DAWN L. MEEK Retired Teacher	<input type="radio"/>
MICHAEL SULLIVAN Clinical Laboratory Scientist	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
LUCIA MAR UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 3	
	Vote for One
VERN DAHL Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
ANDREA VERGNE Community Volunteer	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 1
Lucia Mar Unified School District**

CHAD ROBERTSON**Age: 46****Occupation:** Incumbent Board Member, Business Owner, Paramedic

Education and Qualifications: Treating people with the respect they deserve has been – and will continue to be – my first priority as a School Board Member. Listening to and understanding other points of view is the only way to ensure we make the right decisions for our students. I believe my respectful approach has been an essential part of the School Board’s decision process over the past 6 years.

I am seeking re-election because I care about kids. I have two daughters, nieces, nephews, neighbors and friends who attend LMUSD schools. The best way I know how to care for them is by making decisions based on reason and objective examination of all the facts. The School Board has faced some difficult choices in the last few years and my bottom line has always been, “What is best for the kids?”

As an Owner of a local business and a Paramedic, I recognize the value of listening to people and understanding their needs. It would be an honor to continue working for the students of Lucia Mar School District for another four years.

Your vote for Chad Robertson is a vote for respect, reason and results.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 1
Lucia Mar Unified School District**

STACY MEKO**Age: 57****Occupation:** Wine Industry Consultant / Community Volunteer

Education and Qualifications: Before making my way to the paradise we call home in South County 32 years ago, I grew up on the east coast and earned a degree from Georgetown University. My husband and I raised our three children here, all graduates of Nipomo High School.

I have balanced a career in the local wine industry with a passion for community service focused on children and education. Logging thousands of volunteer hours at our local schools, I have served as PTA president and on numerous Lucia Mar committees, including the recent Measure I campaign. In 2014 I co-founded VOLUME (Voices of Lucia Mar for Education), a grassroots coalition improving communication and stakeholder engagement in LMUSD. I am a Community Foundation SLO County Scholarship Committee member and an alumni interviewer for local applicants to Georgetown University.

Serving my community as a LMUSD trustee is an opportunity I take very seriously. There is no greater treasure than our children, and earning your trust to deliver the best possible education with responsible stewardship of district funds is my top priority. I am committed to transparency, accountability, inclusiveness, creative thinking, and genuine collaboration with our teachers, staff, students, parents and community.

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**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 1
Lucia Mar Unified School District**

DAWN L. MEEK

Age: 57

Occupation: Retired Teacher

Education and Qualifications: I am a Summa Cum Laude graduate of California State University, Stanislaus. I hold educational credentials in both Special Education and Multiple Subjects. My experience in public and private schools within multiple states and grades fuels my passionate belief that the future success of our community resides upon the ability of our students to successfully compete within our increasingly complex and technological world.

Our students deserve all of the opportunities that we can provide in order to prepare them to take positions of leadership in the next generation. I believe in a partnership between our homes, schools, and community stakeholders to wisely and transparently allocate precious funds. This provides balance to both long and short-term district goals for the safety and continued ingenuity of our schools and students. Each student matters, and each staff member must be supported in their endeavor to guide our students in becoming lifelong learners and leaders. It would be my privilege to join LMSD management and staff, as they lead our district's students in pursuit of career readiness and their individual career paths.

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**DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO PARA
MIEMBRO DE LA JUNTA GUBERNATIVA, ÁREA SINDICAL N.º 1
Distrito Escolar Unificado de Lucía Mar**

CHAD ROBERTSON

Edad: 46

Ocupación: Miembro Titular de la Junta, Propietario de Negocio, Paramédico

Educación y Competencia: Tratar a las personas con el respeto que merecen siempre ha sido - y continuará siendo - mi principal prioridad como Miembro de la Junta Escolar. Escuchar y comprender otros puntos de vista es la única manera de asegurarnos de que tomamos las decisiones adecuadas para nuestros estudiantes. Creo que mi enfoque respetuoso ha sido una parte esencial del proceso de toma de decisiones de la Junta Escolar durante los últimos 6 años.

Busco la reelección porque me importan los niños. Tengo dos hijas, sobrinas, sobrinos, vecinos y amigos que asisten a escuelas del LMUSD. La mejor manera que conozco para cuidarlos es mediante la toma de decisiones basadas en el sentido común y en el análisis objetivo de todos los hechos. La Junta Escolar ha atravesado algunas decisiones complicadas en los últimos años y mi punto de referencia siempre ha sido: "¿Qué es lo mejor para los niños?"

Como Paramédico y Propietario de un negocio local, conozco el valor de escuchar a las personas y comprender sus necesidades. Sería un honor seguir trabajando para los estudiantes del Distrito Escolar de Lucía Mar durante otros cuatro años.

Su voto por Chad Robertson es un voto a favor del respeto, el sentido común y resultados.

**DECLARACIÓN DE LA CANDIDATA PARA
MIEMBRO DE LA JUNTA GUBERNATIVA, ÁREA SINDICAL N.º 1
Distrito Escolar Unificado de Lucía Mar**

STACY MEKO

Edad: 57

Ocupación: Asesora del Sector Vitivinícola/Voluntaria de la Comunidad

Educación y Competencia: Antes de llegar al paraíso que llamo hogar en el Sur del Condado hace 32 años, crecí en la costa este y obtuve un título en Georgetown University. Mi esposo y yo criamos a nuestros tres hijos aquí y todos se graduaron en la Escuela Secundaria Nipomo.

Divido el tiempo entre mi carrera en el sector vitivinícola local y mi pasión por el servicio a la comunidad enfocado en los niños y la educación. Cuento con miles de horas registradas de voluntariado en nuestras escuelas locales y he trabajado como presidenta de la Asociación de Padres y Maestros y en diversos comités de Lucía Mar, inclusive en la reciente campaña por la Iniciativa de Ley I. En 2014, me convertí en cofundadora de VOLUME (Voces de Lucía Mar para la Educación), una coalición comunitaria para la mejora de la comunicación y el compromiso de las partes interesadas en el LMUSD. Soy miembro del Comité de Becas del Condado de SLO y también me desempeño como entrevistadora de ex alumnos para los postulantes locales a Georgetown University.

Servir a mi comunidad como síndica del LMUSD es una oportunidad que me tomo muy en serio. No existe mayor tesoro que nuestros niños; ganarme su confianza para brindar la mejor educación posible mediante una administración responsable de los fondos del distrito es mi principal prioridad. Estoy comprometida con la transparencia, la responsabilidad, la inclusión, el pensamiento creativo y la colaboración genuina con los maestros, el personal, los estudiantes, los padres y la comunidad.

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**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 3
Lucia Mar Unified School District**

VERN DAHL

Occupation: Incumbent

Education and Qualifications: For the past 8 years I have served as your School Board representative for the entire district. Thank you! During this time I have represented Lucia Mar on the South County Advisory Council, and on the Oceano Advisory Council as Chairperson. I have developed strong working relationships with all levels of government which make a difference and provide resources for Lucia Mar.

Of the many great accomplishments I have been involved in at Lucia Mar, here are just a few:

Having a Business and Accounting background, I have been involved in making sure our district has a positive certification and our budget is aligned with goals for our students.

I am the trustee that found the solar program for our district, which produces over a million dollars of electricity a year, saving our tax dollars.

I have been instrumental in bringing an anti bullying program and school environment awareness to the district helping to make schools a place where kids want to be.

One of my priorities is to be sure our goals are aligned for all students regardless of background or their goals in life.

I am asking for your vote this election. Let's continue to make great things happen at Lucia Mar Unified School District. Thank you!

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 3
Lucia Mar Unified School District**

ANDREA VERGNE

Age: 58

Occupation: Community Volunteer / Educational Advocate

Education and Qualifications: I'm a parent of three children successfully pursuing their careers and mother to a special needs son attending LMUSD. I strive for educational excellence and on creating a safe learning environment where every child has the opportunity to achieve their highest potential.

I'm an At-Large Governor's appointee to the California State Council on Developmental Disabilities, ensuring people with developmental disabilities and their families receive the services and support they need. I serve on the Advisory Board for CRN, which provides clothing and school supplies to thousands of disadvantaged LMUSD students; served as the LMUSD CAC representative for SELPA, as a parent advocate; A member of the SLO County District Attorney's First Responders, prepared to respond to public health emergencies from a disease outbreak to a natural disaster or act of terrorism.

I worked with farmworkers as an agriculture produce manager and buyer, property manager, research assistant for a law firm, and an assistant to the Dean of Development at California Western School of Law. In moving forward, I will secure and implement educational strategies to achieve observable and measurable academic, social and life skills growth. I will tackle problems within our school system and will address the fiscal challenges our teachers and school district face. I would be honored to have your vote!

**DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO PARA
MIEMBRO DE LA JUNTA GUBERNATIVA, ÁREA SINDICAL N.º 3
Distrito Escolar Unificado de Lucía Mar**

VERN DAHL

Ocupación: Titular

Educación y Competencia: Durante los últimos 8 años he servido a la comunidad como representante de la Junta Escolar para todo el distrito. ¡Gracias! Durante este tiempo, he representado a Lucía Mar en el Concejo Asesor del Sur del Condado y en el Concejo Asesor de Oceano como Presidente. He desarrollado relaciones sólidas de trabajo en todos los niveles gubernamentales que marcan la diferencia y brindan recursos para Lucía Mar.

Estos son algunos de los grandes logros en los que participé en Lucía Mar:

Gracias a mis conocimientos sobre negocios y finanzas, he trabajado para asegurarme de que nuestro distrito tenga una certificación positiva y que nuestro presupuesto concuerde con los objetivos para los estudiantes.

Soy el síndico que descubrió el programa solar para nuestro distrito, que produce más de un millón de dólares en electricidad por año, lo que nos permite ahorrar el dinero de nuestros impuestos.

He desempeñado un rol fundamental para la implementación de un programa contra el bullying y para crear conciencia del entorno escolar en el distrito con el objetivo de lograr que las escuelas sean lugares agradables para los niños.

Una de mis prioridades es garantizar que nuestros objetivos se adapten a los estudiantes, sin importar sus antecedentes ni sus objetivos de vida.

Le pido su apoyo en estas elecciones. Sigamos contribuyendo al desarrollo del Distrito Escolar Unificado de Lucía Mar. ¡Gracias!

**DECLARACIÓN DE LA CANDIDATA PARA
MIEMBRO DE LA JUNTA GUBERNATIVA, ÁREA SINDICAL N.º 3
Distrito Escolar Unificado de Lucía Mar**

ANDREA VERGNE

Edad: 58

Ocupación: Voluntaria de la Comunidad/Defensora de la Educación

Educación y Competencia: Soy madre de tres niños que actualmente cursan con éxito sus carreras, y madre de un hijo con necesidades especiales que asiste al LMUSD. Lucho por la excelencia educativa y la creación de un entorno de aprendizaje seguro donde cada niño tenga la oportunidad de alcanzar su máximo potencial.

Soy una delegada nombrada por el Gobernador sin cargo específico del Concejo del Estado de California sobre Discapacidades del Desarrollo, que garantiza que las personas con este tipo de discapacidades y sus familias reciban los servicios y la asistencia que necesitan. Formo parte de la Junta Asesora de CRN, que brinda ropa y artículos escolares a miles de estudiantes con pocos recursos del LMUSD; representé al CAC del LMUSD en el SELPA como madre defensora; soy miembro del Equipo de Primera Respuesta del Fiscal de Distrito del Condado de SLO, que se encarga de responder ante emergencias de salud pública, ya sean brotes de enfermedades, desastres naturales o actos de terrorismo.

Trabajé con agricultores como encargada de compras y gerente de producción agrícola, agente inmobiliaria, asistente de investigación para una firma jurídica y asistente del Decano de Desarrollo de la California Western School of Law. En el futuro, garantizaré e implementaré estrategias educativas para lograr un crecimiento visible y medible a nivel académico, social y de habilidades básicas. Abordaré los problemas de nuestro sistema educativo y los desafíos fiscales que enfrentan nuestros maestros y el distrito educativo. ¡Sería un honor contar con su voto!

Sample Ballot

PASO ROBLES JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER Four Year Term	
Vote for no more than Three	
CHRISTOPHER AREND Retired Attorney	<input type="radio"/>
RYAN WARD Software Engineer	<input type="radio"/>
MATTHEW C. MCCLISH Appointed Board Member	<input type="radio"/>
LANCE R. GANNON Retired Purchasing Agent	<input type="radio"/>
TIM GEARHART Governing Board Member	<input type="radio"/>
FIELD GIBSON Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
PASO ROBLES JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER Two Year Term	
Vote for One	
STEPHANIE ULIBARRI Public School Teacher	<input type="radio"/>
KATHLEEN YANKEE HALL Governing Board Member	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Paso Robles Joint Unified School District**

CHRISTOPHER AREND

Age: 66

Occupation: Retired American & German Attorney, German/English Legal Translator

Education and Qualifications: As a parent of a sophomore at Paso Robles High School in the 2018/19 school year, I am very concerned about a recent survey of approximately 200 teachers that documents generally low morale due to lack of discipline in our schools. Disorderly and disrespectful students combined with a lack of communication and trust between the teachers on the "front line" and the district administration are hurting all students in the District. These problems bleed off resources from the main purpose of our schools, namely, giving our students the best possible education.

I am a veteran and obtained law degrees in America and Germany, where I practiced law internationally. This lifetime of experience has shown me that "discipline" is the key to successful education. Our schools must be an environment free of disorder with academic discipline in which teachers get the respect they have earned. Teachers must be given full support when disciplinary problems occur, and administrators and counseling staff must work closely with parents when their children disrupt classroom harmony. If elected, I will contribute my knowledge and experience to improve discipline and overall morale at our schools and enable our teachers to focus on educating our children.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Paso Robles Joint Unified School District**

MATTHEW MCCLISH

Age: 47

Occupation: Appointed Board Member, Businessperson, Chamber of Commerce Chairman

Education and Qualifications: Our Paso Robles Public Schools provide incredible opportunities for all of our students in the areas of academics, art, ag and athletics but there is still so much work to do. Insuring that all of our students, parents, teachers and staff feel safe and that their voice can be heard is one of my main focus points moving forward. In addition, keeping a close eye on the budget and reserve is paramount to the success of the district.

I have lived in Paso Robles for 11 years and am a parent in the district. I have a special appreciation for the quality of life that we have here in Paso and doing what I can to preserve that is very important to me. I currently serve as Chairman of the Board for the Paso Robles Chamber of Commerce as well as on the Supplemental Tax Oversight Committee. I have a Masters in Public Administration and am a Cal Poly graduate.

It has been my pleasure to serve on the PRJUSD Board this past year. I ask for your vote on November 6th so that I can continue to support our teachers, staff and administration as they work to meet the needs of the students and our community.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER**

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Paso Robles Joint Unified School District

TIM GEARHART

Occupation: School Board Trustee / Retired Teacher

Education and Qualifications: I'm Tim Gearhart, running for re-election to the Paso Robles School Board. Previously, I promised support for after school sports, fiscally responsible oversight, and a well rounded education for all students, including Art, Music, Drama and Dance. Now, these are in place!

As a school teacher of 36 years and three years teaching in the School of Education at Cal Poly, I fully understand the importance of a well funded school district. For years, the Board has dug into the District's financial history. All problems that appeared were corrected. I promise to keep watch on our finances.

I promise to focus on school safety, not only from dangers outside, but also within our schools. Student safety is my first concern, and this includes physical and psychological safety. I support a Health/Wellness Center at the high school, staffed by professionals, coordinated with county programs, so a student or parents can call the center for help and get it within or outside the District.

Our high school is ranked in the top 9% nationally, and in the top 12% in California. My goal is that all of our students will be well prepared to attend this excellent educational opportunity.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER**

Paso Robles Joint Unified School District

FIELD GIBSON

Occupation: Business Insurance & Risk Management

Education and Qualifications: The education of our children should be our primary objective. Having a belief that all students can achieve success, I have supported a vision that every student will be prepared for success in college and career readiness.

We need to set high academic expectations and continue to develop comprehensive and effective programs designed to improve student performance. Knowing that not every child will pursue a college degree, we also need to continue to expand our already strong Career Technical Education pathways and Skills USA program, as well as strengthening the Advanced Placement and Honors programs.

Innovative programs such as our elementary athletics, our two magnet schools, and infusing the arts and music back into our schools need to be continued. My goals include improving community outreach, with more transparency and accountability. School safety is another important issue that we should continue to work on.

I have a Business degree in Finance & Property Management from Cal Poly. My career has involved finance, managing risk for businesses, budgeting, contracts, and financial planning. My formal education and business experience has been an asset to the school district.

I am running for re-election to continue these initiatives we have started. I would appreciate your vote.

**DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO PARA
MIEMBRO DE LA JUNTA GUBERNATIVA
Distrito Escolar Unificado Conjunto de Paso Robles**

MATTHEW MCCLISH

Edad: 47

Ocupación: Miembro Nombrado de la Junta, Empresario, Presidente de la Cámara de Comercio

Educación y Competencia: Las Escuelas Públicas de Paso Robles brindan oportunidades extraordinarias para nuestros estudiantes en las áreas académicas, artísticas, de educación agrícola y de atletismo. Sin embargo, hay mucho trabajo por delante. Unos de mis puntos principales para el futuro es garantizar que todos nuestros estudiantes, padres, maestros y miembros del personal se sientan seguros y que sus voces sean escuchadas. Además, vigilar de cerca el presupuesto y las reservas es vital para que el distrito prospere.

Vivo en Paso Robles hace 11 años y soy un padre del distrito. Valoro especialmente la calidad de vida que tenemos aquí en Paso y doy lo mejor de mí para preservarla. Actualmente soy Presidente de la Junta de la Cámara de Comercio de Paso Robles y también del Comité de Supervisión de Impuestos Suplementarios. Tengo una Maestría en Administración Pública y me gradué en Cal Poly.

Fue un placer servir en la Junta del PRJUSD el año pasado. Le pido su voto el 6 de noviembre para poder seguir apoyando a los maestros, al personal y a la administración con el objetivo de cumplir con las necesidades de los estudiantes y de nuestra comunidad.

**DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO PARA
MIEMBRO DE LA JUNTA GUBERNATIVA
Distrito Escolar Unificado Conjunto de Paso Robles**

TIM GEARHART

Ocupación: Fideicomisario de la Junta Escolar/Maestro Jubilado

Educación y Competencia: Soy Tim Gearhart y busco la reelección en la Junta Escolar de Paso Robles. Anteriormente, prometí apoyo para las actividades deportivas fuera del horario escolar, una supervisión fiscalmente responsable y una educación integral para todos los estudiantes, lo que incluye Arte, Música, Teatro y Danza. ¡Todo esto se implementó!

Con la experiencia de maestro por 36 años y mis tres años de enseñando clases en la Escuela de Educación de Cal Poly, realmente entiendo la importancia de un distrito escolar con bases sólidas. Durante años, la Junta ha investigado el historial financiero del Distrito. Todos los problemas que se encontraron se resolvieron. Prometo seguir vigilando nuestras finanzas.

Prometo enfocarme en la seguridad escolar, no solo con respecto a los peligros externos, sino también con respecto a aquellos que se encuentran dentro de las escuelas. La seguridad de los estudiantes es mi prioridad, tanto en el aspecto físico como psicológico. Apoyo la presencia de un Centro de Bienestar/Salud en la escuela secundaria que cuente con profesionales y que se coordine con programas del condado, para que los estudiantes o los padres puedan llamar para pedir asistencia dentro y fuera del Distrito.

Nuestra escuela secundaria se encuentra dentro del 9% destacado a nivel nacional y dentro del 12% destacado en California. Mi objetivo es que todos nuestros estudiantes estén bien preparados para aprovechar esta excelente oportunidad educativa.

**DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO A PARA
MIEMBRO DE LA JUNTA GUBERNATIVA
Distrito Escolar Unificado Conjunto de Paso Robles**

FIELD GIBSON

Ocupación: Gestión de Riesgos y Seguros Empresariales

Educación y Competencia: La educación de nuestros niños debería ser nuestro principal objetivo. Teniendo en mente que todos los estudiantes pueden alcanzar el éxito, he apoyado la visión de que cada estudiante estará preparado para triunfar en la universidad y en su carrera.

Debemos fijar objetivos académicos exigentes y seguir desarrollando programas efectivos y completos diseñados para mejorar el rendimiento de los estudiantes. Ya que no todos los niños seguirán una carrera universitaria, debemos seguir expandiendo nuestras ya sólidas opciones de Educación para Carreras Técnicas y el programa Skills USA, y también debemos reforzar los programas de Honores y Nivelación Avanzada.

Debemos continuar con nuestros programas innovadores de atletismo a nivel primario, nuestras dos escuelas magnet, y también tenemos que volver a llevar el arte y la música a nuestras escuelas. Uno de mis objetivos es mejorar la asistencia comunitaria aportando una mayor transparencia y responsabilidad. La seguridad escolar es otro aspecto importante en el que debemos seguir trabajando.

Tengo un título en Negocios sobre Finanzas y Administración de Propiedades de Cal Poly. Mi carrera ha abarcado asuntos financieros, gestión de riesgos empresariales, gestión de presupuestos, contratos y planificación financiera. Mi educación formal y mi experiencia empresarial han sido de gran valor para el distrito escolar.

Busco la reelección para seguir con estas iniciativas que comenzamos. Apreciaría su voto.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Paso Robles Joint Unified School District
Two Year Term**

STEPHANIE ULIBARRI

Occupation: Public School Teacher

Education and Qualifications: As a public school teacher, I have much to contribute if elected Trustee in the Paso Robles Joint Unified School District.

I have been in the classroom since 2005 and have earned a Master's in Educational Leadership & Administration from Cal Poly. I successfully work with my administration, fellow teachers, students, and parents to uphold the tradition of a quality public education.

I made the decision to run for Paso Robles School Board upon reading the Morale & Discipline Teacher Survey. The data collected was alarming and pointed to a school district in distress. If elected, I resolve to support and advocate for the improvement of the following most urgent matters: teacher job satisfaction; administrative support for teachers and support staff; handling of disciplinary issues; student attendance; public perception of our schools.

PRJUSD School Board espouses "No Excuses", "Continuous Improvement", and "Leadership" as three of its core values. I will work unflinchingly to uphold these three values in particular if elected. When it comes to advocating for the education of children, I am tireless and undeterred.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Paso Robles Joint Unified School District
Two Year Term**

KATHLEEN YANKEE HALL

Occupation: Paso Robles Joint Unified School District Trustee / Scientist

Education and Qualifications: I believe that all students have the potential to become successful members of the 21st Century, and recognize that Paso Unified School District has the moral obligation to give them the foundation and encouragement to meet these goals. My focus will be to provide a secure educational environment ensuring that PRUSD will prepare students to be successful in life choices.

I am an elected Trustee for the Paso Robles School District. My background is education, science and business. In education, I have a PhD from Ohio State University and a Post Doctorate from UCLA. At both universities, I was a published genetic research scientist. I have taught science at high schools and universities. Besides serving as Trustee on both the Paso Robles and Almond Acres School Board, I was an elected city councilwoman in Illinois.

In business, I know finance and budgets; have headed a coalition of California businesses, directing their public policy and lobby efforts. My work with the California State Assembly helped develop state environmental permitting standards, resulting in nomination to a Governor's committee by business and government leaders. In New York, I worked with the former congressman and president of NYU, developing a Center for Congressional Studies.

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SAN LUIS COASTAL UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 2	
MARILYN RODGER Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
EVELYN FRAME Retired Elementary Teacher	<input type="radio"/>
VICTORIA S. DANDURAND Parent/Teacher/Counselor	<input type="radio"/>
JIM QUESENBERRY Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
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**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 2
San Luis Coastal Unified School District**

MARILYN RODGER

Occupation: Incumbent

Education and Qualifications: I am privileged to have served as a trustee of the San Luis Coastal Unified School District for the past 16 years. During my tenure, the district has seen periods of greater and lesser revenues. While navigating these waters, my commitment to student achievement and welfare has remained my top priority. District schools have received state and national recognition and student achievement has continued to rise, year over year, even among our most vulnerable groups.

Successful multi-year contracts with our represented employees have been realized during my tenure and I have supported schools of choice such as Pacheco Elementary School, Teach Elementary School and Pacific Peach High School for parents seeking alternative options. As a trustee, I have been mindful that the public dollars dedicated through our Measure D Facilities Bond be spent wisely and with accountability. Each dollar spent will support 21st century facilities to serve current and future generations of students.

As we approach the changed economic landscape that the closure of Diablo Canyon brings, I am prepared to make budget decisions always viewed through the lens of having least impact on students and classrooms. I take seriously the trust placed in me and I pledge to work diligently and collegially to support the educational opportunities of all students.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 2
San Luis Coastal Unified School District**

EVELYN FRAME

Occupation: Retired Elementary Teacher

Education and Qualifications: I retired this June as an elementary classroom teacher having taught for more than 30 years. That current classroom experience is what motivates me to seek this office. It is the knowledge gained in that experience that impels me to work to ensure that student needs are foremost in every board decision.

Our school district is facing difficult budgetary decisions and we must re-frame school excellence. My strong student advocacy platform: local parent input into the identity of each school, classroom teacher expertise front and center, and fiscal transparency to better engage all community stakeholders.

Our community has high expectations for our schools. We all benefit from excellent teachers and strong community support. I will commit to transparent active engagement with parents, teachers, and staff in order to deepen our collective understanding of student needs. We are a better district and a richer community when all truly means all, and all students are challenged and supported to grow as learners and citizens.

25+ Years Elementary Classroom Experience, 6 Years Reading Intervention and English Learning Specialist, Multiple Subject/BCLAD Credentials, Principal and Teacher Interview Committees, Piloted District Curriculum, School Site Council Member

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 2
San Luis Coastal Unified School District**

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JIM QUESENBERRY

Age: 69

Occupation: Incumbent, Retired Teacher

Education and Qualifications: I am dedicated to the education of all of our children. Every child has a right to the best public education we can provide. I have pursued this dedication to public education for more than 40 years. I taught middle school and high school for 36 years in San Luis Obispo and the greater Los Angeles area. In addition to my teaching career, it has been my privilege to serve on the San Luis Coastal Unified School District for more than 7 years. As your representative to the school board, I have been honored to serve as board clerk and president. I have the depth of knowledge and experience, sound judgement, and the fervent desire to effectively serve our children and community. Thank you for your continuing support and interest in San Luis Coastal Unified School District.

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**DECLARACIÓN DE CANDIDATA PARA
MIEMBRO DE LA JUNTA GUBERNATIVA, ÁREA DE SÍNDICO 2
Distrito Escolar Unificado San Luis Coastal**

MARILYN RODGER

Ocupación: Titular

Educación y Competencia: Tengo el privilegio de haber prestado servicio como síndico del Distrito Escolar Unificado San Luis Coastal por los últimos 16 años. Durante el desempeño de mi cargo, el distrito ha sido testigo de períodos tanto de mayores como de menores ingresos. Mientras hacía frente a estos desafíos, mi compromiso con el logro estudiantil y el bienestar de los estudiantes ha permanecido como mi principal prioridad. Las escuelas del distrito han recibido el reconocimiento tanto estatal como nacional y el logro estudiantil ha seguido elevándose, año tras año, incluso entre nuestros grupos más vulnerables.

Se han concretado contratos de varios años con nuestros empleados representados durante mi período y he apoyado a las escuelas consideradas como la mejor elección, tales como la Escuela Primaria Pacheco, la Escuela Primaria Teach y la Escuela Secundaria Pacific Peach para padres que buscan opciones alternas. Como síndico, me he preocupado por que los recursos monetarios públicos que se destinan por medio del Bono a Establecimientos conforme a la Iniciativa de Ley D se inviertan de manera sensata y con responsabilidad. Cada dólar gastado apoyará a los establecimientos del siglo 21 para que sirvan a las actuales y futuras generaciones de estudiantes.

A medida que nos vamos aproximando un panorama económico diferente que trae consigo el cierre de Diablo Canyon, estoy preparada para tomar decisiones presupuestarias siempre bajo el lente de que estas impliquen el menor impacto en los estudiantes y en los salones. Me tomo con seriedad la confianza que depositan en mí y me comprometo a trabajar diligentemente y con sincero interés para apoyar las oportunidades educativas de todos los estudiantes.

**DECLARACIÓN DE CANDIDATA PARA
MIEMBRO DE LA JUNTA GUBERNATIVA, ÁREA DE SÍNDICO 2
Distrito Escolar Unificado San Luis Coastal**

EVELYN FRAME

Ocupación: Maestra de Primaria, Jubilada

Educación y Competencia: Me jubilé el pasado junio como maestra de grado de primaria; di clases durante más de 30 años. Esa experiencia actual en los salones es lo que me motiva a postularme para este puesto. El conocimiento que obtuve en esa experiencia es el que me impulsa a trabajar para garantizar que las necesidades de los estudiantes sean la prioridad en todas las decisiones de la junta. Nuestro distrito está enfrentando difíciles decisiones presupuestarias y debemos volver a replantear la excelencia escolar. Mi sólida plataforma de defensa de los estudiantes: aportes de los padres de familia locales para formar la identidad de cada escuela, conocimientos especializados como maestra de grado entregada en cuerpo y alma y transparencia fiscal para involucrar mejor a todas las partes de interés en la comunidad.

Nuestra comunidad tiene altas expectativas para nuestras escuelas. Todos nos beneficiamos de tener excelentes maestros y del sólido apoyo comunitario. Mi compromiso se enfocará hacia la participación activa y transparente con padres de familia, maestros y el personal, con el fin de profundizar nuestro conocimiento colectivo de las necesidades de los estudiantes. Somos un distrito mejor y una comunidad más enriquecida cuando el término "todos" verdaderamente engloba a "todos" y a todos los estudiantes se les lanza el desafío y se les da el apoyo para crecer como alumnos y como ciudadanos.

Más de 25 años de Experiencia en los Salones del Nivel Primario, seis años como Especialista en Intervención en Lectura y en Aprendizaje del Idioma Inglés, Diversas Credenciales en Asignaturas/BCLAD, Comités de Entrevistas para Directores y Maestros, Currículo Piloto del Distrito, Miembro del Concejo de Sedes Escolares

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TEMPLETON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER	
MATT VIERRA Fire Marshall	<input type="radio"/>
JAN NIMICK Appointed Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
BARBY LICHTI WUNSCH Nonprofit Development Director	<input type="radio"/>
KATRINA V. MERSON Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
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**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Templeton Unified School District**

MATTHEW J. VIERRA

Occupation: Fire Marshal

Education and Qualifications: As a life time resident and proud member of our community, I'm running for Templeton Unified school board because I believe in the value of public education. I want to work with teachers, parents and the community to ensure that Templeton students receive the world-class education they deserve. I will get input from teachers, staff, parents, principals, and the public to arrive at the best solution.

Excellent teachers are the key to an outstanding school system. Providing adequate pay and working conditions are important, but we must also ensure we have excellent leadership for our teachers and staff.

I also believe this district must prudently manage and administer our tax dollars allocated to education. I have years of experience developing and managing large budgets within the government and private sectors. I have gained a much broader understanding of the financial challenges that Templeton Unifies School District faces in the coming years and I am willing to help address them.

I will embrace this position with an open mind and objectivity perform all the duties that are required of a school board member. I am willing and eager to devote my time and energy that this community deserves.

I respectfully ask for your vote this November.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Templeton Unified School District**

JAN NIMICK

Age: 47

Occupation: Director, Electric Utility

Education and Qualifications: As a Trustee on the Board at Templeton Unified School District over the past two years, I have had the opportunity and privilege to work with a diverse and talented set of Trustees and Templeton's amazing staff to address a number of complex challenges. I look forward to applying the lessons I have learned in that time, in addition to my experiences as a parent, in industry, and in the US Navy to continue to serve our community. As a school district we are facing pressures as our economy changes, society continues to evolve, and technology advances. I believe as we continue to work through these changes it will take active listening, thoughtful consideration of all perspectives, creative problem solving, and sincere mutual respect to be successful. I am proud of how our community has modeled these ideals over the past several years.

You have my commitment I will continue to keep educational quality, student experience, and developing the whole person as the highest priorities as I discharge my responsibilities.

Please vote Jan Nimick for Templeton School Board on November 6.

Thank you.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Templeton Unified School District**

BARBY LICHTI WUNSCH

Age: 42

Occupation: Director of Development & Programs, GRID Alternatives

Education and Qualifications: I, Barby Lichti Wunsch, have resided in Templeton for 30 years and am a Templeton High School graduate. My experience working with the district is extensive: serving as VP of Grants for the Templeton Education Foundation for the past 2 years, serving on the Local Control Accountability Plan(LCAP) committee in 2017/2018, and working closely with Superintendent Koski, the San Luis Obispo County Office of Education, and the California Collaborative for Educational Excellence to pilot a Parent Engagement workshop series for TUSD in an effort to explore methods for engaging more parents in TUSD activities and finding meaningful ways to help parents be more involved in their child's education. My background as an educator for 10 years and Master's degree in Education further qualify me for this position. Currently, I am employed as Director of Development for nonprofit, GRID Alternatives, where I have implemented a solar training program for high school students complete with curriculum and hands-on training opportunities to boost solar job training skills and work with Career Technical Education programs. My passion for educational excellence, building local opportunities, and community involvement make me your choice candidate for serving as Governing Board Member of the Templeton Unified School District.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Templeton Unified School District**

KATRINA V. MERSON

Age: 55

Occupation: Incumbent, Insurance Agent

Education and Qualifications: Providing every possible opportunity in public education to equip any student achieve their goals, whatever their dream, is essential in making our world a better place for everyone. While working within the restraints of California's budget, if you explore every avenue and think outside the box, it can be accomplished. In the last four years as a TUSD board member, I have always done my homework to ensure I make informed decisions based on how we can best serve Templeton students and keep our district competitive while wisely managing your tax dollars. I feel it is vital to maintain integrity and transparency in the decision-making process, collaborating with all the stakeholders involved and remaining accessible to parents, teachers and students. It has been my privilege to serve as a trustee for the Templeton Unified School District. I ask for your vote in November so that I may continue to support the amazing students, staff and citizens of Templeton.

From my first year as PTA president in 1999, I have served and supported the following organizations: Templeton Education Foundation, Templeton Unified School District, Santa Lucia ROP School Board, Templeton High School Mock Trial, Templeton High School Drama, Templeton High School ASB and as a parent to my amazing daughters, THS graduates.

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SHANDON JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER, TRUSTEE AREA NO. 2	
NATALY RAMIREZ Lab Assistant	<input type="radio"/>
HOLLY MARIE FURNESS-OSORIO Appointed Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
ROBERT VAN PARLET Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
JENNIFER MOE Appointed Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
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SANTA MARIA-BONITA SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER <small>Vote for no more than Two</small>	
VEDAMARIE R. ALVAREZ-FLORES <small>Incumbent</small>	<input type="radio"/>
RICKY LARA <small>Incumbent</small>	<input type="radio"/>
ABRAHAM MELENDREZ <small>Nonprofit Community Organizer</small>	<input type="radio"/>
GARY MICHAELS <small>E-rate Consultant</small>	<input type="radio"/>
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Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
SANTA MARIA JOINT UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER <small>Vote for no more than Three</small>	
DOMINICK PALERA <small>Incumbent</small>	<input type="radio"/>
DIANA PEREZ <small>Incumbent</small>	<input type="radio"/>
CAROL A. KARAMITSOS <small>Incumbent</small>	<input type="radio"/>
DAVID E. BASKETT <small>Aviation Professional</small>	<input type="radio"/>
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CAYUCOS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER Vote for no more than Three	
CHRIS CASTILLO Businessman	<input type="radio"/>
PETER J. SCHULER Educator/Parent	<input type="radio"/>
STEVE GEIL Appointed Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
FREDERICK MICHAEL BEYERLEIN Chief Operating Officer	<input type="radio"/>
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Write-In	<input type="radio"/>

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Cayucos Elementary School District**

CHRIS CASTILLO

Age: 53

Occupation: Businessman

Education and Qualifications: Cayucos Elementary holds significant importance to me. I attended school in Cayucos from Kindergarten to 8th grade, then went on to Coast Union High School in Cambria. My father taught at Cayucos for 24 years while my mother taught in Cambria. I went on to attend Cal Poly where I received a B.S. in Biochemistry and an MBA. I had a great public-school education which opened a world of opportunities and made me who I am today.

My career has been a path of increasing responsibilities culminating in the management of several large companies with responsibility for profitability, budgeting, and management of hundreds of employees. I am known as a fair and open-minded individual who is open to opposing opinions and debate to reach the best solution.

I look forward to bringing my experience to provide oversight of the school's management, be accountable to the community, and continue the excellence of Cayucos Elementary for the benefit of the students.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Cayucos Elementary School District**

PETER J. SCHULER

Age: 47

Occupation: College Instructor / Coach / Sports Information Director

Education and Qualifications: Cayucos School holds a special place in our community and is charged with educating our next generation. I want to help Cayucos School students to cultivate a search for knowledge and intellectual curiosity, while fostering a passion for lifelong learning. As a Board Member I shall support and work with school administrators, faculty and parents, while promoting a complete educational experience for our students. I look forward to joining Cayucos School to help build on its already excellent reputation in achieving student success.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Cayucos Elementary School District**

STEPHEN D. GEIL

Age: 70

Occupation: Retired

Education and Qualifications: I am committed to assuring a quality education for Cayucos students that prepares them for a successful transition to high school, and ultimately, helps them achieve their dreams from the opportunities presented to them in life. In order to achieve this goal, we need the best teachers, administration, and staff who understand that their role is to serve, and be an example to, our students. I ask for your vote.

Business Qualifications & Experience

Co-Founder with Eileen Geil of Geil Enterprises, Inc. The umbrella corporation for five companies: CIS Security, Janitorial Inc, Valley Security & Alarm, Valley Sanitary Supply & A-MAZ cleaning products. President/CEO from 1986 – 2004; Former President/CEO of the Economic Development Corporation serving Fresno County. 2006 – 2012.

Community Service Involvement

Cayucos Elementary School District Board of Trustees from February 2014 to December 2016. Currently an Appointed Trustee; Rotary Club of Cayucos from 2013 to present, Past President; State of California Private Security Advisory Board; California State University – Fresno, Criminology Board of Advisors; Board of Advisors for the Institute for Family Business at CSU – Fresno.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER
Cayucos Elementary School District**

FREDERICK MICHAEL BEYERLEIN

Occupation: Chief Operating Officer

Education and Qualifications: Do you know how your tax dollars, earmarked for education, are spent? I don't know either. Are your dollars being wasted or carefully invested in the children of Cayucos? I don't know either, but if you elect me, I will instill a sense of taxpayer responsibility especially for those taxpayers that don't have children or don't live full-time in Cayucos. Every taxpayer benefits from a well-operated school district. Our Superintendent needs and relies on a unified and competent board in order to act confidently in the best interest of our children. I'm an experienced executive that has turned around bankrupt hospitals. As the Chief Operating Officer for Hall Management Corp, the largest farm labor contracting company in the state of California, I effectively deal with complex issues involving all regulatory agencies. I'm no stranger to education either, as an adjunct faculty member at Fresno City College, American River College, Sierra College, National University and several vocational schools. I know the gridlock that strangles a good idea before it can ever help the student body. Let my graduate degrees (MBA, MS) and experience bring accountability to you, the taxpayer, stuck with the tab whether you like it or not.

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PLEASANT VALLEY JOINT UNION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER	
Two Year Term	
Vote for One	
DORA DENNING Parent	<input type="radio"/>
REBECCA NEW Appointed Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>

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CITY	
CITY OF ARROYO GRANDE MAYOR	Vote for One
CAREN RAY Educator/City Councilmember	<input type="radio"/>
JIM HILL Engineer/Mayor	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
CITY OF ARROYO GRANDE COUNCILMEMBER Vote for no more than Two	
TERRY FOWLER-PAYNE Retired Project Coordinator	<input type="radio"/>
JIMMY PAULDING Project Manager	<input type="radio"/>
COLEEN KUBEL Contractor/ARC Commissioner	<input type="radio"/>
JOHN MACK Architect/Planning Commissioner	<input type="radio"/>
KEITH STORTON Retired Police Captain	<input type="radio"/>
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Write-In	<input type="radio"/>

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MAYOR
City of Arroyo Grande**

CAREN RAY

Age: 50

Occupation: Mayor Pro Tem, City Council Member, Teacher

Education and Qualifications: I am proud to have served Arroyo Grande since 2005. I have a long proven record of reliable, civil, common sense leadership.

I have delivered for you balanced budgets, a substantial reduction in unfunded liabilities, right-sized police and fire services, and programs that are self-sustainable without taxpayer subsidies. I support our businesses, and the community effort to save Camp Arroyo Grande. I have fought for properly funding our roads, and to find additional money for sidewalks. I have supported efforts to seek grant funding for large scale improvements like the Brisco Interchange, a new ladder truck for our fire department, and 100% grant funding for the Bridge Street Bridge.

I will continue to push for sustainable water practices citywide to ensure our water supply is protected for the future. I will ensure our Fire Department is fully funded but not paying more than our fair share as we are now.

I am known countywide as a civil, consensus building representative. Local government is "where the rubber meets the road", and here in Arroyo Grande I continue to set an example of what small, effective, community-based leadership should look like. I would be honored to again have your vote.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MAYOR
City of Arroyo Grande**

JIM HILL

Age: 65

Occupation: Engineer / Mayor

Education and Qualifications: I'm privileged to serve you as mayor and proud of our accomplishments. Acknowledged for listening and respectful of all voices in our community, I continue to solicit and appreciate your input at 805-481-5654. Mindful of budget challenges causing staff reductions, I've always refused city health insurance and believe this costly insurance should be eliminated for council members. I've facilitated accounting of unfunded PERS liabilities and voted to make significant payments that will reduce retirement costs to residents.

Growth and resultant water and traffic problems challenge the balance preserving our unique lifestyle. We need additional sales and hotel tax revenues to maintain our outstanding police, fire and other services. Outside the Village, recruiting new businesses and supporting developments that preserve water resources while making ongoing contributions to our quality of life remain priorities.

Five Cities Fire Authority has delivered on quality services, but costs have become unsustainable. I support complete restructuring, including potential dissolution, to maintain emergency services affordability.

As your Sanitation District representative, I instigated the audit that led to criminal prosecution of past management, successfully ended the costly litigation against our Water Board, and advocate recovering funds expended due to past mafeasance. I'm again honored to receive your vote.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Arroyo Grande**

TERRY FOWLER-PAYNE

Occupation: Retired Project Coordinator / Planning Commissioner

Education and Qualifications: As a retired project coordinator in the construction development industry I would be honored to serve my community as a city council member. I have proudly served as a Planning Commissioner since 2015. My priorities for Arroyo Grande's future are for responsible development with consideration and respect to its history.

I am watchful of our limited tax dollars.

I was raised in the south county and raised my own family in Arroyo Grande. I have been continuously active in youth activities and the child evangelism fellowship program, Good News Club.

I have a vested interest in the city's future. I long to preserve Arroyo Grande's "Hometown" atmosphere and feeling for the local residents visually and financially.

As the daughter of a local developer and realtor and granddaughter of a well-known masonry contractor, I too have worked in the field of development. With over 29 years as a project manager for land certification research, planning, engineering and survey. I know that growth and development can be done with consideration of our historic values and consistent with our current ordinance and regulations.

I pray I will be able to help preserve our City's future and would sincerely appreciate your vote.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Arroyo Grande**

JIMMY PAULDING

Age: 32

Occupation: City and Regional Planner/Project Manager

Education and Qualifications: For generations, my family has been dedicated to serving South County. Growing up in Arroyo Grande under a police officer and teacher's roof, I learned the value of hard work and the importance of public service.

After graduating from Cal Poly with a degree in City and Regional Planning, I spent over 10 years working in the planning and construction industry. Along the way, I earned a law degree and passed the California Bar Exam.

As a business consultant, I've managed the planning, design, and construction of public roads, airports, jails, and water treatment plants. My experience working for local governments, including the City of Arroyo Grande and the County of San Luis Obispo, has taught me how to make government work smarter for the community's benefit.

I am committed to bringing the leadership that the City of Arroyo Grande needs to enhance public safety, protect our natural environment and historic resources, support our local businesses, and address our transportation, housing, and workforce challenges.

My pledge is simple—I will represent all voters in Arroyo Grande, not special interests or large developers. I would be honored to serve as your Councilmember. I ask for your vote. Please contact me at (805) 994-0025 or visit www.jimmypaulding.org for more information.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Arroyo Grande**

COLEEN KUBEL

Occupation: Contractor/ARC Commissioner

Education and Qualifications: Raised in the south county, with a strong sense of community, my life's rich experience has given me a well-rounded approach to problem solving. I want to represent you, the citizens of Arroyo Grande and give you a voice in city government.

Having attended both city council and South San Luis Obispo County Sanitation District meetings on a regular basis for the last several years, I understand the serious issues facing our city with regard to budget cuts and rising costs, including fire protection, traffic congestion, water conservation, business recruitment and responsible development including the need to simplify and expedite review processes. I will not accept city insurance at your expense.

I've raised my family here and served the community as a volunteer for my church, 5 Cities Youth Football, and the city, currently serving on the Architectural Review Committee.

I've worked in both the public and private sectors, for the Arroyo Grande, Cal Poly and Santa Maria Police Departments and SLO County Sheriff's Department, as a dispatcher and crime analyst. I worked in the transportation division of Lucia Mar School District and as the daily operations supervisor for South County Area Transit. I'm also a licensed general contractor.

I look forward to serving as your council member and can be reached at 805-440-2775. I would appreciate your vote.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Arroyo Grande**

JOHN MACK

Occupation: Architect/Planning Commissioner

Education and Qualifications: I am a long time resident, Cal Poly graduate, have raised seven children, supporting local sports, arts, and music programs. I support ROP at AGHS and mentor students as well as volunteering services to community projects and schools.

I am for providing our emergency responders with the tools and staffing needed to keep our community safe.

As a Contractor, I have overseen multi-million dollar projects and know how to be fiscally responsible. Current Council has not balanced the budget, laid off several employees and currently closed Fridays.

I am for City policies that protect our current residents and business owners. I am against development that's insensitive and burdens our citizens with increased taxes and fees. I will be fighting to ensure that future developments are a right fit for our community by requiring developers to pay for their project impacts. With over 30 years of experience, my tool set allows me to serve the community in balancing budgets and minimizing waste on special studies and frivolous reports. I will work to develop policies that will allow AG to flourish while maintaining our rural character.

John Mack solves problems, provides creative solutions and brings forth fresh ideas. Email: Mack4AGCC@yahoo.com

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Arroyo Grande**

KEITH STORTON**AGE: 53****Occupation:** Retired Police Captain

Education and Qualifications: Our unique heritage and culture must be preserved. I believe in fiscal responsibility, prudent growth in both residential and business development, creating jobs, affordable housing and supporting our public employees with reasonable resources to meet the needs of our community. Our success will be accomplished through civility, teamwork and trust.

Volunteerism builds strong communities. I have a history serving organizations in support of our children, schools and city. I was an adult leader in Scouting. I am an Eagle Scout, as are my sons. I'm a former member of the Arroyo Grande Parks and Recreation Commission and currently serve on the Architectural Review Committee. I co-chaired bond Measure A, supporting significant improvements at Arroyo Grande High School. I'm on the Measure I LMUSD Citizen Oversight Committee.

I was raised in Arroyo Grande and graduated from AGHS. I earned a Criminology degree from Fresno State and worked for the Fresno Police Department. I married and returned to live in Arroyo Grande where my wife and I raised two sons. I worked for the San Luis Obispo Police Department for 24 years and promoted through the ranks, retiring as a Captain. My local connectivity and professional experience will serve our city well.

I'm approachable and eager to serve. 805-471-6599. Community Counts!

**DECLARACIÓN DE CANDIDATO PARA
MIEMBRO DEL CONCEJO MUNICIPAL
Ciudad de Arroyo Grande**

JIMMY PAULDING**Edad: 32****Ocupación:** Planificador Urbano y Regional/Gerente de Proyectos

Educación y Competencia: Por generaciones, mi familia se ha dedicado a servir la parte Sur del Condado. Al crecer en Arroyo Grande con un agente de policía y una maestra, aprendí sobre el valor del trabajo duro y la importancia del servicio público.

Después de graduarme de Cal Poly con un título en Planificación Urbana y Regional, trabajé por más de 10 años en la industria de la planificación y la construcción. A lo largo del camino, obtuve un título en derecho y aprobé el Examen del Colegio de Abogados de California.

Como asesor comercial, estuve a cargo de la planificación, el diseño y la construcción de caminos, aeropuertos, cárceles y plantas de tratamiento de aguas. Mi experiencia al trabajar para gobiernos locales, incluyendo la Ciudad de Arroyo Grande y el Condado de San Luis Obispo, me enseñó cómo hacer que un gobierno sea más inteligente para beneficio de la comunidad.

Me comprometo a aportar el liderazgo que necesita la Ciudad de Arroyo Grande para mejorar la seguridad pública, proteger nuestro ambiente natural y nuestros recursos históricos, apoyar a nuestros negocios locales y abordar nuestros desafíos en cuanto a transporte, vivienda y fuerza laboral.

Mi compromiso es simple: representaré a todos los votantes de Arroyo Grande, no a los intereses especiales ni a los grandes urbanizadores. Sería un honor servir como Concejal Municipal. Le pido su voto. Comuníquese conmigo al (805) 994-0025 o visite www.jimmypauldning.org para obtener más información.

Sample Ballot

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CITY	
CITY OF ATASCADERO MAYOR	Vote for One
HEATHER MORENO Councilmember/CPA/Businesswoman	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
CITY OF ATASCADERO COUNCILMEMBER	Vote for no more than Two
SUSAN FUNK Businesswoman/Management Consultant	<input type="radio"/>
MARK DARIZ Planning Commissioner/Architect	<input type="radio"/>
HEATHER NEWSOM Parks Commissioner/Businesswoman	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
CITY OF ATASCADERO CITY TREASURER	Vote for One
GERE W. SIBBACH Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MAYOR
City of Atascadero**

HEATHER MORENO

Age: 50

Occupation: Councilmember, CPA, Business Owner

Education and Qualifications: I received my Bachelor's degree in Accounting from CSU, Fullerton and subsequently earned my CPA license. I've served on the Atascadero City Council since 2012. I also own a small business. On Council I've served as Chair of the Finance Committee, Director on the California Joint Powers Insurance Authority board, as Council liaison to the Economic Vitality Corporation and on the Design Review Committee. With your support I will continue to advocate for a strong local economy, fiscal responsibility and protecting local control:

Since 2012 we've seen greater investment in Atascadero, more businesses locate here and a new co-working space open downtown. I will build on this growth to bring greater balance to our local economy. The City's money is your money and as a CPA I will uphold the wise use of taxpayer dollars.

We've streamlined City regulations to make it easier for residents and business owners to get things done and I'll continue to assess regulations to ensure they make sense. I'll work to maintain local control and foster environmental stewardship, which are critical to preserving the uniqueness of Atascadero.

It's a privilege serving our City. I'd be honored to have your vote. Serving community. Prospering together. www.heatherforatascadero.com

**DECLARACIÓN DE CANDIDATA PARA
ALCALDESA
Ciudad de Atascadero**

HEATHER MORENO

Edad: 50

Ocupación: Concejal Municipal, CPA, Propietaria de Negocio

Educación y Competencia: Obtuve la licenciatura en Contabilidad en CSU, Fullerton y, posteriormente, mi licencia para ejercer como Contadora Pública y Auditora (CPA). Me he desempeñado en el Concejo Municipal de Atascadero desde 2012. También soy propietaria de un negocio en pequeña escala. En el Concejo, ocupé el puesto de Presidente del Comité de Finanzas, Directora de la Junta de Autoridad de Seguros de los Poderes Conjuntos de California, como coordinadora del Concejo para la Corporación de Vitalidad Económica y en el Comité de Revisión de Diseño. Con su apoyo, continuaré abogando por una sólida economía local, por la responsabilidad fiscal y por la protección del control local:

Desde 2012, hemos sido testigos de una mayor inversión en Atascadero; más negocios se ubican aquí y hay un nuevo espacio abierto para trabajo conjunto en el centro de la ciudad. Aprovecharé este crecimiento para aportar mayor equilibrio a nuestra economía local. El dinero de la Ciudad es su dinero y, como Contadora Pública y Auditora, ratifico el uso sensato de los recursos monetarios que aportan los contribuyentes.

Hemos simplificado las normas de la Ciudad para hacerlas más fáciles para los residentes y propietarios de negocios con el fin de obtener resultados y seguiré evaluando las normas para garantizar que tengan sentido. Trabajaré por mantener el control local y fomentar la vigilancia medioambiental, aspectos que son vitales para preservar la singularidad que caracteriza a Atascadero.

Es un privilegio servir a nuestra Ciudad. Me sentiría honrada de contar con su voto. Al servicio de la comunidad. Prosperamos juntos. www.heatherforatascadero.com

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Atascadero**

SUSAN FUNK**Age: 60****Occupation:** Small Business Owner, Management Consulting

Education and Qualifications: Understanding citizen hopes and concerns is essential to good city government. To prepare for office, I've attended City Council meetings regularly for a year. When I decided to run, I created a citizen survey to gather more public input. Those responses shaped my goals: I want to build a vibrant downtown that's the center of Atascadero's economy and community life, while keeping the small town feel we cherish. And I want everyone to have a voice in creating our city's future.

I'm ready to serve. For 25 years, I've owned a small business doing management consulting, helping healthcare clients to lower costs while improving quality. It's the kind of win-win problem solving Atascadero needs.

At the same time, I'm a committed community volunteer. Whether I'm fundraising to benefit AHS drama students or serving meals at ECHO, I believe in working together to create a healthier community.

Our city government needs a fresh perspective. If elected, I'll work hard for you. I'll bring my MBA degree and business experience, openness to others, and my dedication to city leadership. I'll work to build a stronger city where everyone is represented, and everyone can succeed. For more information, please visit www.FunkForCityCouncil.com.

Thank you.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Atascadero**

MARK DARIZ**Age: 51****Occupation:** Architect, Planning Commissioner

Education and Qualifications: I earned my Bachelor of Architecture degree from Cal Poly, SLO in 1996 and have been employed in this field since. I was appointed to the Atascadero Planning Commission in 2011 and elected Chairperson in 2015. I've also served on the City's Design Review Committee and the County's Regional Transportation Advisory Committee.

As an architect, and wheelchair user for more than 30 years, I brought valuable perspective to the Planning Commission; I've worked to improve the quality of life for all Atascadero residents.

I'm a member of Atascadero's Kiwanis Club, where I've served as President and currently serve as Treasurer. I've seen first-hand the value of volunteer work helping children, the homeless and elderly. I will continue to support the vibrant volunteer spirit in our community.

As a Councilmember I will: Model open and transparent public communication and work cohesively and respectfully with my Council colleagues. We will work with other community leaders to bring jobs and business to Atascadero to further enhance our economy and maintain our infrastructure. I'll use my experience as an architect to help guide development in a direction to strengthen the well-being and economy of our City.

I would be honored to have your vote.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Atascadero**

HEATHER NEWSOM

Age: 41

Occupation: Parks Commissioner/Businesswoman

Education and Qualifications: I am running for City Council to make a difference in our community and help shape the future of Atascadero for generations to come.

As a working mom, living in a family-oriented community is important to me; I want to maintain that character. I moved to Atascadero in 2015 and immediately fell in love with this city. I've been involved in the community ever since serving as an Atascadero Parks and Recreation Commissioner, Treasurer of the Atascadero Greyhound Foundation, Secretary of the Atascadero Kiwanis Club, and volunteer coach at Atascadero High School.

As an accounting business owner, I have helped other businesses for 16 years; I understand the challenges businesses face. I will collaborate with businesses in our community to integrate their values and experience into our everyday procedures and implement policies that support opportunities for their success with the ultimate goal of enhancing our entire community's well-being. We must support our emergency services, our parks and recreational resources and all of the basic services that make life safe and enjoyable for our community.

I would be honored to have your vote in November.

**DECLARACIÓN DE CANDIDATA PARA
MIEMBRO DEL CONCEJO MUNICIPAL
Ciudad de Atascadero**

SUSAN FUNK

Edad: 60

Ocupación: Propietaria de Negocio Pequeño, Consultoría en Gestión

Educación y Competencia: Comprender las esperanzas y las inquietudes de los ciudadanos es esencial para un buen gobierno municipal. Con el fin de prepararme para el cargo, he asistido periódicamente a reuniones del Concejo Municipal durante un año. Cuando decidí postularme, creé una encuesta ciudadana para recabar más opiniones del público. Esas respuestas dieron forma a mis objetivos: deseo crear un centro de la ciudad dinámico que sea el centro de la economía y de la vida comunitaria de Atascadero, al mismo tiempo que conserve ese aire de pueblo que tanto apreciamos. Y deseo que todos expresen su opinión para forjar el futuro de nuestra ciudad.

Estoy lista para servir. Durante 25 años, he sido propietaria de un negocio pequeño al encargarme de consultorías en gestión, ayudar a clientes de atención médica a reducir sus costos al mismo tiempo que mejoramos la calidad. Lo que necesita Atascadero es un enfoque para la resolución de los problemas donde todos ganemos.

Al mismo tiempo, estoy comprometida con el trabajo de voluntariado en la comunidad. Sea que me toque recaudar fondos en beneficio de los estudiantes de arte dramático en AHS o servir comidas en ECHO, creo en el trabajo en equipo para crear una comunidad más saludable.

Nuestro gobierno municipal necesita una perspectiva actualizada. Si soy electa, trabajaré arduamente por usted. Aportaré mi experiencia en los negocios y la que me confiere mi título de MBA, además de un enfoque de apertura a los demás y mi dedicación hacia el liderazgo municipal. Trabajaré por crear una ciudad más sólida en donde todos tengan representación y cada uno pueda alcanzar el éxito. Para obtener más información, visite www.FunkForCityCouncil.com.

Gracias.

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Sample Ballot

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CITY	
CITY OF GROVER BEACH MAYOR	Vote for One
JEFF LEE Council Member/Engineer	<input type="radio"/>
ELIZABETH "LIZ" DOUKAS Court Reporter	<input type="radio"/>
DEBBIE D. PETERSON Business Woman/Councilmember	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
CITY OF GROVER BEACH COUNCILMEMBER	Vote for no more than Two
ROBERT ROBERT Electrical Contractor	<input type="radio"/>
BARBARA NICOLLS Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
MARIAM SHAH Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MAYOR
City of Grover Beach**

JEFF LEE

Age: 51

Occupation: Council Member / Engineer

Education and Qualifications: I am running for Mayor of Grover Beach and would be honored to have your vote. I have been on the City Council since 2012. I am working to fix our streets and building a better future. I bring a solid foundation of leadership, experience and trust to the position of Mayor and will complete the train station expansion, the beachfront hotel and other hotel and business projects. We will finish what we started.

My Grover Beach Vision: A balanced local economy that includes: Equipped, qualified Firefighters and a strong Police force for a safe, vibrant beach city; Affordable housing for families, well-maintained parks, activities for people of all ages and engaged, involved community members; Well-maintained infrastructure and investment in our water supply through pipe replacement, groundwater protection, conservation and a regional recycled water project.

Listening skills, professionalism, persistence, and compassion are necessary to advocate for our Grover Beach community. I have these skills and as Mayor will advance the conversation in an effort to build consensus in the City and region.

Please visit <https://JeffLeeforGBmayor2018.com> for more information. I look forward to serving as your next Mayor and ask for your vote on November 6, 2018. Thank you!

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MAYOR
City of Grover Beach**

ELIZABETH "LIZ" DOUKAS

Age: 59

Occupation: Court Reporter

Education and Qualifications: As a resident and involved/concerned citizen of Grover Beach for almost 20 years, I am committed to the health, prosperity and future of the City of Grover Beach. I care about our community, I care about all citizens and their accessibility to City Hall. I care about justice and fairness to all who are involved with our beautiful city by the sea. Having attended many city council meetings and having witnessed and experienced the current and failing system of our local government over these many years, I will endeavor to ensure accountability, transparency, and openness for our fiscal health now and into the future so that our city can prosper and thrive. I will strictly adhere to the newly passed Declaration of Human Rights affirming the city's support of fundamental and equal human rights regardless of race, gender, nationality, religion, or sexual orientation. My highest priority is to create a system whereby all citizens can participate in the business of this city and be heard. Every citizen's voice and participation is our most critical, essential and valued asset.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MAYOR
City of Grover Beach**

DEBBIE PETERSON

Occupation: Councilmember Grover Beach

Education and Qualifications: I was honored to serve as your first directly-elected female mayor from 2012 to 2014 and now serve as a city councilmember.

I was the mayor who brought you the bond that you approved to fix our streets. I am committed to being sure that you are heard, you are represented, and your taxes bring the improvements you want to see in our city.

I have a 13-year track record of serving city, county and statewide as your representative, first as a planning commissioner, then as a councilmember, and mayor. I stand firm for open government, transparency and accountability with local government agencies and boards.

My experience as a business owner has equipped me to bring millions of dollars of reforms to our sanitation district and more transparent representation on several agency boards.

As your mayor I will fight for your community vision and resources to protect our small-town quality of life. I stand for straightforward approachable government. I reach out across wide political chasms. I speak up to represent you.

Please vote: Debbie Peterson for Mayor of Grover Beach.

I'd love to hear from you. My cell: (805) 550-4490.

www.MayorDebbiePeterson.com

**DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO PARA
ALCALDE
Ciudad de Grover Beach**

JEFF LEE**Edad: 51**

Ocupación: Miembro del Concejo / Ingeniero

Educación y Competencia: Me estoy postulando como Alcalde de Grover Beach y sería un honor para mí contar con su voto. He formado parte del Concejo Municipal desde el 2012. Estoy trabajando para reparar nuestras calles y construir un futuro mejor. Ofrezco una base sólida de liderazgo, experiencia y confianza para la posición de Alcalde y completaré la ampliación de la estación de trenes, el hotel con vista a la playa y otros proyectos hoteleros y comerciales. Terminaremos lo que comenzamos.

Mi visión de Grover Beach: Una economía local equilibrada que incluye: Bomberos equipados y calificados, y un sólido cuerpo de Policías para tener una ciudad costera segura y vibrante; Viviendas asequibles para familias, parques bien mantenidos, actividades para personas de todas las edades y miembros de la comunidad comprometidos e involucrados; Infraestructura bien mantenida e inversiones en nuestro suministro de agua a través del reemplazo de cañerías, la protección y conservación de las aguas subterráneas, y un proyecto regional de reciclado de agua.

El hecho de saber escuchar, el profesionalismo, la persistencia y la compasión son habilidades necesarias para promover nuestra comunidad de Grover Beach. Poseo estas habilidades y como Alcalde fomentaré la conversación en un intento de construir consenso en la Ciudad y en la región. Visite <https://JeffLeeforGBmayor2018.com> para obtener más información. Espero ser su próximo Alcalde y le pido su voto para el 6 de noviembre de 2018. ¡Gracias!

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Grover Beach**

ROBERT ROBERT

Age: 59

Occupation: Electrical Contractor

Education and Qualifications: Hello my name is Robert Robert. I have lived in Grover Beach for 13 years. I am an Electrical Contractor. I believe that I am qualified to be a candidate for the Grover Beach City Council as I have the time to devote to this service to my community. I will always be accessible to you, the residents of Grover Beach, with an open-door policy any time day or night. Most of you know me by my community service endeavors and my love for this community and the environment. My vision for Grover Beach is a strong community, a strong business community, and a place that entices people to move here to raise their children and to enjoy our beautiful surrounding. I will need help and I will ask for your help. Let my vision be your vision. Let's do this new City Council together.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Grover Beach**

BARBARA NICOLLS

Age: 80

Occupation: Retired

Education and Qualifications: Since retiring to Grover Beach 18 years ago, our family has been actively engaged in our community as volunteers at Parks and Recreation events, local community service organizations, supporting local candidate's campaigns and City ballot measures, and at Grover Beach Community Library as librarian and Board member.

In December, 2014, I was gratified to be elected to our City Council, following my husband's 8 years of service. In my 4 years as a Council Member I have been privileged to serve as City Representative to South County Transit Board, Community Action Partners SLO Board, SLO Water Resources Advisory Committee, Economic Vitality Corp. Board, Five Cities Fire Authority Board, GB/AG Chamber of Commerce Government Committee, and South SLO County Sanitation District Board.

I have learned a great deal about local government and enjoy the challenge of getting economic development and infrastructure projects funded, approved and completed for the benefit of our residents.

I'm seeking re-election because I'm dedicated to continuing the positive direction of our City. Our biggest challenge is in creating more affordable housing at every level of income, and I have been networking with a variety of organizations in this regard.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Grover Beach**

MARIAM SHAH

Age: 41

Occupation: Incumbent

Education and Qualifications: My name is Mariam Shah, and I respectfully request your vote for Grover Beach City Council. I've served on the Grover Beach City Council for four years, and I enjoy the job immensely. I get to work with residents, find creative solutions and help shape our city's future. My record speaks for itself. My attendance is impeccable. I am prepared for meetings, and I ask tough questions. I make every attempt to respond to all calls and emails from residents. I listen to residents and my peers to find consensus. I avoid disrespectful, divisive politics. I also represent Grover Beach on multiple countywide committees. I am the Vice-Chair of the San Luis Obispo Air Pollution Control District, an appointment I received with bi-partisan support. I am the Vice-Chair of the Homeless Services Oversight Committee, our county's advisory body on homelessness. I am married to Dr. Asad Shah and am mom to Bibi (nine) and Bobby (six). I am the President of the Grover Heights Elementary PTA and a board member of the Grover Beach Community Library. I have a law degree from Georgetown University Law Center and am licensed to practice law in New York and Ohio.

Sample Ballot

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CITY	
CITY OF MORRO BAY MAYOR	Vote for One
JOHN HEADING Councilmember/Business Owner	<input type="radio"/>
JOHN WEISS Electronics Business Owner	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
CITY OF MORRO BAY COUNCILMEMBER	
	Vote for no more than Two
DAWN ADDIS Public Educator/Teacher	<input type="radio"/>
JEFF HELLER Retired Construction Manager	<input type="radio"/>
BETTY WINHOLTZ Self-Employed Educator	<input type="radio"/>
JAN GOLDMAN Visitor Center Staff	<input type="radio"/>
JESSE BARRON Plans Examiner	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MAYOR
City of Morro Bay**

JOHN HEADDING

Age: 65

Occupation: Councilmember / Pharmacist / Business Owner

Education and Qualifications: Morro Bay is a city in transition. We must continue to preserve the unique small Harbor town nature of Morro Bay, while concurrently embracing change to improve our economy. As a member of City Council I have worked hard to improve the quality of life for our residents.

I will continue to advocate for cost effective completion of our water reclamation facility, sound fiscal policies, diversification of our economy, transparency in government, preservation of our natural beauty, protection of our bay and Harbor, and expansion of our tourism and fishing industries.

We must eliminate wasteful spending, deal with looming pension liabilities, and continue to implement our economic plan. We are at a crossroad. We must challenge the status quo, focusing on future sustaining strategies, including strengthening of local businesses, implementation of our strategic plan, and continuing to pursue a results oriented community vision.

My education includes a Doctor of Pharmacy and Masters in Healthcare Administration. My career history includes being a CEO/COO of hospitals, involvement in many county-wide boards, current Councilmember and local business owner for eight years. I will bring strong leadership skills, transparency, integrity, collaboration and big business experience in leading our city.

I would appreciate your vote for Mayor, November 6, 2018.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MAYOR
City of Morro Bay**

JOHN WEISS

Age: 59

Occupation: Professional Communications-Electronics Small Business Owner

Education and Qualifications: As a 20+ year resident and 30+ year small business owner of Morro Bay, I am running to serve all of the people of Morro Bay. I am open-minded to views I have not considered or may not agree with. I promise to work to find respectful win-win solutions for the citizens of our community.

Mayoral Positions:

To be respectful of all citizen view points and consider their input before making decisions. Our Public Safety first responders are essential to our residents. If funding can be secured, I would like to re-open our 2nd Fire Station in North Morro Bay to shorten the response time for medical emergencies and structure fires.

I will take a thoughtful look at the plans and the costs of Morro Bay's Sewer and Reclamation Project, vetting the existing plan and looking at affordable options either with the existing plan or alternate plans.

To support our Maritime Museum, Natural History Museum, Harbor Assets, and Morro Bay's Historical Society. To support our children's learning and recreational opportunities, our Fishing Industry, and our Seniors' well being and quality of life.

**DECLARACIÓN DE CANDIDATO PARA
ALCALDE
Ciudad de Morro Bay**

JOHN HEADING**Edad: 65****Ocupación:** Concejal Municipal/Farmacéutico/Propietario de Negocio

Educación y Competencia: Morro Bay es una ciudad en transición. Debemos seguir conservando la singular naturaleza de pequeño pueblo portuario de Morro Bay, mientras que al mismo tiempo acogemos el cambio para mejorar nuestra economía. Como miembro del Concejo Municipal, he trabajado arduamente para mejorar la calidad de vida de nuestros residentes.

Seguiré abogando por la finalización rentable de nuestra planta de reciclaje de agua; por políticas fiscales sanas, por la diversificación de nuestra economía, por la transparencia en el gobierno, por la preservación de nuestra belleza natural, por la protección de nuestra bahía y nuestro Puerto, así como por la expansión de nuestras industrias turística y pesquera.

Debemos eliminar el gasto desmedido, encargarnos de las inminentes responsabilidades relacionadas con pensiones y seguir con la implementación de nuestro plan económico. Estamos en una encrucijada. Debemos desafiar el estado habitual de las cosas, enfocarnos en futuras estrategias sostenibles, incluyendo el fortalecimiento de los negocios locales, la implementación de nuestro plan estratégico, y seguir en la búsqueda de una visión comunitaria orientada a resultados.

Mi educación incluye un Doctorado en Farmacia y una Maestría en Administración del Cuidado de la Salud. Mi historial profesional incluye haberme desempeñado como Director General/Director de Operaciones de hospitales, la participación en muchas juntas a nivel de todo el condado, actual Concejal y propietario de negocio en pequeña escala local durante ocho años. Aportaré sólidas habilidades de liderazgo, transparencia, integridad, colaboración y gran experiencia empresarial en la dirección de nuestra ciudad.

Apreciaría su voto para Alcalde el 6 de noviembre de 2018.

**DECLARACIÓN DE CANDIDATO PARA
ALCALDE
Ciudad de Morro Bay**

JOHN WEISS**Edad: 59****Ocupación:** Comunicaciones Profesionales-Propietario de Negocio Pequeño de Electrónicos

Educación y Competencia: Como residente por más de 20 años y propietario de negocio pequeño durante más de 30 años en Morro Bay, me estoy postulando para servir a todas las personas de Morro Bay. Tengo una mentalidad abierta hacia los puntos de vista que no he considerado o con los que posiblemente no esté de acuerdo. Prometo trabajar para encontrar soluciones respetuosas para los ciudadanos de nuestra comunidad en donde todos ganemos.

Posturas propias del cargo de Alcalde:

Ser respetuoso con los puntos de vista de todos los ciudadanos y tener en cuenta sus opiniones antes de tomar decisiones. Nuestros cuerpos de socorro como parte de la Seguridad Pública son esenciales para nuestros residentes. Si se puede conseguir financiamiento, me gustaría reabrir nuestra 2^a Estación de Bomberos en la parte norte de Morro Bay con el fin de acortar el tiempo de respuesta para la atención de emergencias médicas e incendios estructurales.

Analizaré con especial atención, los planes y los costos del Proyecto de Reciclaje y Drenajes de Morro Bay, revisando el plan existente y buscando opciones asequibles, ya sea con el plan existente o con planes alternos.

Apoyaré a nuestro Museo Marítimo, nuestro Museo de Historia Natural, nuestros Recursos Portuarios y a la Sociedad Histórica de Morro Bay. Apoyaré el aprendizaje de nuestros niños y sus oportunidades recreativas, nuestra Industria Pesquera, y el bienestar y la calidad de vida de nuestros Adultos Mayores.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Morro Bay**

DAWN ADDIS

Occupation: Teacher on Special Assignment

Education and Qualifications: My passion for the well being of Morro Bay's residents inspires me to run for City Council. I envision a Morro Bay where we protect and promote our coast, build future-ready infrastructure, strengthen our local economy, and have an inclusive community.

Having lived in Morro Bay with my husband and two sons for seventeen years, I appreciate our town's character and believe in our potential.

I have the vision and the will to work for our community's best future. On the Morro Bay Citizens Finance Advisory Committee and Public Friendly Budget Subcommittee, I advocate for a balanced, transparent budget. In our local school district, I develop and manage programs focused on our most at-risk children and families. As a founding organizer of Women's March San Luis Obispo, I engage central coast residents to create constructive change.

Morro Bay needs council members who will take forward-looking action and build bridges for success. I am committed to representing in this way. To this end, I am a member of the Morro Bay Open Space Alliance, Police and Community Together, and the Common Ground Task Force. I am also Spanish-English bilingual.

My record in our schools, communities, and government shows a commitment to our best future. I would be honored by your vote November 6, 2018.

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**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Morro Bay**

JEFF HELLER

Occupation: Construction Program Manager

Education and Qualifications: I am pursuing a council seat because my work experience and educational background will benefit the City of Morro Bay as it moves forward with its expensive sewer project. Additionally, the \$1.5M projected annual general fund deficit as well as rising CalPers commitments create challenging financial issues that threaten the existence of our City. Relaxing building restrictions with the hope that the City can "grow" itself out of red ink is not a reasonable solution. We must tighten our belts and be realistic about what services we can sustain over the long term.

My work experience includes managing several large publicly funded design/construction programs over the past 30+ years, the most recent of which was the \$239M design-build Student Housing Project at Cal Poly State University. The program included nearly 2,700 beds distributed throughout 9 buildings, as well as two 4 story parking structures, 5 retail spaces, and complete underground utilities and streets.

My educational background includes a general contractor's license, an undergraduate degree in Zoology from Pomona College, an MBA from Colorado State University, a Certificate in Building and Construction Management from UCLA.

I ask for your vote on 11/6/18.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Morro Bay**

BETTY WINHOLTZ

Age: 66

Occupation: Self-Employed Educator

Education and Qualifications: After 32 years as a resident of Morro Bay I am still in love with this community! I am running for elected office to preserve Morro Bay's exceptional quality of life. As a candidate with previous council experience, from 2002-2010, I offer demonstrated financial responsibility. On financial issues I consistently voted to remain within budgetary limits. Our City weathered the 2007 Recession and we passed balanced budget onto the next council. I will vote to end the excessive spending. I offer historical and significant knowledge of the proposed sewer plant as the upgrade and relocation process of the plant began during my tenure on the council. I have come full circle to recognize that if the sewer plant must be relocated it must be done in the least expensive fashion. I value our unique neighborhoods that make us a great small town. Regarding short term rentals: I will vote to make them a constructive part of the economy without being an intrusive burden to our neighborhoods. As a successful self-employed person, I know how to live within my means and believe the City of Morro Bay should learn to do the same with taxpayer dollars.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Morro Bay**

JAN GOLDMAN

Age: 73

Occupation: Visitor Center Staff / Retired Teacher

Education and Qualifications: BA in Social Sciences/ Psychology and a General Education credential from San Jose State University; Special Education/Learning Disabled credential from Long Beach State University

After retiring from the Los Angeles School District, I moved to Morro Bay and focused on becoming involved in my new community. In the 11 years that I have lived here, I've spent time volunteering for many organizations, have worked at the Morro Bay Visitor's Center, and have served on both the city's Public Works Advisory Board and the General Plan Advisory Committee. I was named "Citizen of the Year" for 2017. Now I would like to be on the City Council. I'm running because I love Morro Bay. I love the peaceful ambience of our town. I want Morro Bay to remain a small town known for its natural beauty and outdoor recreation. I also believe it's possible to be both a small town and have a thriving economy. The provision of services and jobs to the people who live here are as important as providing services for tourists. I'm asking for your vote so that I can be part of making decisions that will provide this balance.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of Morro Bay**

JESSE BARRON

Age: 40

Occupation: County Plans Examiner / Planning Commissioner

Education and Qualifications: I am running for City Council for the City of Morro Bay so that I can utilize the knowledge and experience I have gained in my 20+ years working in public service for the benefit of our community; both in looking towards the future and in honoring our past. My undergraduate and graduate work in Public Administration at CSU Bakersfield, and my six years of active duty in the US Air Force gave me a solid foundation upon which I have built a successful career in the building industry; as a construction superintendent, and more than 14 years in County government as a building inspector and plans examiner. I plan to insist on transparency in your government, and demand accountability from public officials; especially in myself.

My experience on the City of Morro Bay Planning Commission, and the Water Reclamation Facility Citizen Advisory Committee (WRFCAC) has given me insight into the wants and needs of our community; wants and needs I will honor. I will make sound, logical decisions on behalf of all our citizens, and will never be beholden to a partisan ideology.

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**DECLARACIÓN DE LA CANDIDATA PARA
MIEMBRO DEL CONCEJO MUNICIPAL
Ciudad de Morro Bay**

DAWN ADDIS

Ocupación: Maestra de Asignación Especial

Educación y Competencia: Mi pasión por el bienestar de los residentes de Morro Bay me inspira a postularme al Concejo Municipal. Imagino una Morro Bay en la que protejamos y promovamos nuestra costa, construyamos una infraestructura lista para el futuro, fortalezcamos nuestra economía local y tengamos una comunidad incluyente.

He vivido diecisiete años en Morro Bay con mi esposo y mis dos hijos, por lo que valoro el carácter de nuestra ciudad y creo en nuestro potencial.

Tengo la visión y la voluntad para trabajar por el mejor futuro de nuestra comunidad. En el Comité Consultivo Financiero de Ciudadanos de Morro Bay y en el Subcomité de Presupuestos Amigables con el Público, abogo por un presupuesto equilibrado y transparente. En nuestro distrito escolar local, desarrollo y manejo programas enfocados en los niños y familias que se encuentran en mayor riesgo. Como organizadora fundadora de la Women's March de San Luis Obispo, involucro a los residentes de la costa central para crear un cambio constructivo.

Morro Bay necesita miembros del concejo que tomen acciones con visión de futuro y construyan puentes hacia el éxito. Me comprometo a representarlo de esta manera. A tal efecto, soy miembro de la Alianza por un Espacio Abierto de Morro Bay, de Policía y Comunidad Juntos y del Grupo de Trabajo de Terreno Común. También soy bilingüe, hablo español e inglés.

Mi historial en nuestras escuelas, comunidades y gobierno demuestra el compromiso con nuestro mejor futuro. Me honraría contar con su voto el 6 de noviembre de 2018.

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**DECLARACIÓN DE LA CANDIDATA PARA
MIEMBRO DEL CONCEJO MUNICIPAL
Ciudad de Morro Bay**

BETTY WINHOLTZ

Ocupación: Educadora Independiente

Edad: 66

Educación y Competencia: Después de 32 años siendo residente de Morro Bay, ¡sigo enamorada de esta comunidad! Me postulo a un cargo de elección a fin de preservar la excepcional calidad de vida de Morro Bay. Como candidata con experiencia previa en el concejo, de 2002 a 2010, ofrezco una responsabilidad financiera comprobada. Voté continuamente para que se mantuvieran los asuntos financieros dentro de los límites presupuestarios. Nuestra ciudad soportó la recesión de 2007 y aprobamos un presupuesto equilibrado para el siguiente concejo. Votaré para ponerles fin a los gastos excesivos. Ofrezco conocimientos históricos y significativos de la planta de drenaje propuesta, ya que el proceso de modernización y reubicación de la planta inició durante mi período en el concejo. He vuelto al punto de partida para reconocer que si se debe recubicar la planta de drenaje, debe hacerse de la manera menos costosa posible. Valoro nuestros vecindarios únicos que nos convierten en una ciudad grandiosa. Con respecto a los alquileres por cortos periodos, votaré por hacer que sean una parte constructiva de la economía sin que sean una carga molesta para nuestros vecinos. Soy una exitosa persona de empleo independiente, por lo que sé cómo vivir dentro de mis medios y creo que la ciudad de Morro Bay debe aprender a hacer lo mismo con el dinero de los contribuyentes.

Sample Ballot

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CITY	
CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES MAYOR Vote for One	
JIM REED Council Member	<input type="radio"/>
STEVEN W. MARTIN Mayor, City of Paso Robles	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES COUNCILMEMBER Vote for no more than Two	
MICHAEL RIVERA Businessman	<input type="radio"/>
JOHN HAMON City Councilman/Businessman	<input type="radio"/>
ANDY PEKEMA Father/Engineer/Businessman	<input type="radio"/>
MARIA ELENA GARCIA Pharmacy Technician/Mother	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MAYOR
City of El Paso de Robles**

JIM REED

Occupation: Citizen, City Councilmember

Education and Qualifications: Many of the problems we face as citizens are due to the overreaching influence of government. In my first term on the Council I have realized that in most cases issues needing to be corrected were due to existing policies that are not in the best interest of the citizens. Once bad policies or ordinances are made they are very difficult to correct.

Moreover, city staff are constantly making new policies with very little oversight from the people that you have elected to look out for your best interest. There needs to be a clear line between the people we elect and the institution of government. Government's job is to apply policies that are made by the council.

If elected as your Mayor, I will work to keep the decision makers on the right side of this line, and properly vet and discuss issues prior to implementing new policies. This practice will produce much more intelligent and responsible results.

I ran four years ago; a new name with new ideas. Now, my name may not be new, but we still need to work at implementing these new ideas. I respectfully ask for your vote. JimReedforMayor@gmail.com.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MAYOR
City of El Paso de Robles**

STEVEN W. MARTIN

Occupation: Incumbent

Education and Qualifications: I am excited about our future. Paso Robles is poised to build on many recent successes including securing plentiful water, increasing street repairs, improving public safety services and planning for a new wave of economic development that will bring new head-of-household jobs to our city. I will support efforts to enhance our airport and re-use the adjacent deserted correctional facility. I will lead efforts to increase fiscal responsibility, address public parking needs, and deal with the rising cost of housing while assuring that new development pays for itself. I will continue to push for civility in public discourse and protect the rights of all who wish to be a part of the process. I will continue to work diligently with our employees to lower the city's unfunded retirement costs. I will always be accessible to you, answering phone calls and emails quickly. I will continue to meet with groups and individuals to solve problems and make real progress. When I became Mayor four years ago I called on everyone to work together to keep Paso Robles strong; a place where we can live, work and shop. I am excited. I hope you are, too. I respectfully ask for your vote.

**DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO PARA
ALCALDE
Ciudad de El Paso de Robles**

JIM REED

Ocupación: Ciudadano, Miembro del Concejo Municipal

Educación y Competencia: Muchos de los problemas a los que nos enfrentamos como ciudadanos se deben a la influencia desmedida del gobierno. En mi primer período en el Concejo me di cuenta de que en la mayoría de los casos los problemas que había que corregir se debían a las políticas existentes que no favorecen a los ciudadanos. Una vez que se hacen políticas u ordenanzas malas, son muy difíciles de corregir.

Además, el personal municipal está continuamente haciendo políticas nuevas con muy poca supervisión de parte de aquellos a los que usted eligió para que velaran por sus intereses. Es necesario que haya una línea clara entre aquellos a los que elegimos y la institución de gobierno. El trabajo del gobierno es aplicar las políticas que se definen en el concejo.

Si me eligen como su alcalde, trabajaré por mantener a los encargados de tomar decisiones del lado correcto de esa línea y que se revisen y discutan los asuntos antes de que se implementen políticas nuevas. Esta práctica generará resultados mucho más inteligentes y responsables.

Me postulé hace cuatro años; era un nuevo nombre con nuevas ideas. Ahora quizás mi nombre no sea desconocido, pero todavía necesitamos trabajar en la implementación de estas nuevas ideas. Con todo respeto le pido su voto. JimReedforMayor@gmail.com.

**DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO PARA
ALCALDE
Ciudad de El Paso de Robles**

STEVEN W. MARTIN

Ocupación: Titular

Educación y Competencia: Me entusiasma nuestro futuro. Paso Robles está preparado para desarrollarse a partir de muchos logros recientes, incluyendo asegurar abundante agua, aumentar las reparaciones de las calles, mejorar los servicios de seguridad pública y planificar para una nueva ola de desarrollo económico que traiga a nuestra ciudad nuevos puestos de trabajo para los cabezas de familia. Apoyaré las labores para mejorar nuestro aeropuerto y reutilizar el centro correccional adyacente que está abandonado. Dirigiré las labores para aumentar la responsabilidad fiscal, tratar las necesidades de estacionamientos públicos y manejar los crecientes costos de las viviendas mientras aseguramos que las nuevas urbanizaciones se paguen solas. Seguiré impulsando la urbanidad en el discurso público y protegiendo los derechos de todos los que deseen ser parte del proceso. Seguiré trabajando diligentemente con nuestros empleados para reducir los costos de jubilación sin financiamiento de la ciudad. Siempre estaré a su disposición, atendiendo llamadas y respondiendo correos electrónicos rápidamente. Seguiré reuniéndome con grupos y personas para resolver los problemas y lograr un verdadero progreso. Cuando me eligieron como alcalde hace cuatro años invité a todos a trabajar juntos para mantener la solidez de Paso Robles, un lugar donde podemos vivir, trabajar y comprar. Estoy emocionado. Espero que usted también. Con todo respeto le pido su voto.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of El Paso de Robles**

MICHAEL RIVERA

Age: 64

Occupation: Businessman

Education and Qualifications: Hello Fellow Citizens. I am a 44 year resident of the Central Coast 16 in Paso Robles, 28 in the Santa Maria Valley. My wife and I have been married for 46 years and have 3 adult children and 5 grandchildren. I have served on various boards and commissions over my life. These include the Chairman of the Santa Maria recreation and parks commission, Guadalupe Planning Commission and Chairman of the Santa Barbara County Private Industry Council and Chief Financial Officer of the PIC. I served on the Mayors Housing Task Force in Santa Maria and various other committees and Non Profits. I am running for Paso Robles City Council because Our City is at a crossroads. Planning and Development, Housing, Head of Household jobs, education for our young people and ensuring the needs of our Citizens are at the top my list and not "special interests". These are my priorities. My experience in Business, County and City government provides me with a unique view as to what works and what does not related to our Cities development. I ask for your vote so we can chart a course together for the future of our families and City.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of El Paso de Robles**

JOHN R. HAMON

Age: 64

Occupation: Businessman / Paso Robles City Council Member

Education and Qualifications: It has been my honor and privilege to serve my fellow Roblans as Councilmember for the past 12 years. I remain committed to a conservative voice with a common-sense voting record and I ask for the opportunity to continue representing you four more years.

I consider myself after 42 years, a successful and financially responsible small business owner and employer that votes prudently with public tax dollars.

I support a strong relationship between City government and business for a strong local economy. Our small-town agricultural heritage and the products we produce are appreciated by our many visitors. Their dollars support important sales tax revenue that helps fund our public services such as police, fire, library and recreational departments.

I am an experienced fourth generation son of the central coast and have been pleased to provide leadership on our Volunteer Fire Department for 19 years, Planning Commission for 5 years, and 12 years on various County of San Luis Obispo regional boards.

I ask for your vote of confidence in allowing me to serve again on your City Council.

Thank you for your past support of me and making Paso Robles the very special place that it is.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of El Paso de Robles**

ANDY PEKEMA

Occupation: Engineer, Small Business Owner

Education and Qualifications: I was born and raised just up the road in King City, and as a kid, visiting Paso Robles was a treat. For my family, Paso was the better big city. Unfortunately, Paso has lost some of its shine since then. It's still a great town, with booming wine and tourism industries, but we have some pretty big problems too. Our roads are crumbling, people can't afford to water their lawns, and developments spread unchecked.

However, with the right leadership, I believe Paso Robles can be even better than I remember. As a member of our City Council, I will do my best to provide that leadership and bring a fresh perspective to our city government. I don't pretend to have all the answers, but as an engineer I have experience solving some pretty big problems with a limited budget. It just takes a little hard work and an open mind.

If elected, my top priorities will be cutting frivolous spending and fixing our roads. That won't be easy, but I'm ready to make some tough decisions and get things done. If you like the sound of that, please vote for me, Andy Pekema, for Paso Robles City Council.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of El Paso de Robles**

MARIA ELENA GARCIA

Age: 47

Occupation: Pharmacy Technician / Community Volunteer / Mother

Education and Qualifications: I enthusiastically seek your vote to serve on the Paso Robles City Council. My background is in the health care profession. What does that mean? It means I care. I care deeply about our community.

I moved to Paso Robles 12 years ago as a single mom and quickly fell in love with the City's small town feel, beautiful surroundings, and many possibilities. I got involved with our church and school. I co-founded a small business networking organization and held fundraisers for high school scholarships to help disadvantaged students seeking a better way forward.

I have volunteered as a school board member and as a member of our local library board of trustees. I truly believe in giving back.

Over the years, I have seen our community grow and evolve – something we all support. At the same time, our region's continuing quality of life depends on thoughtful public policy that can ensure growth is matched by strong efforts to maintain the unique qualities and special attributes of our City.

My candidacy is all about promoting these values and aims. Accordingly, I ask for your vote and hope that you will support me on November 6!

**DECLARACIÓN DE LA CANDIDATA PARA
MIEMBRO DEL CONCEJO MUNICIPAL
Ciudad de El Paso de Robles**

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MARIA ELENA GARCIA

Edad: 47

Ocupación: Técnica Farmacéutica / Voluntaria Comunitaria / Madre

Educación y Competencia: Busco con entusiasmo su voto para poder servir en el Concejo Municipal de Paso Robles. Mis antecedentes corresponden a la profesión de la salud. ¿Qué significa eso? Significa que me importa. Me importa nuestra comunidad.

Hace 12 años que me mudé a Paso Robles siendo una madre soltera y me enamoré rápidamente del aspecto pueblerino, los hermosos alrededores y las diversas posibilidades de esta ciudad. Me involucré con mi iglesia y nuestra escuela. Fui cofundadora de una organización de operaciones de pequeñas empresas e hice recaudaciones de fondos para becas de secundaria para ayudar a los estudiantes desfavorecidos que buscan un mejor camino hacia el futuro.

He trabajado como voluntaria como miembro de la junta escolar y como miembro de nuestra junta de síndicos de la biblioteca local. Verdaderamente creo en la retribución.

Con los años, he visto a nuestra comunidad crecer y evolucionar, algo que todos apoyamos. Al mismo tiempo, la continua calidad de vida de nuestra región depende de una política pública considerada que garantice que el crecimiento sea igualado por labores firmes por mantener las calidades únicas y los atributos especiales de nuestra ciudad.

Mi candidatura se basa en fomentar esos valores y objetivos. En consecuencia, ¡le pido su voto y espero que me apoye este 6 de noviembre!

Sample Ballot

CITY	
CITY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO MAYOR Vote for One	
HEIDI HARMON Mayor	<input type="radio"/>
DONALD E. HEDRICK Artisan Whale Maker	<input type="radio"/>
T. KEITH GURNEE Planner/Urban Designer	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
CITY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNCILMEMBER Vote for no more than Two	
CARLYN CHRISTIANSON Council Member	<input type="radio"/>
JAMES LOPES Retired County Planner	<input type="radio"/>
ABE LINCOLN Nonprofit Executive Director	<input type="radio"/>
SARAH FLICKINGER Homemaker	<input type="radio"/>
BOB VOGLIN Community Volunteer	<input type="radio"/>
JEFFERY C. SPECHT Entrepreneur	<input type="radio"/>
ERICA A. STEWART Administrator	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MAYOR
City of San Luis Obispo**

HEIDI HARMON
Occupation: Mayor

Age: 48

Education and Qualifications: As your Mayor, 30-year resident, Cal Poly graduate and mother, I have a deep commitment to creating the city we want while preserving what makes San Luis Obispo special. My proactive, civil, and inclusive approach invites voices from across the political spectrum to devise the best solutions together. I am proud of what we have accomplished together during my first term, and am committed to meaningful engagement with the community as we move forward. I am running for re-election to continue to strengthen the relationship between you and your city.

We have created housing solutions while advocating for local control, strengthened relationships with residents and our regional partners, revitalized the unique culture of our downtown and parks while being leaders in fiscal responsibility. We are building community resilience through energy efficiency and sustainability while we continue to enhance our open space.

We must address the challenges of Diablo's closure, pension liabilities, and our housing crisis while we maximize the opportunities of our beautiful environment, vibrant neighborhoods, and forward-thinking community.

Together, we can ensure a dynamic, inclusive and resilient city. Please join us as we move San Luis Obispo forward. www.heidiharmon.org

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MAYOR
City of San Luis Obispo**

T. KEITH GURNEE
Occupation: Planner / Urban Designer

Age: 71

Education and Qualifications: As a resident of San Luis Obispo for over 40 years, and as the first Cal Poly student ever elected to the City Council, I have a passion for this community, its downtown, and its neighborhoods.

San Luis Obispo needs a Mayor who actually listens to our residents, who will protect our historic neighborhoods, expand and protect our open space greenbelt, hold Cal Poly accountable for its impacts on our community, and bring fiscal responsibility back to City Hall.

We need a Mayor who will strengthen our downtown in keeping with its scale, character, and heritage, who has extensive experience in public planning and urban design, and who will lead with compassion and competence. I'll be committed to pursuing a vision that respects our high quality of life while representing all our residents rather than a select few.

In recent years, our city governance has lost its way. We need a serious change of leadership to take us into the future as the small-town we've always wanted to be. It's time to bring common sense and a respect for our town back to City Hall.

As your Mayor, I pledge to do just that. Please vote Gurnee for Mayor for our neighborhoods!

DECLARACIÓN DE LA CANDIDATA PARA
ALCALDESA
Ciudad de San Luis Obispo

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HEIDI HARMON

Edad: 48

Ocupación: Alcaldesa

Educación y Competencia: Como su Alcaldesa, residente por 30 años, egresada de Cal Poly y madre, estoy profundamente comprometida con la creación de la ciudad que queremos mientras preservamos lo que hace de San Luis Obispo un lugar especial. Mi enfoque proactivo, civil e incluyente invita a las voces de todo el espectro político a que encontremos juntos las mejores soluciones. Me siento orgullosa de lo que logramos juntos en mi primer período y le apuesto a un compromiso significativo con la comunidad a medida que vayamos avanzando. Me postulo a la reelección para seguir consolidando la relación entre usted y su ciudad.

Creamos soluciones habitacionales mientras abogamos por el control local, fortalecimos las relaciones con los residentes y nuestros socios regionales, revitalizamos la cultura única del centro de nuestra ciudad y nuestros parques, siendo al mismo tiempo líderes en materia de responsabilidad fiscal. Estamos construyendo la resiliencia comunitaria mediante la eficiencia y la sostenibilidad energéticas, mientras seguimos mejorando nuestros espacios abiertos.

Debemos abordar los retos del cierre de Diablo, las obligaciones de pensiones y nuestra crisis de vivienda, mientras maximizamos las oportunidades de nuestro hermoso ambiente, vecindarios vibrantes y comunidad progresista.

Juntos podemos asegurar que tengamos una ciudad dinámica, incluyente y resiliente. Acompáñenos a llevar a San Luis Obispo adelante. www.heidiharmon.org

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of San Luis Obispo**

CARLYN CHRISTIANSON

Occupation: City Council Member

Education and Qualifications: I'm grateful to be serving on the Council. Since voters entrusted this seat to me in 2013, I've delivered on my promises: integrity, transparency, and a balanced and steady approach to our city's challenges—such as housing, roads, financial responsibility, climate action, water, homelessness—and safeguarding our beautiful greenbelt and improving our neighborhoods, including our cherished Downtown.

A resident for 29 years and mother of two sons, besides a career in healthcare I've been a dedicated community volunteer, always promoting the connection between a healthy environment and a healthy economy. I remain deeply committed to San Luis Obispo's fundamental values of environmental protection, cultural and historical richness, economic vitality and fair, sensible government.

I've passionately supported open space acquisition and protection, and ensured our water supply is secure. I've strongly championed housing solutions for all our people, and encouraged neighborhood quality efforts and multimodal transportation investment. I've explored new initiatives such as community choice energy and cannabis.

San Luis Obispo is thriving but we have more work ahead. Listening respectfully to all residents, I believe my extensive business and Council experience provide the deep familiarity, wide-ranging experience and practical skills needed to make future critical decisions.

I ask for your vote. Contact carlynpc@gmail.com.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of San Luis Obispo**

JAMES LOPES

Occupation: Retired County Planner

Education and Qualifications: Aren't we fortunate to live in this unique, relatively unspoiled area and city? We can all understand how fragile our setting is becoming, facing large-scale growth. We can carry forward this sense of place which history and the Morros provide, while spinning variations on it. I want a city government which ensures that this sense of place resonates within our plans and ordinances and in development, commerce and recreation. I want the City to think, speak and work for all of us, not just "customers," to listen and respond first to residents and neighborhoods, and to uphold and defend our city standards and guidelines. I want the City to reset priorities toward quality of life and respect for each other in neighborhoods, downtown and on our streets. I want to balance job growth with more affordable housing for all incomes, mixed together in urban villages within commercial zones, shopping centers, and near downtown, without looming high over it or existing neighborhoods. Cal Poly should build on-campus villages for all undergraduates. We need a balanced community for families, with better and more parks, bikeways, walkways and recreation while protecting and preserving our open spaces. Please join me moving toward this vision.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of San Luis Obispo**

ABE LINCOLN**Age: 48****Occupation:** Executive Director SLO Noor Foundation**Education and Qualifications:** 30 years ago, I came to San Luis Obispo as a Cal Poly freshman and fell in love with the area at first sight.

Today, I am the Executive Director of the SLO Noor Foundation, which provides free healthcare to our neighbors without health insurance.

I believe San Luis Obispo is an incredibly unique city with unlimited potential that can lead the state and country in so many different ways.

I am a champion for the environment, healthcare for all, women's rights, LGBTQIA, immigration reform, ethnic diversity, labor unions, public education, increased minimum wage, rent control and helping the underserved.

If you believe that San Luis Obispo can not only be better, but be the best, I would appreciate your vote.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of San Luis Obispo**

SARAH FLICKINGER**Age: 38****Occupation:** Homemaker, Community Advocate, Coach**Education and Qualifications:** As San Luis Obispo grows and changes, I feel it is increasingly important to listen to the many, diverse perspectives offered by community members, so that together we can move toward a balanced vision of social, economic and environmental sustainability for the well-being of all, including the land we're entrusted to steward.

How we change matters. Small adjustments can make a big difference to improve the daily lives of people, businesses and the environment. As a Council Member I will be a strong voice for the right changes—big or small—with thoughtful, thorough review and diligent care put into every consideration.

I grew up in Los Osos, attending local public schools before moving to SLO in 1998 to attend Cal Poly. I received a Journalism degree and spent my career in public relations, the wine industry and media before becoming a stay-at-home mom. I spend time as an engaged, active citizen in the community, contributing through public comments, volunteering at local schools and in service to local and national organizations. I've served on multiple Boards and committees and dedicated countless hours to community service and neighborhood advocacy.

It would be an honor to serve this city, its place and people. www.sarahflickinger.com

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of San Luis Obispo**

ROBERT "BOB" VOGLIN

Age: 68

Occupation: Community Volunteer / Retired Salesman

Education and Qualifications: I have been a 27 year resident of San Luis Obispo and truly love this town. I would like to see our town slow down and try to recapture the quaintness and charm which I feel were getting away from. This has been illustrated over the past 5 to 10 years with the approval of large housing developments and oversized buildings, without corresponding improvements with traffic management and disregard for people who need their cars for work or play. I'm also concerned with the constant challenge our community has for water and wastewater management and other environmental issues.

I would like to see our town work on recapturing our village atmosphere and quant character instead of the larger cities atmosphere.

I have worked as a salesman for many years in our community and for the past 7 years have been retired and the Director of a non-profit in our community which raises money for people going through cancer.

We need to be fiscally responsible as well as very aware of how to keep our charm. I will work hard as city council to slow SLO down and help restore our happy town.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of San Luis Obispo**

JEFFERY SPECHT

Age: 54

Occupation: Entrepreneur

Education and Qualifications: I am running for the San Luis Obispo City Council because I care about our community, I care about our residents and I care about justice. I want to stop the culture of waste, corruption and bloated government oozing out of City Hall.

Our council ignores the public while bowing down to city staff and special interests. Our police officers harass the mentally ill and homeless which has resulted in an even larger population of unhoused and unsupported mentally ill people sleeping on our streets.

Our council is supporting large developers who are building atrocities that block our scenic views and a bike riding coalition focused on forcing people onto bicycles by removing parking.

I promise to serve the will of the people. I am a lifelong San Luis Obispo resident who loves our city.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
MEMBER OF CITY COUNCIL
City of San Luis Obispo**

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ERICA A. STEWART

Age: 45

Occupation: Administrator

Education and Qualifications: I have been a resident of the SLO community for over 20 years. I'm a mother of two teenage boys, a wife, and both an employee and alumna of Cal Poly. I have volunteered extensively, including vice president of SLO County's Civil Service Commission, Women's Legacy Fund Advisory Committee member, SLO Chamber's Legislative Action Committee, and several homeless service organizations. My work experience spans from human resources and healthcare, to nonprofit management and the restaurant industry.

I know it can be hard for everyone to have their voice heard. As a San Luis Obispo city council member, I will increase opportunities for honest, respectful, and open communication to solve some of the upcoming challenges facing our community.

I will expand civic education and participation. I will collaborate with neighboring cities and the county to responsibly manage our natural and financial resources. I've worked on many regional projects to improve the lives of all residents, and as a former small business owner, I understand that we must support a variety of businesses throughout the city to ensure a vibrant economy.

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**DECLARACIÓN DE LA CANDIDATA PARA
MIEMBRO DEL CONCEJO MUNICIPAL
Ciudad de San Luis Obispo**

CARLYN CHRISTIANSON

Ocupación: Miembro del Concejo Municipal

Educación y Competencia: Estoy agradecida por poder servir el Concejo. Puesto que los votantes confiaron en mí para ocupar este asiento en el año 2013, cumplí con mis promesas: integridad, transparencia y un enfoque equilibrado y constante para poder afrontar los desafíos que se presentan en nuestra ciudad—como viviendas, carreteras, responsabilidad financiera, acciones climáticas, el agua, la situación de la gente sin hogar—además de la protección de nuestro hermoso cinturón verde y la mejora de nuestros vecindarios, incluido nuestro querido Centro de la Ciudad.

Soy residente de la Ciudad desde hace 29 años y madre de dos hijos. Además de mi experiencia profesional en el área del cuidado de la salud, también he trabajado de manera voluntaria en la comunidad, fomentando siempre la conexión entre un entorno sano y una economía saludable. Estoy profundamente comprometida con los valores fundamentales de la protección del medio ambiente, la riqueza cultural e histórica, la vitalidad económica, y el gobierno justo y razonable de San Luis Obispo.

He apoyado apasionadamente la adquisición y protección de espacios abiertos y me he asegurado de que nuestro suministro de agua sea seguro. He luchado enérgicamente para brindar soluciones de vivienda a toda nuestra gente, y he fomentado los esfuerzos para tener vecindarios de calidad y las inversiones en el transporte multimodal. He explorado iniciativas nuevas como el uso de una energía elegida por la comunidad y el cannabis.

San Luis Obispo es una ciudad próspera pero tenemos mucho trabajo por delante. Al escuchar respetuosamente a todos los residentes, creo que gracias a mi amplia experiencia empresarial y como miembro del Concejo, poseo una amplia formación y los conocimientos prácticos necesarios para tomar decisiones futuras importantes.

Le pido su voto. Comuníquese con carlynpc@gmail.com.

**DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO PARA
MIEMBRO DEL CONCEJO MUNICIPAL
Ciudad de San Luis Obispo**

ABE LINCOLN

Edad: 48

Ocupación: Director Ejecutivo de la Fundación Noor de SLO

Educación y Competencia: Hace 30 años, vine a San Luis Obispo para estudiar en Cal Poly y me enamoré de la zona a primera vista.

Actualmente, soy el Director Ejecutivo de la Fundación Noor de SLO, que brinda servicios gratuitos de atención de la salud a nuestros vecinos que no cuentan con seguro médico.

Creo que San Luis Obispo es una ciudad increíblemente única, con un potencial ilimitado, y que puede liderar el estado y el país de muchas maneras diferentes.

Soy un defensor del medio ambiente, de la posibilidad de que todos puedan acceder a la atención médica, los derechos de la mujer, de los LGBTQIA, de la reforma migratoria, de la diversidad étnica, de los sindicatos, de la educación pública, del aumento del salario mínimo, del alquiler controlado y de ayudar a las personas de bajos recursos.

Si cree que San Luis Obispo no solo puede mejorar, sino que puede llegar a ser la mejor ciudad, le agradecería su voto.

**DECLARACIÓN DE LA CANDIDATA PARA
MIEMBRO DEL CONCEJO MUNICIPAL
Ciudad de San Luis Obispo**

SARAH FLICKINGER

Edad: 38

Ocupación: Ama de Casa, Defensora de la Comunidad, Entrenadora

Educación y Competencia: A medida que San Luis Obispo crece y evoluciona, siento que cada vez es más importante escuchar a las muchas y diversas perspectivas que ofrecen los miembros de la comunidad, para que juntos podamos avanzar hacia un enfoque equilibrado de sustentabilidad social, económica y medioambiental por el bien de todos, incluso de la tierra que se nos ha confiado.

Es importante cómo elegimos cambiar. Los pequeños ajustes pueden hacer una gran diferencia para mejorar la vida diaria, los negocios y el medio ambiente. Como Miembro del Concejo, levantaré mi voz para lograr los cambios correctos—grandes o chicos—asegurándome de realizar una evaluación cuidadosa y exhaustiva respecto a cada uno de los temas puesto a consideración.

Crecí en Los Osos y asistí a diferentes escuelas públicas locales antes de mudarme a SLO en el año 1998 para inscribirme en Cal Poly. Obtuve un título en Periodismo y desarrollé mi carrera en relaciones públicas, la industria del vino y los medios de comunicación antes de decidir quedarme en casa y convertirme en mamá a tiempo completo. Dedico gran parte de mi tiempo a ser una ciudadana comprometida y activa en la comunidad, a través de comentarios públicos, voluntariados en escuelas locales y servicio en organizaciones locales y nacionales. Trabajé en varias Juntas y comités, y he dedicado incontables horas al servicio comunitario y a la defensa de nuestros vecindarios.

Sería un honor servir a esta ciudad y a su gente. www.sarahflickinger.com

**DECLARACIÓN DE LA CANDIDATA PARA
MIEMBRO DEL CONCEJO MUNICIPAL
Ciudad de San Luis Obispo**

ERICA A. STEWART

Edad: 45

Ocupación: Administradora

Educación y Competencia: He vivido en la comunidad de SLO durante más de 20 años. Soy mamá de dos varones adolescentes, esposa, y empleada y alumna de Cal Poly. He realizado muchos trabajos de manera voluntaria, como vicepresidente de la Comisión de Servicio Civil del Condado de SLO, miembro del Comité Asesor del Fondo del Legado de las Mujeres, miembro del Comité de Acción Legislativa de la Cámara de SLO y miembro de muchas organizaciones al servicio de las personas sin hogar. Mi experiencia laboral abarca diferentes áreas, desde recursos humanos y cuidados de la salud, hasta la administración de organizaciones sin fines de lucro y de la industria gastronómica.

Sé que puede ser difícil que se escuchen las opiniones de todos. Como miembro del Concejo Municipal de San Luis Obispo, aumentaré las oportunidades de establecer una comunicación honesta, respetuosa y abierta para resolver algunos de los desafíos inminentes que enfrenta nuestra comunidad.

Ampliaré la educación y la participación ciudadana. Colaboraré con las ciudades cercanas y con el condado para administrar de manera responsable nuestros recursos naturales y financieros. Trabajé en muchos proyectos regionales para mejorar las vidas de todos los residentes y, como ex dueña de un pequeño negocio, entiendo que debemos apoyar distintos emprendimientos en toda la ciudad para garantizar una economía dinámica.

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DISTRICT	
CAMBRIA COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT DIRECTOR	
Vote for no more than Two	
DONN HOWELL Retired Database Administrator	<input type="radio"/>
DENNIS PERRY Naturopathic Practitioner	<input type="radio"/>
AARON WHARTON Appointed Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
CINDY STEIDEL Retired Business Manager	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
DIRECTOR
Cambria Community Services District**

DONN HOWELL

Occupation: Former Real Estate Broker, Business Manager, Systems Analyst

Education and Qualifications: I've long visited Cambria and have lived here full time since retiring from UCSB in 2004. Having enjoyed the benefit of this wonderful town for many years I welcome this opportunity to give something back to the community and help preserve it for those that will come after me.

I spent the 30 years before retirement in information technology acquiring skill at listening to users to understand their business processes and design or adapt computer systems to serve them. My experience in real estate and business gives me an understanding of finance and insight into the concerns of Cambria's businesses. Being retired, I have time to devote to serving as CCSD director without the constraints of having to work for a living and have, in fact, been attending and participating in the CCSD meetings as well as the standing committee meetings.

As director I will: help restore the community's trust in the CCSD; support fiscal responsibility, accountability and transparency in all issues relating to the district; bring balance to the board's deliberations, taking into consideration all concerns expressed by the community; support the board's standing committees to insure that the community's water and wastewater systems are in reliable, working condition.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
DIRECTOR
Cambria Community Services District**

DENNIS PERRY

Occupation: Naturopathic Practitioner, Volunteer, Retired Engineer/Chemist

Education and Qualifications: It has been my privilege to work with the people of Cambria in holding accountable district officials and providing ideas and vision with a long term view in the preservation of our portion of the central coast with respect to parks, open space, fire prevention, delivered services, and infrastructure management. The district has seen serious challenges and community trust has been severely compromised during a long and continuing series of missteps. Turning this around is a primary goal in my candidacy.

I have served as a volunteer and executive board chair of the Medical Reserve Corps in Oregon and in the California Naturopathic Doctors Association Legislative Committee. I remain licensed as a naturopathic physician in Oregon, after a long career in aerospace electronics and as an researcher in agricultural chemistry and biology in southern California. My career path has taken me through both the private and public sectors and I have significant experience in contract and systems development, procurement and fulfillment, and as a holistic doctor which helps me think in terms of complex systems and human compassion and competence, which I believe will be useful skills on the CCSD Board.

Thank you for your support.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
DIRECTOR
Cambria Community Services District**

AARON WHARTON

Occupation: Business Owner, Appointed Incumbent

Education and Qualifications: I have a 25+ year career in business and sales. I studied General Business Administration in college with a concentration in Human Resources. My professional duties included office management, interpersonal relationships and streamlining operations for maximum benefit. Upon moving to Cambria in 2009 I identified a need for a passion of mine, craft beer. I started the process of opening up Cambria first and only Craft Brewery, in wine country of all places.

While in office as the appointed incumbent, replacing Michael Thompson, I have found the need to start repairing and replacing Cambria's infrastructure. I will listen to the recommendations of the Infrastructure committee and assess the risk and costs associated with each project and prioritize the critical needs. My business experience shows that I know how to tackle a project from scratch and make it successful.

I have been visiting Cambria since 1992 when I met my wife. I have grown to love the area. We chose to raise our children here, where my wife was born and raised, attend the same school and enjoy the same life she had growing up. I love the town and wish to see it flourish.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
DIRECTOR
Cambria Community Services District**

CINDY STEIDEL

Occupation: Retired Business Manager

Education and Qualifications: I have a 30+ year career in finance and project management leading to Engineering Division Business and Finance Manager positions. My professional responsibilities included project management, financial guidance and bid development for contract and pricing organizations. At retirement I was responsible for project management of all site programs, directing 35 project analysts.

The CCSD must prudently assess its infrastructure needs and develop a cost-effective plan to meet those needs. I have the skill set necessary to assess and solve complex business and project problems, define risks/costs and scope critical path needs, all valuable tools for the necessary capital improvement program ahead. My experience in budgeting and managing costs will also benefit the CCSD and ratepayers by strengthening the transparency and control of operating expenses.

A 21-year resident of Cambria, I belong to American Legion Post 432 Auxiliary, have been an Elephant Seal Docent and Allied Arts Board Member. I represent Marine Terrace on, and am Vice Chair of, the NCAC. I serve on the CCSD Finance Subcommittee and was on the Buildout Reduction Program Citizens Committee. I love our town and want to employ my business skills to make Cambria an even better place for all of us to live.

**DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO PARA
DIRECTOR
Distrito de Servicios Comunitarios de Cambria**

DONN HOWELL

Ocupación: Ex Agente Inmobiliario, Gerente de Negocios, Analista de Sistemas

Educación y Competencia: Hace mucho tiempo vine de visita a Cambria y me mudé aquí después de jubilarme de la UCSB en el año 2004. Después de haber disfrutado de los beneficios de esta hermosa ciudad durante tantos años, quiero aprovechar esta oportunidad para devolverle algo a la comunidad y ayudar a preservarla para aquellos que vengan después de nosotros.

Antes de jubilarme, dediqué 30 años de mi vida a la tecnología de la información y adquirí la habilidad de escuchar a los usuarios para entender sus procesos comerciales y, así, poder diseñar o adaptar los sistemas de las computadoras para satisfacer sus necesidades. Mi experiencia en el mercado inmobiliario y en los negocios me brinda una comprensión de las finanzas y un conocimiento de los problemas que enfrentan las empresas de Cambria. Como estoy jubilado, tengo tiempo para dedicarle a todo lo que implica ser el director del CCSD sin la limitación de tener que trabajar para vivir. De hecho, últimamente, he asistido y participado en las reuniones del CCSD y en las reuniones del comité permanente.

Como director, haré lo siguiente: ayudaré a restaurar la confianza de la comunidad en el CCSD; apoyaré la responsabilidad fiscal, la rendición de cuentas y la transparencia en todas las cuestiones relacionadas con el distrito; traeré equilibrio a los debates de la junta, siempre teniendo en cuenta todas las inquietudes expresadas por la comunidad; apoyaré los comités permanentes de la junta para garantizar que los sistemas de suministro de agua y de aguas residuales de la comunidad se encuentren en condiciones seguras y operativas.

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DISTRICT	
LOS OSOS COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT DIRECTOR	
	Vote for no more than Two
CHUCK CESENA Incumbent	<input type="radio"/>
MATTHEW D. FOURCROY Civil Engineer	<input type="radio"/>
CRAIG BALTIMORE Professor	<input type="radio"/>
STEPHEN M. BEST Geothermal Energy Engineer	<input type="radio"/>
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Write-In	<input type="radio"/>

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
DIRECTOR
Los Osos Community Services District**

CHUCK CESENA

Age: 64

Occupation: Retired Environmental Planner

Education and Qualifications: BA in Environmental Studies from UC Santa Barbara and worked as an Environmental Planner for Caltrans for over 36 years before retiring in 2014.

I've served on the LOCS D since November of 2014 and from 2005-2010 before that. I currently chair the CSD's Utility Advisory Committee, am vice-chair of the Emergency Services Committee and the alternate representative to the Basin Management Committee (BMC). The BMC- a court approved committee comprised of representatives from the County and our three water companies - is responsible for managing the groundwater basin, as detailed in our Basin Management Plan (BMP).

In addition to supporting the CSD's timely completion of its share of new infrastructure projects called for in the BMP, through the CSD I recently authored a request for the County to cancel their contracts that propose to ship recycled water from the treatment plant to dryland farmers rather than return it to existing leach fields to recharge our groundwater basin.

I would appreciate the opportunity to further the water supply dialogue with the County and other regulatory agencies as your representative on the LOCS D.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
DIRECTOR
Los Osos Community Services District**

STEPHEN M. BEST

Age: 67

Occupation: Retired Geothermal & Green Energy Consultant, Designer and Engineer

Education and Qualifications: For the past 25+years I have dedicated my life to reducing energy needs and emissions with environmental green technology to heat and cool our homes, commercial buildings and schools. I pioneered the first geexchange systems installed in Southern California; designed, engineered and built systems from SB Court House, to Curry Village in Yosemite NP; from the Bay Area to LA to here at home. My expertise is Project Management as a Certified Building Commissioning Professional.

I have been passionately working on protecting our Water Basin; the development that threatens our ecosystems and quality of life, managing our growing homeless population, and the lack of green parks and multipurpose paths.

We need to look at the big picture, take charge, and focus on the things we need vs. just waiting for something to happen and being disappointed.

My wife and I moved to Los Osos/Baywood Park in 1996 after spending decades visiting the area. We fell in love. Los Osos deserves to be preserved and protected while we improve and plan for our future.

I have many creative ideas and solutions. I look at the big picture and see solutions that will maintain the feel, small town spirit and pride we all have for our town.

**DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO PARA
DIRECTOR
Distrito de Servicios Comunitarios de Los Osos**

CHUCK CESENA

Edad: 64

Ocupación: Planificador Ambiental Jubilado

Educación y Competencia: Tengo una Licenciatura en Estudios Ambientales obtenida en UC Santa Barbara y trabajé como Planificador Ambiental para Caltrans durante más de 36 años antes de jubilarme en el año 2014.

He servido en el LOCSO desde noviembre de 2014 y, anteriormente, desde el año 2005 hasta el año 2010. Actualmente, presido el Comité Consultivo de Servicios Públicos del CSD, soy vicepresidente del Comité de Servicios de Emergencia y el representante suplente del Comité de Manejo de Cuencas (BMC). El BMC - un comité aprobado por el tribunal, cuyos miembros son representantes del Condado y de nuestras tres empresas proveedoras de agua - es el responsable de mantener la cuenca subterránea, tal como se detalla en nuestro Plan de Manejo de Cuencas (BMP).

Además de apoyar la oportuna culminación de la participación del CSD en los proyectos de infraestructura nueva exigidos en el BMP, recientemente, a través del CSD, redacté un pedido para que el Condado cancele sus contratos, los cuales proponen enviar el agua reciclada desde la planta de tratamiento hasta zonas agrícolas con tierras áridas en lugar de devolverla a las zonas de drenaje para recargar nuestras cuencas subterráneas.

Me encantaría tener la oportunidad de promover el diálogo sobre el suministro de agua con el Condado y con otras agencias reguladoras como su representante del LOCSO.

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DISTRICT	
SAN MIGUEL COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT DIRECTOR	
	Vote for no more than Two
CESAR HERNANDEZ	<input type="radio"/>
HECTOR PALAFOX Tasting Room Associate	<input type="radio"/>
ASHLEY SANGSTER State Procurement Officer	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
DIRECTOR
San Miguel Community Services District**

HECTOR PALAFOX

Occupation: Tasting Room Associate

Education and Qualifications: I have lived in San Miguel for over 16 years. I attended Sonoma State University earning a bachelor's degree in business administration. I am proud to live in San Miguel, and I want to see the town succeed and I want to see the CSD lead the town forward into the modern century. I believe that the current way the CSD does business must be reformed and as your elected official I will listen to your voice and make sure your issues and concerns are addressed in a timely and professional matter. Amongst my priorities include lowering our water and sewer rates, beautifying our community, making our community safer, and repairing our infrastructure. I sincerely ask for your vote.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
DIRECTOR
San Miguel Community Services District**

ASHLEY SANGSTER

Age: 50

Occupation: State Procurement Officer

Education and Qualifications: Having been appointed to the San Miguel Community Board of Directors in January, 2018, it has been my privilege to serve and support the community of San Miguel. I would like to ask for your vote on November 6, 2018 so that I can continue my service and support of our community.

I have many years of experience in several industries covering both private and public sectors. My current profession is in the public sector, and given my role in public purchase, I have experience with State and County operations, and finances. I believe my experience and skills would be an asset to the community as a whole.

Beyond my professional experience, I would like to utilize my life and work experience to benefit the community of San Miguel. I appreciate the opportunity to be a part of making our community better and planting the seeds for future growth and prosperity.

Thank you very much for your consideration.

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DISTRICT	
CAMBRIA COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT DIRECTOR	Vote for no more than Three
BILL RICE Retired Healthcare CFO	<input type="radio"/>
IGGY FEDOROFF Retired Aerospace Executive	<input type="radio"/>
ROBERT "BOB" PUTNEY Retired Fire Chief	<input type="radio"/>
LAURIE MILEUR Healthcare Professional	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>
Write-In	<input type="radio"/>

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
DIRECTOR
Cambria Community Healthcare District**

BILL RICE**Age: 71****Occupation:** Retired Healthcare CFO

Education and Qualifications: I have over 40 years of financial experience and was the former Chief Financial Officer of Community Health Group, a health plan in Southern California with revenues in excess of \$640 million, serving publicly-funded plan members throughout San Diego County. As Chief Financial Officer, I was responsible for the financial planning, fiscal operations and management of the health plan and third party administration services. Areas of responsibility include operations, information systems, contracting, accounting, budgeting, financial analysis and reporting, regulatory reporting, cash management, accounts payable, payroll, insurance procurement, investment management, and purchasing. Additionally, I have held financial positions at Apria Healthcare Group, Scan Health Plan, Family Health Plan (FHP) and with American Airlines in Dallas, Texas. I earned a Bachelor degree in Business Administration and an MBA. I am a military veteran having served as an officer in the United States Navy and I have been a homeowner in Cambria since 1997.

My business experience, education and financial background will allow me to provide real, focused and effective governance and oversight of your tax dollars.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
DIRECTOR
Cambria Community Healthcare District**

IGGY FEDOROFF**Age: 71****Occupation:** Retired Aerospace Executive

Education and Qualifications: BA - Economics, Syracuse University; MBA Cal State Dominguez Hills. Twenty-year U.S. Air Force veteran. Over 12 years in aerospace company contract management. As a USAF Officer, I administered construction contracts, managed supplies acquisition and acquired complex space launch vehicles and satellites for the U.S. Government. I implemented the first computer network at Air Force Space Division in 1983 for streamlining operations and insuring first class customer support.

For my MBA, I authored a comparative study of ER operations at Harbor-UCLA Medical Center, a public hospital, and Little Company of Mary, a private hospital, both in Torrance. Rising to the rank of vice president at BAE SYSTEMS Aircraft Controls, I found creative, profitable solutions when my contract managers faced impasses.

I belong to a citizens' healthcare committee analyzing CCHD administration. In September 2017, we made seven cost reduction suggestions to the CCHD administrator including billing automation and other sizable overhead reductions. I spearheaded the Pediatric Dental Initiative bringing free dental care to underserved youth in our community. When faced with problems, I find creative solutions – an absolute requirement for a successful negotiator and District Director.

I stand for first class ambulance and healthcare at an affordable cost.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
DIRECTOR
Cambria Community Healthcare District**

ROBERT “BOB” PUTNEY

Occupation: Retired Fire Chief / Paramedic

Education and Qualifications: My experience includes:

I have over 35 plus years of Fire/Rescue and Emergency Medical Services experience. I was a field Paramedic, a Paramedic Instructor and a Paramedic Program manager. I worked in a hospital for over 6 years, primarily in the Emergency Department. I have managed large numbers of personnel and large and complicated budgets. I have the experience necessary to help move our District forward toward becoming more efficient and effective.

Our Cambria Community Healthcare District provides vital emergency Paramedic Ambulance services to the North Coast of San Luis Obispo. These services are the main focus of our District along with advocating for quality healthcare for you, our residents. We have made many changes to improve our services and insure quality and efficiency. Our District is a local government agency and requires a working understanding of the complex laws and regulations that govern how our District operates. There is more work to accomplish and I would like to complete what has begun. I would be honored to continue to serve you and vow to honor your trust in me and would appreciate your vote.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR
DIRECTOR
Cambria Community Healthcare District**

LAURIE MILEUR

Age: 65

Occupation: Registered Dietitian, Exercise Physiologist

Education and Qualifications: Our community deserves a robust, sustainable healthcare network that meets the varied needs of our residents and visitors. The current CCHD Board is falling short on that goal due to years of deficit spending leading to financial instability.

If elected, I would bring an extensive understanding of healthcare systems to the CCHD. I am a registered dietitian with a PhD in exercise physiology with four decades of experience as a hospital dietitian, educator, and research professor. As a member of the CCHD Healthcare Advocacy Committee I have played a major role in expanding local medical and dental service in our community. My regular attendance at CCHD Board and Special Meetings over the past four years has given me an appreciation of the complexities of CCHD operations.

Working with other concerned community members, I have studied the CCHD's finances and proposed strategies to improve the current situation. As your CCHD Director my focus will be to: 1) maintain our excellent, locally-controlled ambulance service; 2) initiate reasonable cost-saving measures to end deficit spending and recharge cash reserves; 3) advocate and secure local medical services to meet the expressed needs of District residents; and 4) listen and respond to community healthcare concerns.

DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO PARA DIRECTOR

Distrito de Cuidados de la Salud Comunitarios de Cambria

ROBERT "BOB" PUTNEY

Ocupación: Jefe de Bomberos Jubilado/Paramédico

Educación y Competencia: Mi experiencia incluye lo siguiente:

Tengo más de 35 años de experiencia como Bombero, Rescatista y en el área de Servicios de Emergencia Médica. Fui Paramédico de campo, Paramédico Instructor y gerente del Programa de Paramédicos. Trabajé en un hospital durante más de 6 años, principalmente en el Servicio de Urgencias. Tuve a muchas personas a cargo y administré presupuestos enormes y complejos. Tengo la experiencia necesaria para ayudar a que nuestro Distrito progrese y sea más eficiente y efectivo.

Nuestro Distrito de Cuidados de la Salud Comunitarios de Cambria proporciona servicios vitales de emergencia con paramédicos y ambulancias a la costa norte de San Luis Obispo. Estos servicios son el objetivo principal de nuestro Distrito junto con la defensa de la calidad de los cuidados de la salud que se les brindan a ustedes, nuestros residentes. Hemos implementado muchos cambios para mejorar nuestros servicios y asegurar su calidad y eficiencia. Nuestro Distrito es una agencia gubernamental local y requiere un buen conocimiento de las leyes y regulaciones complejas que rigen cómo funciona. Hay mucho trabajo por hacer y quisiera poder terminar lo que ya se comenzó. Me sentiría honrado si pudiera seguir trabajando para usted, prometo honrar su confianza y realmente le agradecería su voto.

DECLARACIÓN DE LA CANDIDATA PARA DIRECTORA

Distrito de Cuidados de la Salud Comunitarios de Cambria

LAURIE MILEUR

Edad: 65

Ocupación: Nutricionista Matriculada, Fisióloga del Ejercicio

Educación y Competencia: Nuestra comunidad merece una red de cuidados de la salud sólida y sustentable que satisfaga las distintas necesidades de nuestros residentes y de quienes nos visitan. La actual Junta del CCHD no está cumpliendo con este objetivo debido a muchos años de gastos y déficit, lo que ha provocado una inestabilidad financiera.

Si fuera electa, podría aportar conocimientos importantes sobre los sistemas del cuidado de la salud al CCHD. Soy una nutricionista matriculada con un doctorado en fisiología del ejercicio y tengo cuatro décadas de experiencia como nutricionista en un hospital, educadora y profesora de investigación. Como miembro del Comité de Defensa de los Cuidados de la Salud del CCHD, he tenido un papel importante en la expansión de los servicios médicos locales y odontológicos en nuestra comunidad. El hecho de asistir de forma regular a la Junta del CCHD y a las Reuniones Especiales desde hace cuatro años me permite conocer en detalle la complejidad de las actividades del CCHD.

Al trabajar de manera conjunta con otros miembros de la comunidad que también se encuentran preocupados y comprometidos, pude estudiar las finanzas y las estrategias propuestas del CCHD para mejorar la situación actual. Como su Directora del CCHD mis principales objetivos serán los siguientes: 1) mantener el excelente servicio de ambulancia que brindamos (controlado de manera local); 2) poner en práctica medidas para ahorrar dinero, terminar con el déficit y recargar las reservas de efectivo; 3) defender y asegurar los servicios médicos locales para satisfacer las necesidades expresadas de los residentes del Distrito; y 4) escuchar y responder las inquietudes de la comunidad relacionadas con los cuidados de la salud.

Sample Ballot

COUNTY	
G-18 Shall an ordinance be adopted amending the San Luis Obispo County General Plan and County Code to prohibit any new petroleum extraction and all well stimulation treatments, as defined in the full-text of the measure, including hydraulic fracturing and acid well stimulation, on all lands within the unincorporated area of the county?	
YES	<input type="radio"/>
NO	<input type="radio"/>

**COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO
IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE G-18**

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This measure proposes the adoption of an ordinance through the initiative process. If 51% of qualified voters vote to approve the measure, an ordinance will be adopted amending the San Luis Obispo County General Plan, including the Local Coastal Program, and Title 22 and Title 23 of the San Luis Obispo County Code, to prohibit well stimulation treatments and any new petroleum extraction on all land within the unincorporated area of the county. The intended purpose of the measure is to protect county land, water, and quality of life.

Some impacts of the measure are uncertain because it is not known to what extent the banned or limited well stimulation activities are either utilized or necessary to the recovery of oil or gas in the county. The measure bans any new petroleum extraction but permits as a "nonconforming use" any petroleum extraction existing on the effective date of the measure (10 days after the vote approving the measure is declared by the board of supervisors [Elec. Code, § 9122]; hereafter "the effective date"). Such extraction may not be enlarged, increased, or otherwise expanded or intensified after the effective date. The measure prohibits all well stimulation treatments, even those currently existing on the measure's effective date. Well stimulation treatments include fracking and acidizing (acid well stimulation), which can be used, where effective, to enhance recovery of petroleum.

The legality of the measure is uncertain. To the extent the measure regulates drilling operations underground, it may be preempted by state or federal law. San Luis Obispo County retains land use regulation on the surface, but the validity of local land use regulations that impact how wells are operated below ground is not clear. In addition, the measure's regulatory restrictions on certain oil extraction without compensation may result in claims of an unconstitutional "taking" of mineral rights. In order to avoid an unconstitutional taking and county liability, the measure provides authority for the county to grant a limited exemption to the regulations imposed by the measure based on substantial evidence of facts constituting a taking. The procedures for evaluating evidence of a taking and determining the extent of any exemption are not prescribed by the measure. The necessity of utilizing such procedures prior to bringing suit against the county is unknown. Any exemption determination would be subject to judicial review.

The measure requires the county to defend the measure. If the measure is approved, litigation is anticipated. Litigation would likely include claims of preemption and an unlawful taking of private property rights. County resources would be necessary to defend against such claims, and to process taking exemption claims and vested rights claims made by holders of mineral rights.

The measure has been placed on the ballot by the requisite number of voters who signed the initiative petition for the measure. A "yes" vote on the measure is a vote in favor of the measure. A "no" vote is a vote against its adoption.

s/ RITA L. NEAL
County Counsel

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure G-18. If you desire a copy of the Ordinance or related materials, you can visit the Election website at www.slovote.com, or you can call the Election's office at 805-781-5228 and a copy will be made available at no cost to you.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT FOR MEASURE G-18

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The fiscal impact of Measure G-18 to County revenue and expenditures is inherently difficult to predict due to its intersection with the variable oil market, changing technologies, and potential secondary effects of restricting oil production.

If approved, Measure G-18 prohibits new petroleum extraction and “well stimulation treatment;” existing operations would be allowed to continue as long as they are not expanded or intensified. As stated in Measure G-18, the impacts of petroleum extraction will decrease over time as production from existing wells declines. Additionally, the value of active oil businesses and mineral rights will likely decrease if Measure G is approved, which could impact tax revenue as described below.

Although there may be financial impacts to the County, it is impossible to predict with any certainty what they will be or the net amount. The following fiscal areas would likely be affected if oil extraction decreases:

- **Property Tax:** The assessment of property tax for mineral-producing properties is based on a calculation of oil reserves that the mineral rights holder can access as well as the market price of oil. Restricting the owner’s ability to expand will decrease the value of the mineral rights and thereby decrease taxes.
- **Unitary Tax:** This is similar to property tax except the assessment is calculated by the State rather than the local Assessor. Unitary tax is applied to businesses whose assets cross county boundaries such as transmission lines or pipelines. A decrease in oil production may decrease unitary taxes.
- In Fiscal Year 2017/2018, the oil industry was assessed \$2,304,232 in secured, unsecured and unitary taxes. This represents 0.43% of all assessed taxes for 2017/2018. The taxes were apportioned as follows:

	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Percent of Total Funds</u>
○ Schools -	\$ 1,514,626	(0.283%)
○ County General Fund -	\$ 603,596	(0.113%)
○ Special Districts -	\$ 121,543	(0.023%)
○ Cities -	\$ 20,211	(0.004%)
○ RDA Successor Agencies -	\$ 44,255	(0.008%)

There are other potential financial impacts to the County General Fund which are impossible to estimate, including but not limited to:

- The cost of any environmental damage caused by the oil extraction process. The oil industry is regulated by multiple agencies including the Department of Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Regulation, Environmental Protection Agency, Regional Water Quality Control Board, Air Pollution Control, and the County of San Luis Obispo Planning Department. Although infrequent, even with regulation, oil spills have occurred;
- Any impact to approximately 32 to 76 local oil-industry jobs (source EDD) and the cascading effect to the local economy, including the related consumer spending and associated sales tax;
- County costs for processing applications for exemptions to Measure G-18, including exemptions to avoid unconstitutional takings of property and where there are “vested rights” which may be offset by existing fees;
- Litigation costs defending or opposing exemption approvals or denials;

- Potential litigation costs regarding claims of unconstitutional “takings” of property and/or vested rights. Costs could include monetary awards for damages (the County is not insured against court judgments for “takings” damages).

s/ James P Erb, CPA
Auditor-Controller-Treasurer-Tax Collector
County of San Luis Obispo

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Beautiful San Luis Obispo County has a bright and prosperous future if we choose to protect our water, agriculture, and tourism. Fracking, acidizing, and expanded petroleum extraction **put that future at risk.**

Measure G lets the people decide, not the oil companies.

- The oil industry has plans to expand drilling in San Luis Obispo County, if we let them.
- They use risky, energy-intensive oil extraction techniques.
- Oil operations, as well as fracking and acidizing, often require transportation and use of toxic chemicals.
- Fracking and expanded drilling pose risks to San Luis Obispo County's water, agricultural heritage, and rural character, and undermine our clean energy future.

Measure G protects our water quality and quantity.

- It bans fracking, acidizing, and expanded drilling, which endanger our groundwater, creeks and soil.
- Fracking uses large quantities of fresh water. Our limited water supplies should be conserved for local farmers and residents, not sacrificed to the oil industry.

Measure G protects our health and safety.

- Studies reveal toxic chemicals used in fracking and acidizing – and pollution from oil extraction – can cause illnesses such as cancer, birth defects, and asthma.
- Scientists have shown fracking and injection can trigger earthquakes – and we live in an already seismically active area.

Measure G protects our economic future.

- **A safe and reliable water supply is essential for a healthy economy.** Reports show:
- **Agriculture** produced \$732 million in crops, contributed \$1.87 billion to the local economy, and supported over 20,000 local jobs in 2011. 2017 crop values totaled nearly \$925 million.
- **Tourism** generated \$75 million in local tax revenue and provided another 20,000 jobs in 2017 alone.

Measure G is fair and balanced.

- It prohibits expanded drilling but allows existing oil operations to continue.
- It gives the County flexibility to protect property rights.

Vote YES on Measure G: Protect Our Water, Our Health, and Our Future.

s/ Natalie Risner, Small Business Owner
s/ Charles Varni, Retired College Teacher
s/ Karen Merriam, Retired Clinical Social Worker
s/ Dale Smith, Retired Veterinarian

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REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE G-18

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As citizens who proudly live in San Luis Obispo County, we care deeply about our County's future and strongly oppose Measure G.

At this time, when our County faces adverse effects due to the closure of Diablo Canyon, Measure G would create more economic uncertainty, hurt our community, and increase our dependence on foreign oil.

Measure G would shut down EXISTING oil and gas production.

- The promoters of this proposition are using scare tactics about fracking to try to pass Measure G. But, there is no hydraulic fracturing in San Luis Obispo County and no plans to do so.
- Measure G is so broadly written that practices safely used for over a century—and which are needed for existing production to continue—would be banned by Measure G.

Measure G would put the County and its taxpayers at risk for millions of dollars in liability that the County is not insured for.

- San Luis Obispo County would be on the hook to pay millions of dollars to property owners whose mineral rights would be violated by Measure G—thus facing drastic reductions in vital public services.
- A state judge already held that a similar measure in Monterey County was illegal and resulted in Monterey being exposed to massive legal liability.

Even the County's own impartial analysis cited the risk of litigation resulting from the measure (7/20/2018).

We need a balanced approach as we transition to a clean energy economy, not the drastic energy shutdown caused by Measure G.

Vote NO on G

/s/ Tom J. Bordonaro, Jr., Assessor, San Luis Obispo County

/s/ Chris Darway, 4th Generation Family Farmer, San Luis Obispo County

/s/ Dr. Dan Howes, Ph.D., Water Engineer, Cal Poly

/s/ Doralyn Henry, Teacher

/s/ James Mulhall, Retired Commander, San Luis Obispo County Sheriff's Department

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Measure G is a costly ballot initiative that would result in another major employer shutting down in our County-hurting local workers and their families and resulting in new economic problems for our County.

Measure G would shut down existing oil and gas production.

- Practices that have been safely used for over a century and are needed for existing production to continue would be banned by Measure G.
- As a result, Measure G would shut down existing oil and gas production in San Luis Obispo County.

Measure G would result in more economic uncertainty.

- Already, the closure of Diablo Canyon is going to put a heavy economic strain on our county budget.
- If oil and gas production is shut down, the county would lose even more tax revenue, which could result in deep budget cuts to public safety and schools.

Measure G would harm our families and our community.

- Hundreds of workers would be at risk of losing their jobs.
- Millions in annual state and local tax revenues would be lost.

Measure G would expose the County and its taxpayers to massive financial liability.

- The County would be required to defend itself against lawsuits over Measure G, which could cost the County millions of dollars in legal fees alone.

Measure G would increase dependence on foreign oil.

- California produces less than 35% of what is needed to meet the demand of gasoline for our drivers.
- Oil that we do not produce locally would have to be imported from somewhere else, including countries that have poor environmental regulations and terrible human rights standards like Saudi Arabia, Iraq and Russia.
- We should allow local producers to help meet our energy needs in the responsible way, under the strictest environmental regulations in the world.

Vote NO on G.

/s/ George Donati, 4th Generation Family Farmer, San Luis Obispo County

/s/ Dr. Dan Howes, Ph.D., Water Engineer, Cal Poly

/s/ Dr. Rene Bravo, M.D., Children's Health Specialist

/s/ Dee Santos, Lucia Mar Unified School District Trustee

/s/ William Andersen, Firefighter

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE G-18

Big Oil is spending big money to protect their profits while they threaten our water, economy, and health. Know the facts:

The “Oil and Gas Shut Down” is a Lie

- Measure G allows San Luis Obispo County’s existing oil operations to continue (see Section 2B of the Initiative).

Big Oil is Risking the Heart of San Luis Obispo County’s Economy

- The County Auditor says oil provides fewer than 80 local jobs and only 0.43% of County-assessed taxes.
- Reports show agriculture and tourism together contribute over 40,000 jobs and billions of dollars to the local economy.
- Agriculture and tourism depend on clean and plentiful water. Groundwater contamination could cause significant economic harm.

Big Oil is Bullying Voters with Threats of Lawsuits

- Courts have confirmed local governments have the power to ban new drilling. If we choose to do that, then Big Oil should back off.
- The measure gives the County flexibility to avoid liability for “taking” anyone’s property rights.

Oil Companies Don’t Care About Our Energy Independence

- They convinced Congress to lift the ban on oil exports to maximize their profits. They also consistently lobby against clean energy measures that would reduce our reliance on overseas fossil fuels.
- San Luis Obispo County oil is refined and sold throughout California and internationally, not just for local consumption.

Measure G stops oil companies from passing the risks of fracking and expanded oil production on to the people of San Luis Obispo County. Vote YES on Measure G.

s/ Ruth Madocks, Organic Farmer

s/ Elizabeth Demsetz, Physics Lecturer, Cal Poly

s/ Sherrl Stoddard, RN

s/ Janine Rands, Retired Social Worker

s/ Douglas Timewell, Retired Farmer

END OF ARGUMENTS FOR MEASURE G-18

Sample Ballot

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CITY					
CITY OF ATASCADERO					
E-18 Shall the measure be adopted to tax cannabis businesses operating illegally or allowed in the future by the voters, State or City, at annual rates not to exceed \$10.00 per canopy square foot for cultivation (adjustable for inflation), 10% of gross receipts for retail cannabis businesses, and 6% of gross receipts for all other cannabis businesses, generating \$0-\$500,000 annually for unrestricted general revenue purposes, such as police, fire and parks, until ended by the voters?	<table border="1"><tr><td>YES</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr><tr><td>NO</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr></table>	YES	<input type="radio"/>	NO	<input type="radio"/>
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J-18 Shall an ordinance be adopted that changes the term of office for the mayor from a two-year term to a four-year term?	<table border="1"><tr><td>YES</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr><tr><td>NO</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr></table>	YES	<input type="radio"/>	NO	<input type="radio"/>
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CITY OF ATASCADERO
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Measure E-18 seeks to establish a tax on cannabis businesses operating illegally at any time or operating legally should such businesses be permitted in the future.

If adopted by the voters, Measure E-18 adds a new Chapter 3-17 to the Atascadero Municipal Code to implement a Cannabis Business Tax.

Measure E-18 would tax cannabis businesses at annual rates not to exceed \$10.00 per canopy square foot for cultivation (adjustable for inflation after January 1, 2022), 10% of gross receipts for retail cannabis businesses, 2.5% for testing laboratories, 3% for distribution businesses, and 6% of gross receipts for all other cannabis businesses.

Cannabis businesses are defined broadly to include all persons and businesses that cultivate, possess, manufacture, process, store, test, label, transport, distribute, deliver, or sell cannabis or cannabis products for commercial purposes and that require a state issued license for operation.

Personal cannabis cultivation, as defined by state law, will not be subject to this tax.

The Measure also outlines procedures for collecting, enforcing, and appealing violations related to the Cannabis Business Tax.

A “yes” vote is a vote to adopt the Cannabis Business Tax, effective January 1, 2019.

A “no” vote is a vote against adopting the Cannabis Business Tax, and there would be no tax imposed on potential commercial cannabis activities of cannabis businesses within the City.

Pursuant to Article XIII C of the Constitution, this measure requires approval by a majority of those casting ballots on the measure unless another threshold is otherwise required by law.

Because the Cannabis Business Tax is a general tax, the revenues from the tax would be placed in the City’s general fund and used for unrestricted general revenue purposes, including, but not limited to, police, fire, parks, and other community services.

s/ Brian A. Pierik,
City Attorney for the City of Atascadero

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure E-18. If you desire a copy of the Measure, please call the elections official's office at (805) 470-3400 and a copy will be mailed or e-mailed at no cost to you. The full text of Measure E-18 is available on the City of Atascadero’s website at: <https://www.atascadero.org/>

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The passage of Proposition 64 legalized recreational cannabis in California and gave local governments the responsibility to provide oversight and regulation within their communities. The City of Atascadero does not currently allow any cannabis business activity other than deliveries to residences. Cannabis activities such as retail outlets or facilities for growing, manufacturing, or testing could be authorized by a future City Council, the voters, or directly by the State.

If other cannabis business activities are eventually permitted in the City, or if illegal activities are identified, a tax mechanism on such activities is needed. Such a tax requires approval by the City's voters.

If cannabis business activities became a reality in Atascadero, they would require increased enforcement, education, and other related services. Without a tax measure, the impact of cannabis business activities would detract from other City services.

The tax revenue from this measure on any future cannabis activity would go into the City's General Fund, which could be used to pay for police, fire, code enforcement, or unrestricted general revenue purposes. Both the starting tax rates and maximum tax rates proposed in this measure are in line with the rates approved in June 2018 by SLO County voters for the unincorporated areas of SLO County.

Whether or not you supported Proposition 64, or support any cannabis business activity in the City of Atascadero, it is important to ensure that any future cannabis business activity that might occur, be fairly taxed, and not take away from existing vital programs and services.

Please join us in supporting this common sense measure.

s/ Charles Bourbeau, Councilmember

s/ Brian Sturtevant, Councilmember

s/ Robert "Grigger" Jones

s/ Gere Sibbach, City Treasurer

s/ Ronald L. DeCarli

NO ARGUMENTS AGAINST MEASURE E-18 WERE SUBMITTED

CITY OF ATASCADERO
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In some cities, the Mayor is not elected by the voters, but is a Council Member who is appointed to serve as Mayor by the City Council.

The City of Atascadero has a different system where the Mayor is elected by the voters. The existing law is set forth in the City of Atascadero's Municipal Code, and provides that the Mayor of Atascadero is elected separately from the City Council, for a term of two years.

In contrast, the term for a City Council Member, who is elected, is four years.

As a result of the difference in the Mayor's term of office, there must be an election for the Mayor position every two years, instead of every four years compared to a Council Member.

Measure J-18 seeks to amend the City's Municipal Code concerning the elected Mayor's term from two years to four years, similar to the four year term for a City Council Member. This change will be effective as of the November 2020 General Municipal Election.

A "yes" vote on Measure J-18 would be a vote to change the term for an elected Mayor from two years to four years, effective as of the November 2020 General Municipal Election.

A "no" vote on Measure J-18 would be a vote against changing the existing law, and the current two year term for an elected Mayor would remain the same.

Pursuant to Elections Code section 9217, this measure requires a yes vote by a majority of the voters voting on this measure before it is approved.

s/ Brian A. Pierik,
City Attorney for the City of Atascadero

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Measure J-18 is a common-sense reform to Atascadero's city government. Measure J-18 does one simple thing: change the term of Mayor from 2 years to 4 years.

A four-year term gives the Mayor time to set goals and plan for the City's needs, and it provides continuity of leadership to keep city government both stable and responsive to the voters.

The current term structure creates an electoral imbalance by requiring one member of the governing body to run for a seat twice during the same four-year period, while the other members of the City Council are required to run only once. Additionally, the Mayor serves on a number of countywide commissions and committees where longevity in service on these boards, as well as stability in representation by the same individual, ensures that the needs and expectations of the City of Atascadero are consistently voiced.

Requiring a mayor to run every two years, means a significant amount of that person's time and attention is on running for election as opposed to the job of running the City. This does not serve the public's best interest. A four-year term allows a mayor time to execute vision and agenda, allowing voters to assess accomplishments in the next election.

This suggested change does not impact the Mayor's responsiveness to the people. Instead, it promotes stability and equality among all voting members of the City Council, and ensures continuity of representation on countywide boards.

Vote "Yes" on Measure J-18 for common-sense reform in Atascadero.

s/ Tom O'Malley, Mayor s/ Roberta Fonzi, Mayor Pro Tem s/ Bob Wilkins
s/ Zoe Zappas s/ Kim Croft

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE J-18

Measure J-18 is far from a common-sense reform. The original argument in 2010 for electing a mayor instead of rotating that responsibility annually among city council members was "we need to be like other cities in SLO County!" Since then we are exactly like 6 out of 7 cities in our county- Elected Mayor, 2-year term.

Why fix something that's not broken? The problems Measure J-18 is supposed to solve do not actually exist. In the past 8 years there has been no instability of leadership or continuity of representation in countywide governing bodies. In fact, we have had only one Mayor in the past 8 years, repeatedly re-elected. A 2-year term for Mayor has not been an identified problem in any other city. Atascadero voters already chose a 2-year term even when the 4-year term was an option in past elections.

Voting "No" retains the current 2-year term for Mayor, so that 3 of 5 positions on the Council are up for re-election every election cycle. This system means your vote every 2 years has the power to change the direction of the city's agenda. It gives voters more reason to participate in every election.

A "Yes" vote on Measure J-18 transfers power from voters to politicians. We believe Atascadero is better served by a government that listens to voters. Why would voters want to make this change just when the incumbent Mayor is retiring? Vote "No."

s/ Ellen Beraud s/ Christina Asdel Cisneros

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In 2010, Atascadero voters chose to elect our Mayor, and specifically chose to have the Mayor serve a 2-year term rather than a 4-year term, 55.7% to 44.3%. Now the first mayor elected under those terms and his colleagues are asking voters to change their minds and extend the mayor's term to 4 years.

There is no evidence that this change is needed.

- A two-year term keeps our Mayor accountable to voters
- Retaining a 2-year term for the mayor means that voters can choose the Mayor and 2 Council members (3 of 5 votes on the City Council) in every election
- The mayor has more power than other Council members in setting the agenda and shaping the experience of people who come to their City Council to express their concerns
- Six of seven cities in SLO County elect their mayors for 2-year terms
- There has been no instability in governance with a 2-year mayor -- the incumbent mayor has been re-elected repeatedly
- Atascadero is not losing any clout – our Mayor (elected for a 2-year term) currently serves as president of the San Luis Obispo Council of Governments

Atascadero deserves a mayor who serves the whole community and leads a local government that is of, by and for the people. A 2-year term for Atascadero's Mayor gives voters more control over their government. Who wants a mayor who feels less need to listen to the whole community because they won't be up for re-election for 4 years?

s/ Susan Funk

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE J-18

Measure J-18 changes the term of the elected Mayor from 2 years to 4 years.

Prior to 2010, the Atascadero City Council annually rotated the position of Mayor between Council Members. In 2010, the voters chose to have an elected Mayor, and established the term of office at two years. Council Members continue to be elected to four-year terms of office.

With a shorter term, if the elected Mayor desires to retain their office to continue to serve the community, provide continuity and complete important projects begun during the term, they are forced to campaign every two years at considerable personal expense.

Election campaigns for any office are expensive. Reaching out to voters and keeping the public informed requires considerable energy and resources. Engaging in an election campaign every two years forces a Mayor to devote an inordinate amount of time and money to a political campaign, instead of focusing on the issues and priorities of the City.

The expense of running campaigns every two years also discourages members of the public and other council members from seeking the office of elected Mayor. This is especially true for people of modest means.

If passed this November, Measure J-18 will not go into effect until the 2020 election. It does not affect the current term or the term of the next elected Mayor, whose term will still be two years ending in 2020.

Vote "Yes" vote on Measure J-18.

s/ Brian Sturtevant, Councilmember

s/ Mary Kay Mills

s/ Ray Johnson

s/ Dawn Scherer Daner

s/ Lon Allan

END OF ARGUMENTS FOR MEASURE J-18

Sample Ballot

CITY	
CITY OF GROVER BEACH	
L-18 To provide funding for maintaining fire and police services, repairing streets, maintaining parks, and other general city services; shall the City of Grover Beach adopt an ordinance amending an ordinance increasing the Transient Occupancy Tax rate charged for hotels and other visitor-serving accommodations from 10% to 12%, providing \$70,000 annually in unrestricted funding with all funds staying in Grover Beach?	YES <input type="radio"/>
	NO <input type="radio"/>
M-18 To provide funding for maintaining fire and police services, repairing streets, maintaining parks, and other general city services; shall the City of Grover Beach adopt an ordinance amending the annual Business Tax Certificate rate from \$55 to a range of \$60 to \$950 based on building square footage and a separate flat rate of \$60 for businesses located outside Grover Beach, providing \$90,000 annually in unrestricted funding with all funds staying in Grover Beach?	YES <input type="radio"/>
	NO <input type="radio"/>

ORDINANCE NO. _____

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GROVER BEACH
AMENDING SECTION 10602 OF CHAPTER 6, ARTICLE X OF THE GROVER BEACH
MUNICIPAL CODE RELATING TO INCREASING THE TRANSIENT OCCUPANCY TAX**

WHEREAS, the City has adopted Chapter 6 of Article X of the Grover Beach Municipal Code for the purpose of establishing a Transient Occupancy Tax; and

WHEREAS, the current Transient Occupancy Tax is levied for the purpose of establishing a tax revenue and a monetary exaction for the privilege of occupying a hotel/motel within the jurisdictional boundaries of the City; and

WHEREAS, the typical individuals for which this tax is imposed are transient to the City and the impact of this tax is not typically born by residents of the City of Grover Beach, and

WHEREAS, the amount of the tax is 10% of the rent charged by the operator of the hotel/motel; and

WHEREAS, the City has not amended or revised this amount since 1991 and desires to increase this amount to remain consistent with other communities and to address inflationary costs associated with general governmental services; and

WHEREAS, the Council is intending to increase the amount of the tax from 10% to 12%; and

WHEREAS, the City Council placed Measure L-18 on the ballot at the November 6, 2018 General Municipal Election that proposed the City enact an increase in the City's Transient Occupancy Tax to 12%.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GROVER BEACH does hereby ordain; and **BE IT ORDAINED BY THE VOTERS OF GROVER BEACH** as follows:

PART 1. Section 10602 of Chapter 6 of Article X of the Grover Beach Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 10602. Tax Imposed. For the privilege of occupancy in any hotel/motel, each transient is subject to and shall pay a tax in the amount of twelve (12%) percent of the rent charged by the operator. Said tax constitutes a debt owed by the transient to the City which is extinguished only by payment to the operator or to the City. The transient shall pay the tax to the operator of the hotel/motel at the time the rent is paid. If the rent is paid in installments, a proportionate share of the tax shall be paid with each installment. The unpaid tax shall be due upon the transients ceasing to occupy space in the hotel/motel. If for any reason the tax due is not paid to the operator of the hotel/motel, the Tax Administrator may require that such tax shall be paid directly to the Tax Administrator.

PART 2. If any section, subsection, subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance or any part thereof is for any reason held to be in violation of the law, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this Ordinance or any part thereof. The City Council hereby declares that it would have passed each section, subsection, subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any

one or more sections, subsections, subdivisions, paragraphs, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared in violation of the law. 165

PART 3. This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after the date of its adoption, and within fifteen (15) days after its adoption, it shall be published once, together with the names of the Council Members voting thereon, in a newspaper of general circulation within the City.

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The City Council of the City of Grover Beach has placed Measure L-18 on the November 6, 2018 ballot to ask the voters to approve an ordinance that would enact an increase in the City's Transient Occupancy Tax on hotel accommodations operating within the City. The City of Grover Beach imposes a transient occupancy Tax ("TOT"), also called a "room" tax, at the rate of ten percent (10%) of the rent paid by guests for the ability to occupy a room or other space in a hotel or other similar accommodation for dwelling lodging or sleeping purposes (collectively "occupancy" and a "hotel") for a period of thirty (30) consecutive days or less. This TOT currently is imposed upon paying hotel guests for the ability to occupy a room or other hotel space and collected by the hotel operator.

Passage of Measure "L-18" would amend the City's Municipal Code as follows:

- Increase the TOT rate from ten percent (10%) to twelve percent (12%) of the rent paid by guests for hotel occupancy. Because the tax is a general tax, its proceeds may be used for any City general governmental purposes, including but not limited to fire and police services, street operations and maintenance, library and parks and recreation facilities and other general municipal services. The tax will remain in effect until voters amend or repeal it.

The current ordinance considers a person transient and subject to the tax up to a total of 30 consecutive days and the TOT will apply only to the first 30 consecutive days of occupancy at a hotel.

Measure L-18 must be approved by a majority of the votes cast by the City voters who vote on the ballot proposition.

A "yes" vote on Measure L-18 will authorize the amendments to the City's Municipal Code described above.

A "no" vote on Measure L-18 will prohibit the City from adopting the amendments to its Municipal Code as described above and the TOT will remain in place at ten percent (10%) until otherwise revised by a majority vote of the voters who vote on a future ballot proposition.

s/ David P. Hale
City Attorney, Grover Beach

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure L-18. If you desire a copy of the measure, please call the elections official's office at 805-473-4567 and a copy will be mailed at no cost to you.

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Your Mayor and a majority of the City Council asks you to vote YES on Measure L-18, which will increase the City's hotel tax paid by tourists and visitors. This measure will generate revenue that would stay in Grover Beach and support a range of municipal services to benefit our community such as maintaining fire, emergency medical, and police services, fixing streets and sidewalks, and maintaining parks and city facilities.

Grover Beach has a track record of careful financial management and is addressing key community needs while maintaining prudent reserves. The City is repairing streets with voter-approved bond funding, replacing aging water and sewer infrastructure with grant funds and revenue from utility rates, and expanding our train station through federal, state, and regional funding. However, we also face growing service needs including ensuring responsive public safety services that are critical to health and safety of our residents and businesses and improving maintenance of parks and facilities that support our community. Measure L-18 would provide ongoing funding for core services that would help improve the quality of life in our city.

Measure L-18 will generate additional revenue paid by tourists and visitors rather than local residents through increasing the hotel tax rate from 10% to 12% which has not been increased since it was established. Tourists and visitors are important to our community and Measure L-18 ensures that they pay a fair share for city services. Measure L-18 is a modest increase that retains the city's competitiveness by keeping total hotel taxes comparable with nearby cities.

Measure L-18 will provide additional funding to support the quality of life for our residents and help make our city even better. We urge you to vote YES on Measure L-18 this November.

s/ John P. Shoals, Mayor

s/ Jeff Lee, Mayor Pro Tem

s/ Mariam Shah, Council Member

s/ Barbara Nicolls, Council Member

NO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE L-18 WAS SUBMITTED

**CITY OF GROVER BEACH
FULL TEXT OF MEASURE M-18**

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ORDINANCE NO. ____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GROVER BEACH, CALIFORNIA, REPEALING CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE X OF THE GROVER BEACH MUNICIPAL CODE AND ADOPTING A NEW CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE X RELATING TO BUSINESS TAX CERTIFICATE

WHEREAS, Chapter 2 of Article X, "Business Certificate Tax" regulations have not been completely reviewed and updated since 1992; and

WHEREAS, the name of the Chapter is being revised to "Business Tax Certificate" in accordance with the customary use of the term; and

WHEREAS, a substantial number of provisions of these regulations are out of date with current standards and protocol; and

WHEREAS, these regulations represent a structural change in the manner in which the tax for Business Tax Certificates are issued; and

WHEREAS, the subject Square Footage Tax will be charged on a flat tiered rate as measured against the square footage of a facility occupied by a business located within the City; and

WHEREAS, for any business located outside of the City, a Business License Tax at an annual flat tax rate of \$60.00 will be levied; and

WHEREAS, Commercial Cannabis Businesses located within or outside of the City will be exempt from this chapter and not subject to obtaining a Business Tax Certificate although they will be subject to the City's Commercial Cannabis Tax; and

WHEREAS, every person engaged in business activity in the City of Grover Beach, with limited exceptions, are required to obtain a Business Tax Certificate and to pay the City's Business Square Footage Tax or Business License Tax, as applicable; and

WHEREAS, the City Council placed Measure M-18 on the ballot at the November 6, 2018 General Municipal Election that proposed the City enact a new tax structure for Business Tax Certificates on many businesses established in Grover Beach.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GROVER BEACH does hereby ordain; and **BE IT ORDAINED BY THE VOTERS OF GROVER BEACH** as follows:

PART 1. Chapter 2 of Article X of the City of Grover Beach Municipal Code is hereby repealed on the effective date of this ordinance.

PART 2. Chapter 2 of Article X of the City of Grover Beach Municipal Code is hereby adopted to read as follows:

CHAPTER 2 – BUSINESS TAX CERTIFICATE

Section 10200 Definitions.

The following definitions shall apply throughout this Chapter:

(A) "Business" shall mean and include professions, trades, vocations, ¹⁶⁹rentals, leases, enterprises, establishments, and occupations and all and every kind of calling, any of which is conducted for the purpose of earning in whole, or in part, a profit or livelihood, whether or not a profit or a livelihood actually is earned thereby, whether paid in money, goods, labor, or otherwise.

(B) "Business Floor Space" means rentable square feet of an office, place of business or lodging within the City of Grover Beach and includes the proportionate share of the building service areas such as lobbies, corridors and other common areas in a building. The rental square footage shall be computed by measuring to the inside finish of permanent outer building walls and shall include space used by columns and projections necessary to the building. Business floor space does not include vertical penetrations through the building such as stairs, elevators, or heating ventilation, air conditioning, utility, or telephone systems. If the Business Floor Space is owned by the taxpayer, the Business Floor Space will be calculated in the same manner as above and as if the area was rented. Business Floor Space for purposes of defining rentable square feet of an auto dealerships or any business which the principal income is derived from selling vehicles shall include the building and facilities along with the area of the dealer lot that contains the inventory of vehicles or where vehicles are parked. The dealer lot may consist of parking areas on the same or separate lot from the dealer's facilities or buildings. For purposes of defining business floor space of any business operated out of a personal residence the Square Footage Tax shall be based on the amount of square foot used for business as designated in the Home Occupation Permit application. Business floor space for purposes of calculating Square Footage Taxes shall be based upon the square footage of each vending machine operated within the city and the applicant shall submit a separate business tax certificate application for each vending machine(s) location.

(C) "Business License Tax" means a tax payable when the City issues a Business Tax Certificate by every person conducting, carrying on, or managing any business within the City of Grover Beach but does not lease, own, occupy or otherwise maintain an office or place of business within the jurisdictional boundaries of the City.

(D) "Business Square Footage Tax" is defined within Section 10217.

(E) "Business Tax" shall include both Business License Taxes and Business Square Footage Taxes.

Section 10201. Nature of Certificate.

The term Business Tax Certificate as used in this Chapter shall not be construed to mean a permit. The taxes prescribed by this Chapter constitute a tax for revenue purposes, and are not regulatory permit fees. The payment of the Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Tax required by the provisions of this Chapter and its acceptance by the City, and the issuance of such certificate to any person, shall not entitle the holder thereof to carry on any business unless they have complied with all of the requirements of this Chapter and all other applicable provisions of the Grover Beach Municipal Code, or to carry on any business in any building or on any premises designated in such certificate in the event that such building or premises are situated in a zone or locality in which the conduct of such business is in violation of this Code.

Section 10202. Tax Certificate Procurement and Compliance with Regulations.

Except as otherwise expressly provided in this Chapter, no person, whether as principal or agent, clerk or employee either for himself or for any other person or for anybody corporate, or as an officer of any corporation, or otherwise, shall commence or carry on any trade, calling,

profession or occupation in the City, in this Chapter specified, without first having procured a Business Tax Certificate, and without complying with any and all regulations of such trade, calling, profession or occupation contained in this Chapter. Any person procuring a Business Tax Certificate shall pay the tax as defined within this Chapter.

Section 10203. Tax as Debt.

(A) Any person carrying on any trade, calling, profession or occupation without having a Business Tax Certificate to do so shall be liable for the amount of the tax imposed by this Chapter on such trade, calling, profession or occupation. The amount of such tax, including any penalty or interest thereon, shall be a debt owed to the City.

(B) The City Attorney may file suit in the name of the City, in any court of competent jurisdiction, for any unpaid Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Tax imposed by this Chapter, within three (3) years from the delinquency date thereof.

(C) The conviction and punishment of any person for transacting any trade, calling, profession or occupation without a Business Tax Certificate shall not excuse or exempt such person from the payment of any Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Tax due and unpaid at the time of such violation of the provisions of this Chapter.

Section 10204. Issuance of Tax Certificate.

(A) Each applicant for a Business Tax Certificate shall properly fill in an application in such form as the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, may prescribe.

(B) A certificate, in such form as the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, may prescribe, shall be issued on payment of the Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Tax prescribed in this Chapter and shall be in full force and effect until:

- (1) Certificate holder fails to make payments as required by this Chapter;
- (2) Revoked by the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee;
- (3) Business changes address;
- (4) Business is discontinued;
- (5) Business ownership changes;
- (6) The Business Tax Certificate expires.

(C) A certificate holder with no permanent business address within the City shall be issued a Business Tax Certificate for each Business Tax Certificate period, with such Business Tax Certificate showing the expiration date and shall pay the amount of Business License Tax, as required in this Chapter.

(D) No Business Tax Certificate granted or issued under any provision of this Chapter shall in any manner be transferred or assigned.

(E) In no case shall any mistake made by the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, in stating the amount of the Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Tax rate prevent or prejudice the collection of what shall be actually due from anyone carrying on any trade, calling, profession or occupation subject to a Business Tax Certificate under this Chapter.

(F) No Business Tax Certificate shall be issued to any holder of a delinquent Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Tax until both the Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Tax and penalty or interest shall have been paid.

Section 10205. Payment of Business Square Footage Tax or Gross Receipts Tax.

(A) All Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Taxes, as applicable under this Chapter, shall be paid in advance at the Administrative Services Department. Where a Business Tax Certificate holder conducts several branches or places of business of the same class, a separate Business Tax Certificate shall be secured covering each branch of such business.

(B) The annual Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Tax in this Chapter provided shall be due and payable on the first business day of January of each year based upon the methodology of calculation of the Tax as defined within this Chapter.

(C) No greater or less amount of money shall be charged or received for any Business Tax Certificate than is provided in this Chapter.

(D) The Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, if he/she deems it necessary in order to ensure payment or facilitate collection of Business License Taxes or Business Square Footage Taxes, may require returns and payment of such taxes for other than the time periods specified in this Chapter.

Section 10206. Posting and Exhibition of Business Tax Certificates.

Every person having a Business Tax Certificate under the provisions of this Chapter, and carrying on a trade, calling, profession or occupation at a fixed place of business, shall keep such Business Tax Certificate posted and exhibited while in force in some conspicuous place where such business is being conducted. Every person having a Business Tax Certificate, and not having a fixed place of business within the City, shall carry such Business Tax Certificate with him/her at all times while carrying on the trade, calling, profession or occupation for which the same was granted. Every person having a Business Tax Certificate under the provisions of this Chapter shall produce and exhibit the same whenever requested to do so by any police officer, or by any person authorized to issue, or inspect Business Tax Certificates or certificates for the City, or to collect Business License Taxes or Business Square Footage Taxes for the City.

Section 10207. Certificate Inspectors.

A police officer or the code compliance officer may enter free of charge, during regular business hours, any place of business for which a Business Tax Certificate is required by this Chapter and demand the exhibition of any such Business Tax Certificate by any person engaged or employed in the transaction of such business. The police officer or code compliance officer shall further have the authority to inspect and verify the pertinent square footage of the any building or structure subject to this Chapter.

Section 10208. Information in Business Tax Certificate Application.

(A) Every person required to have a Business Tax Certificate pursuant to the provisions of this Chapter shall make a written application to the Administrative Service Director, or his/her designee, and submit the following information:

- (1) The nature or kind of business for which the Business Tax Certificate is requested.

(2) The place where the business is to be conducted whether within, or outside of the City and, if the business is not to be conducted at a permanent location, the residence address, identified as such, of the owners of the business. For purposes of this Chapter, a post office box is not considered a place of business or a permanent location for purposes of imposing any tax in accordance with this Chapter.

(3) If the application is made for the issuance of Business Tax Certificate to a person to do business under a fictitious name, the names, the last four digits of their social security numbers, and residence addresses of the owners of the business.

(4) If the application is made for the issuance of a Business Tax Certificate to a corporation or partnership, the names, franchise tax number, and residence addresses of the officers or partners thereof.

(5) Any further information that the Administrative Service Director, or his/her designee, may require to enable the issuance of the Business Tax Certificate including documentation supporting the applicant's Gross Receipts as define in this Chapter.

The Administrative Service Director, or his/her designee, will not issue the Business Tax Certificate unless the applicant has submitted the information required within this Section and paid the appropriate tax as required under this Chapter as well as any other unpaid Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Tax amount due.

(B) No Business Tax Certificate shall be issued except on the filing of the application herein provided for; and in the event it shall appear that incorrect information is contained in such application and that the Business Tax Certificate collected was not in the correct amount, the City shall be entitled to collect any unpaid balance of such Business Licensed Tax or Business Square Footage Tax or if any Business Tax Certificate holder has overpaid, to refund the excess amount collected.

(C) No statements in the application shall be conclusive upon the City, or upon any officer thereof, as to the matters therein set forth, and the same shall not prejudice the right of the City to examine or audit the books or accounts of any person subject to Business Tax Certificate or to recover any amount that may be ascertained to be due, in case such statement should be found to be incorrect. If any person hereby required to make any such statement shall fail to do so, such person shall be required to pay the Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Tax at such rate as the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, may after investigation, fix as the proper rate to be paid by such person, and shall also be deemed guilty of a violation of this Chapter. The tax shall be at a rate defined within this Chapter, as amended by Sections 10217 or 10218.

Section 10209. Confidential Character of Information Obtained.

(A) The Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, or any person having an administrative duty under the provisions of this article to the extent permitted by law, will not make known in any manner whatsoever the business affairs, operations, or information obtained by an investigation of records and equipment of any person required to obtain a Business Tax Certificate, or pay a Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Tax, or any other person visited or examined in the discharge of official duty, or the amount or source of income, profits, losses, expenditures, or any particular thereof, set forth in any statement or application, or to permit any statement or application, or copy of either, or any book containing

any abstract or particulars thereof to be seen or examined by any person, 173 Provided that nothing in this subsection shall be construed to prevent:

- (1) The disclosure to, or the examination of records and equipment by another city official, employee, or agent for collection of taxes for the sole purpose of administering or enforcing any provisions of this article; or collecting taxes imposed hereunder;
- (2) The disclosure of information to, or the examination of records by, federal, or state officials, or the tax officials of another city, or county, or city and county, if a reciprocal arrangement exists; or to a grand jury or court of law, upon subpoena;
- (3) The disclosure of information and results of examination of records of particular taxpayers, or relating to particular taxpayers, to a court of law in a proceeding brought to determine the existence or amount of any Business Tax liability of the particular taxpayers to the City;
- (4) The disclosure after the filing of a written request to that effect, to the taxpayer, or to his/her successors, receivers, trustees, executors, administrators, assignees, and guarantors, if directly interested, of information as to the items included in the measure of any paid tax, any unpaid tax or amounts of tax required to be collected, interest, and penalties; further provided, however, that the City Attorney approves each such disclosure and that the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, may refuse to make any disclosure referred to in this paragraph when in his/her opinion the public interest would suffer thereby;
- (5) The disclosure of the names and addresses of persons to whom registration certificates have been issued, the names of officers of corporations and members of partnerships to whom registration certificates have been issued, and the general type or nature of their business;
- (6) The disclosure to the City Council by way of public meeting or otherwise of such information as may be necessary in order to permit it to be fully advised as to the facts when a taxpayer files a claim for refund of Business License Taxes or Business Square Footage Taxes, or submits an offer of compromise with regard to a claim asserted against him/her by the City for Business License Taxes or Business Square Footage Taxes, or when acting upon any other matter;
- (7) The disclosure of general statistics regarding taxes collected or business done in the City when reported in the aggregate.

Section 10210. Penalties and Interest.

(A) Penalties on Deficiency Determinations Made Because of Underpayment.

- (1) The Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, shall add the penalty designated in the Master Fee Schedule, computed as a percentage of the amount of the additional assessment, to any additional assessment imposed as a result of a deficiency determination made because of underpayment if any part of the deficiency is due to negligent or intentional disregard of any provision of this Chapter.
- (2) The Administrative Services Director shall add the penalty designated in the Master Fee Schedule, computed as a percentage of the amount of the additional assessment, to any additional assessment imposed as a result of a deficiency

determination made because of underpayment if any part of the deficiency is due to fraud.

(B) Penalties on Deficiency Determinations Made Because of Failure to File.

(1) The Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, shall add the penalty designated in the Master Fee Schedule, computed as a percentage of the amount of the unpaid Business Tax, to a deficiency determination made because of failure to file a return if such failure to file is due to negligent disregard of any provision of this Chapter.

(2) The Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, shall add the penalty designated in the Master Fee Schedule, computed as a percentage of the amount of the unpaid Business Tax, to a deficiency determination made because of failure to file a return if the person against whom the deficiency determination is made has previously held a Business Tax Certificate in the City of Grover Beach, or if such failure is due to intentional disregard of any provision of this Chapter.

(3) The Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, shall add the penalty designated in the Master Fee Schedule, computed as a percentage of the amount of the unpaid Business Tax, to a deficiency determination made because of failure to file a return if such failure is due to fraud.

(C) Penalties for Delinquent Payment of Business Tax and Deficiency Determinations.

(1) The Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, shall, immediately after one (1) calendar month from the date that Business Tax, including deficiency determinations are payable, add to all Business Taxes remaining unpaid the delinquency penalty designated in the Master Fee Schedule, computed as a percentage of the amount of such delinquent Business Tax, excluding penalties and interest.

(2) The Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, shall immediately after two (2) calendar months from the date that Business Taxes, including deficiency determinations, are payable, add to all taxes still remaining unpaid the additional delinquency penalty designated in the Master Fee Schedule, computed as a percentage of the amount of such delinquent taxes, excluding penalties and interest.

(D) Interest on Deficiency Determinations. In addition to the penalty or penalties imposed, interest at the rate of three-quarters of one per cent per month, or fraction thereof, shall be paid on the amount of the Business Tax, exclusive of penalties, from the last day of the first month of the Business Tax Certificate period or periods for which a deficiency determination is imposed until the date of payment.

(E) Extensions of Time to Make Payment. Prior to the due date, the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, may extend, for good cause, for a period not to exceed one (1) calendar month, the time to make any return or payment of taxes. No further extension shall be granted. Any person to whom an extension is granted who makes a return and pays the taxes within the period of extension shall not pay any penalty or interest on the amount of the taxes.

(F) Holidays. In the event the last day of the calendar month falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, Business Taxes may be paid without penalty on the first succeeding business day. Thereafter, the penalty, penalties or interest provided in this section shall be added.

(A) If the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, is not satisfied with the return or returns of Business Taxes, or the amount of the Taxes paid to the City by any person, he/she may compute and determine the amount required to be paid upon the basis of the facts contained in the return or returns or upon the basis of any information within his/her possession or that may come into his/her possession. One or more deficiency determinations may be made of the amount due for one or more than one annual period. The amount of each deficiency determination is immediately due and payable. Each determination shall become final and delinquent one (1) calendar month after notice thereof as herein provided.

(B) In making a determination, the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, shall offset overpayments previously made, if any, together with interest on the overpayments, against any underpayment for a subsequent period or periods, or against penalties and interest on the underpayments. The interest on underpayments and overpayments shall be computed in the manner set forth in this Chapter.

(C) The Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, shall give written notice of a deficiency determination to each person against whom a determination is made. The notice may be served personally or by mail. In case of service by mail of any notice required by this Chapter, the service is complete at the time of deposit in the United States Post Office.

(D) Except in the case of fraud, intent to evade this Chapter or authorized rules and regulations, or failure to make a return, every deficiency determination shall be made and notice thereof mailed within three (3) years after the last day of the month following the close of the Business Tax Certificate period for which the amount is determined or within three (3) years after the return is filed, whichever period expires the later.

(E) If any person fails or refuses to make, within the time provided in this Chapter, any return and payment of said Taxes or any portion thereof required by this Chapter or makes a fraudulent return or otherwise willfully attempts to evade this Chapter, the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, shall proceed in such manner as he/she may deem best to obtain facts and information on which to base his/her estimate of the Taxes due. As soon as the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee procures facts and information upon which to base the assessment of any tax imposed by this Chapter, he/she shall determine and assess against such person the Taxes, interest and penalties provided for by this Chapter. When such a determination is made, the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, shall give written notice of the amount so assessed. Such determination and notice shall be made and mailed within three (3) years after discovery by the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, of any fraud, intent to evade or failure to file return. The amount of each deficiency determination is immediately due and payable. Any determination shall become final and delinquent one (1) calendar month after notice thereof as herein provided.

(F) If the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, believes that the collection of any Business Tax will be jeopardized by delay, or if any determination will be jeopardized by delay, he/she shall thereupon make a determination of the taxes due. The amount determined is immediately due and payable. If the amount specified in the determination is not paid within ten (10) days after service of notice thereof upon the person against whom the determination is made, the amount becomes final and delinquent, and the delinquency penalty or penalties and the interest provided in Section 10210 shall attach to the amount of the Taxes, unless a petition for redetermination is filed within the ten days.

Section 10212. Redeterminations.

(A) Any person against whom a determination is made under Section 10211¹⁶ or any person directly interested may petition for a redetermination within one (1) calendar month after service of notice thereof; provided, however, that a petition for redetermination of a determination made under subsection (F) of Section 10211 shall be filed within ten (10) days after service of notice thereof. If a petition for redetermination is not filed within the applicable period, the determination becomes final and delinquent at the expiration of the period.

(B) If a petition for redetermination is filed within the applicable period, the Administrative Services Director shall reconsider the determination, and, if the person has so requested in his/her petition, shall grant the person an oral hearing and shall give him ten (10) days notice of the time and place of the hearing. The Administrative Services Director may continue the hearing from time to time as may be necessary.

(C) The Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee may decrease or increase the amount of the determination before it becomes final but the amount may be increased only if a claim for the increase is asserted by the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, at or before the hearing.

(D) The decision of the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, upon a petition for redetermination becomes final and delinquent fifteen days after service upon the petitioner of notice thereof.

(E) No petition for redetermination shall be effective for any purpose unless at or before the filing thereof the amount found due in the original determination is paid, or a bond or other security satisfactory to the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, is filed with him/her guaranteeing payment of any amount finally determined to be due.

Section 10213. Records for Determination by Department of Administrative Services.

All sellers, consumers and holders of City of Grover Beach Business Tax Certificates shall keep complete records of all business transactions, including sales, receipts, purchases and other expenditures, and shall retain all such records for purposes of examination by the Department of Administrative Services or their agent or contract services of the City of Grover Beach. Such records shall be maintained for a period of at least three (3) years and shall be submitted to the City or their delegated agent or contractor upon request by the City.

Section 10214. Refunds.

(A) Whenever a Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Tax has been paid to the City under a mistake of law or a mistake of fact, the tax shall be refunded when a demand for refund has been made on a form prescribed by the Administrative Services Director. No refund shall be approved after three (3) years from the date of receipt by the City of the money to be refunded. For purposes of this Chapter, a mistake of law or fact shall be defined as follows:

(1) Mistake of Law. When the money was either paid by the demandant or received by the City through mistake as to the legal necessity for making the payment, refund thereof may be made upon a demand for refund. The demand shall be promptly transmitted to the head of the department involved for his/her recommendation and his/her statement of the facts upon which the recommendation is based. The demand and recommendation shall be presented to the City Attorney for his/her decision thereon.

(2) Mistake of Fact. When the money was either paid by the demandant or received by the City because of a mistake of fact when such payment or receipt would not

have been made if such mistake had not been made, then refund thereof may be made upon a demand for refund, provided that if the mistake was wholly or partly the City's and the mistake was induced by an act or statement of the demandant, or if the mistake was wholly the demandant's and the City has made an investigation, inspection or examination, or done any similar work or rendered services, the head of the department, division or bureau may ascertain the value or cost of such and order it deducted from the amount to be refunded. His/her determination shall be final when approved by the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, but there shall be added thereto the amount designated for handling charges in the Master Fee Schedule.

(B) If the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, determines that any overpayment has been made intentionally or by reason of carelessness, he/she shall not allow any interest thereon.

Section 10215. Exemptions.

(A) Exempt Business and Entities:

(1) Nothing in this Chapter shall be construed as applying to any person conducting any business or occupation exempt from taxation, Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Tax by virtue of Sec. 14 of Art. XIII of the Constitution of the State of California, or the Constitution of the United States, nor shall it be construed to authorize any act prohibited by any law of California or by the provisions of this Code, or to authorize the conduct of any business for which a permit from the City Council is required, until such permit is obtained.

(2) The provisions of this Chapter shall not apply to commercial travelers or selling agents selling their goods to dealers for future deliveries.

(3) The provisions of this Chapter shall not apply to the renting, letting or subletting of property by an individual to himself or to an entity wholly owned by him.

(4) The provisions of this Chapter shall not be deemed or construed to require the payment of a Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Tax to conduct, manage or carry on any business, occupation or activity, or require the payment of any Business License Tax or Business Square Footage Tax from any institution or organization, which is conducted, managed or carried on wholly for the benefit of charitable, religious, or benevolent purposes.

(5) The provisions of this Chapter shall not apply to credit union corporations.

(6) Any grower or producer of any articles of ranch products who grows or produces said products in the City shall be entitled to a Business Tax Certificate without tax unless the grower or producer sells said products from a produce stand on property located within the City. Any grower or producer qualified by the terms of this Chapter to claim a Business Tax Certificate exemption provided herein shall first file with the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, an affidavit setting forth his/her name and address, the amount and variety of produce he/she proposes to sell, the place where said produce was grown or produced, and that such produce was grown or produced by him.

(7) The provisions of this Chapter shall not apply to any Commercial Cannabis Businesses as defined within Grover Beach Municipal Code, Section 4000.20, as

amended, that are licensed by the City of Grover Beach as a Commercial Cannabis Business and have a state cannabis license.

Section 10216. Establishment of Tax.

Business License Tax and Business Square Footage Tax shall be paid, as applicable, by every person conducting, carrying on or managing any business or profession within the City of Grover Beach not otherwise exempted by Section 10215. This includes businesses located outside of the City of Grover Beach but conducting business within the City and businesses that are owned, leased, occupied or maintained within the City. Employees of a business owner that receive a W-2 Statement are not subject to this Chapter.

Section 10217. Business Square Footage Tax Based Upon Business Floor Space.

(A) A Business Square Footage Tax for the act of privilege of engaging in business activity within the City is hereby levied upon and shall be collected from every person that leases, owns, occupies or otherwise maintains an office or place of business within the City.

The Business Square Footage Tax shall be measured by the number of square feet of business floor space for each office or place of business leased, owned, occupied or otherwise maintained within the City during their reporting period.

(B) Every person conducting, carrying on or managing any business or profession, not otherwise specifically licensed by or exempted by other sections of this Chapter, shall pay an annual Business Square Footage Tax based on the applicable Business Floor Space schedule(s) consistent with this section, whether retail, wholesale or both. Business Square Footage Taxes shall be based upon the total Business Floor Space as recorded on the records of the business. The following tax amounts in Table 1 below are the amounts imposed by the City for each calendar year after adoption of this ordinance based upon the total applicable Business Floor Space:

Table 1 – Business Square Footage Tax Rates

<u>Business Floor Space</u>	<u>BTC Rate</u>
1 - 1,000	\$60
1,001 – 2,000	\$125
2,001 – 5,000	\$200
5,001 – 10,000	\$350
10,001 – 20,000	\$500
20,001 – 40,000	\$650
40,001 – 60,000	\$800
60,001 and up	\$950

Section 10218. Business License Tax based upon a Flat Rate.

(A) A Business License Tax for the act of privilege of engaging in business activity within the City is hereby levied in the amount of \$60.00 per calendar year starting January 1, and shall be collected from every person that conducts a business within the City but does not lease, own, occupy or maintain an office or place of business within the City.

(A) For every person conducting, carrying on or managing the business of a lodging or rooming house consisting of any rooms available for rent, the Business Square Footage Rate shall be determined by the Business Floor Space as defined within this Chapter. Rooming house shall be defined for purposes of this section as any house where lodging is provided for rent.

(B) If any person conducting, carrying on or managing a lodging or rooming house shall use or permit to be used such lodging or rooming house for the purpose of lewdness, assignation or prostitution, and shall be convicted for such offenses or any of them in any court of the State of California, then and in either event the Business Tax Certificate, as provided herein, for such lodging or rooming house shall be revoked and shall not hereafter be renewed for a period of one (1) year from and after the date of the final judgment of such conviction.

Section 10220. Apartments, Flats and Courts.

(A) For every person conducting, carrying on or managing the business of apartments, flats or courts consisting of four or more individual living units available for rent or lease at one (1) location, the Business Square Footage Rate shall be determined by Table 1 schedule designated in this Chapter as amended.

(B) For the purpose of this section, "one location" is defined to mean one (1) or more lots that are contiguous.

Section 10221. Evidence of Doing Business.

When any person shall by use of signs, circulars, cards, Internet websites, or newspapers advertise, hold out, or represent that he/she is in business in the City, or when any person holds an active Business Tax Certificate or permit issued by a governmental agency indicating that he/she is in business in the City, and such person fails to deny by a sworn statement given to the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, that he/she is not conducting a business in the City, after being requested to do so by the Administrative Services Director, or his/her designee, then these facts shall be considered prima facie evidence that he/she is conducting a business in the City.

Section 10222. Severability.

Should any provision of this Chapter, or its application to any person or circumstance, be determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to be unlawful, unenforceable or otherwise void, that determination shall have no effect on any other provision of this Chapter or the application of this Chapter to any other person or circumstance and, to that end, the provisions hereof are severable.

Section 10223. Violation Deemed Misdemeanor - Penalty.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this Chapter or any regulation or rule passed in accordance herewith, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punishable by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500) or by imprisonment for a period of not more than six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 10224. Conviction for Chapter Violation -Taxes Not Waived.

The conviction and punishment of any person for failure to pay the required tax in accordance with this Chapter shall not excuse or exempt such person from any civil action for the tax debt unpaid at the time of such conviction. No civil action shall prevent a criminal prosecution for
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any violation of the provisions of this Chapter or of any state law requiring the payment of all taxes.

Section 10225. Remedies Cumulative.

All remedies and penalties prescribed by this Chapter or which are available under any other provision of law or equity, including but not limited to the California False Claims Act (Government Code Section 12650 et seq.) and the California Unfair Practices Act (Business and Professions Code Section 17070 et seq.), are cumulative. The use of one or more remedies by the City shall not bar the use of any other remedy for the purpose of enforcing the provisions of this Chapter.

Section 10226. Amendment or Repeal.

Chapter 2 of Article X of the City of Grover Beach Municipal Code may be repealed or amended by the City Council without a vote of the people. However, as required by Article XIII C of the California Constitution, voter approval is required for any amendment provision that would increase the rate of any tax levied pursuant to this Chapter or change the methodology of how the tax is levied if such action would increase the amount of the tax approved by the voters. The people of the City of Grover Beach affirm that the following actions shall not constitute an increase of the rate of a tax:

(A) The restoration of the rate of the tax to a rate that is no higher than that set by this Chapter, if the City Council has acted to reduce the rate of the tax;

(B) An action that interprets or clarifies the methodology of the tax, or any definition applicable to the tax, so long as interpretation or clarification (even if contrary to some prior interpretation or clarification) is not inconsistent with the language of this Chapter;

The establishment of a class of person that is exempt or excepted from the tax or the discontinuation of any such exemption or exception (other than the discontinuation of an exemption or exception specifically set forth in this Chapter); or

The collection of the tax imposed by this Chapter, even if the City had, for some period of time, failed to collect the tax.

PART 3. If any section, subsection, subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance or any part thereof is for any reason held to be in violation of the law, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this Ordinance or any part thereof. The City Council hereby declares that it would have passed each section, subsection, subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, subdivisions, paragraphs, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared in violation of the law.

PART 4. This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after the date of its adoption, and within fifteen (15) days after its adoption, it shall be published once, together with the names of the Council Members voting thereon, in a newspaper of general circulation within the City.

IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE M-18 181

The City Council of the City of Grover Beach has placed Measure M-18 on the November 6, 2018 ballot to ask the voters to approve an ordinance that would enact a Business Tax Certificate on business operating within the City and require the imposition of a tax for businesses within the City and one for businesses located outside of the City but doing business within its jurisdictional boundaries. If approved by a majority of the voters, the City would levy a Business Square Footage Tax that would apply to all business located and doing business within the City and the Flat Rate Tax that would apply to businesses located outside of the City but doing business within its jurisdictional boundaries. The tax will remain in effect until voters amend or repeal it.

Measure M-18, if approved, would tax all businesses within the City based upon the building square footage or rentable square feet of the tax payers building. The amount of the tax is tiered based upon the size of the building and will constitute an annual tax from \$60.00 to \$950.00. All business located outside of the City but doing business within the City would be taxed at an annual rate of \$60.00. The taxes prescribed and revenue generate by this ordinance are not for regulatory permit fees but is solely for revenue purposes. Businesses will not be allowed to operate or do business within the City of Grover Beach without obtaining an annual Business License Tax Certificate.

The full amount of the revenue generated by Measure M-18 will go to the City's General Fund and at the discretion of the City Council may be available to support a full range of municipal services including but not limited to public safety, infrastructure improvements parks and recreation, or other municipal services.

If approved by a majority of the voters, the referenced taxes would become effective once the ordinance approving the tax is adopted by the City Council and becomes effective. The tax will not sunset and is not subject to any CPI adjustments.

s/ David P. Hale
City Attorney, Grover Beach

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE M-18 182

Your Mayor and a majority of the City Council asks you to vote YES on Measure M-18, which will change how businesses pay the City's Business Tax Certificate (BTC) from a flat rate to a rate based on square footage. This proposed change will address an equity issue under the current system where businesses pay the same amount regardless of size and type. The measure would continue to generate revenue that would stay in Grover Beach and support a range of municipal services such as maintaining fire, emergency medical, and police services, fixing streets and sidewalks, and maintaining parks and city facilities.

Grover Beach has a track record of careful financial management and is addressing key community needs while maintaining prudent reserves. However, we also face growing service needs including ensuring responsive public safety services that are critical to health and safety of our residents and businesses and improving maintenance of parks and facilities that support our community. Measure M-18 would provide ongoing funding for core services that would help improve the quality of life in our city.

Grover Beach strives to be "business friendly" and Measure M-18 reflects collaboration with businesses in basing BTC amounts on square footage. Under this measure, the BTC amount would increase from a \$55 flat rate to a range of \$60 to \$950 based on building size. Many small businesses located or working in the city will pay a small increase for a BTC while the largest businesses will pay approximately \$80 per month. Measure M-18 is fair, equitable, and keeps our business taxes competitive with nearby cities.

Measure M-18 will provide additional funding to support the quality of life for our residents and help make our city even better. We urge you to vote YES on Measure M-18 this November.

s/ John P. Shoals, Mayor

s/ Mariam Shah, Council Member

s/ Barbara Nicolls, Council Member

s/ Debbie Peterson, Council Member

NO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE M-18 WAS SUBMITTED

Sample Ballot

CITY	
CITY OF MORRO BAY	
D-18 Shall the measure, known as the CANNABIS TAX, imposing maximum tax of ten cents per \$1 of proceeds of commercial cannabis operations, annual maximum tax of \$25 per square foot of commercial cultivation area (CPI adjustments), no sunset clause, estimated \$25,000 to \$225,000 annual collections on currently allowed operations, revenue available for unrestricted general revenue purposes, be adopted?	
YES	<input type="radio"/>
NO	<input type="radio"/>

**CITY OF MORRO BAY
IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE D-18**

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Measure D-18 was placed on the November 6, 2018 General Municipal Election Ballot by the Morro Bay City Council. If approved, then the measure adopts a new Chapter 3.70 ("Cannabis Tax") for the Morro Bay Municipal Code to authorize a tax on current and future commercial cannabis operations in the City of Morro Bay. Rough estimates on tax revenue to be generated from *currently* authorized commercial cannabis operations are anywhere from \$25,000 to \$225,000. The revenue will be deposited into the City's General Fund and available for general City purposes, as determined by the City Council.

Measure D-18 is a tax proposal and does not address whether commercial cannabis operations should locate in the City. State law currently allows limited personal cannabis use, possession and cultivation, as well as cannabis businesses in cities that permit them. Morro Bay Ordinance 612 currently provides for a commercial cannabis operations regulatory program, which allows and regulates up to two medical cannabis retail operations and an unlimited number of wholesale medical cannabis distribution operations and medical cannabis deliveries.

Measure D-18 imposes a maximum cannabis tax of no more than 10% of the proceeds of all commercial cannabis operations, and a maximum cannabis tax of no more than \$25 per square foot of commercial cannabis cultivation (with annual adjustment of the cultivation tax upwards based on the consumer price index). The Council will have the authority to set the tax rates within those maximums. The taxes are not sales or use taxes and shall not be calculated or assessed as such. The taxes shall not be separately identified or otherwise specifically assessed or charged to any individual, consumer or customer. The taxes are imposed upon the commercial cannabis operation. A "commercial cannabis operation" includes the cultivation, possession, manufacture, distribution, processing, storing, laboratory testing, packaging, labeling, transportation, delivery, or sale (including retail and wholesale) of cannabis and cannabis products; except, as applicable, for personal cannabis cultivation. "Proceeds" means total revenue and/or money received through the sale of goods and/or services before any deductions or allowances (e.g., rent, cost of goods sold, taxes).

The administrative and operational aspects of the Cannabis Tax are subject to amendment by the Council to further its purposes and intent. The Finance Director is authorized to implement and administer the Cannabis Tax, which also provides penalties and interest for late payments, with a maximum penalty of 25% of the tax due for late payments, and a maximum 10% interest rate on late payments. Measure D-18 provides the Council authority to lower those rates.

Measure D-18 requires approval by a majority of voters. A "Yes" vote approves commercial cannabis operation taxes. A "No" vote disapproves them.

s/ Joseph W. Pannone
Morro Bay City Attorney

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure D-18. If you desire a copy of the ordinance or measure, then please call the elections official's office at 805-772-6205 and a copy will be mailed at no cost to you.

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE D-18 185

Measure D-18 will ensure that commercial cannabis businesses operating in the City of Morro Bay will pay their fair share of taxes. These types of businesses must help fund general municipal services, such as police, fire and code enforcement that are necessary for the proper administration and monitoring of their activity.

The imposition of a local excise tax on cannabis businesses will produce an estimated \$25,000 to \$250,000 annually for the General Fund, and it is anticipated that this tax revenue will grow over time as revenues increase.

When added to State-mandated taxes, the cumulative rate should generate enough revenue to cover necessary City regulatory costs without being so high as to encourage illegal sales.

Measure D-18 is fiscally responsible, timely, and prudent. It will ensure that commercial cannabis businesses contribute to the City's costs associated with licensing and regulating these businesses. On behalf of the Morro Bay City Council, we respectfully request a "Yes" vote on Measure D-18.

s/ Marlys McPherson, Mayor Pro-Tem

s/ Robert "Red" Davis, City Councilmember

NO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE D-18 WAS SUBMITTED

Sample Ballot

CITY	
CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES	
H-18 Shall the Office of City Clerk be Appointive?	YES <input type="radio"/>
	NO <input type="radio"/>
I-18 To improve basic city services, such as police and emergency response, parks and youth/senior services, and street repair, shall the City of Paso Robles adopt an ordinance enacting a tax on cannabis-related activities in the amount of up to \$20 per square foot for cultivation/processing; up to 10% of gross receipts for transportation; up to 15% of gross receipts for manufacturing, testing, and distribution; and up to 10% of gross receipts for dispensaries, generating approximately \$15,000 annually initially for unrestricted general purposes, until ended by voters?	YES <input type="radio"/>
	NO <input type="radio"/>
K-18 To upgrade deteriorating streets and sidewalks; and address other general revenue purposes; shall a measure be adopted approving an ordinance establishing a one-half of one percent sales tax providing approximately \$4,750,000 annually for 6 years, requiring annual audits, quarterly reports to the public by a citizens oversight committee, and using all funds within Paso Robles only?	YES <input type="radio"/>
	NO <input type="radio"/>
N-18 If the voters approve a one-half of one-percent (.5%) limited-term general sales tax increase, shall the additional revenues be used primarily for the purpose of repairing and maintaining the City's streets and sidewalks?	YES <input type="radio"/>
	NO <input type="radio"/>

CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES
IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE H-18

State law requires all general law cities, like the City of El Paso de Robles, to have a City Clerk. The position may be appointive or elected. In Paso Robles, voters elect a City Clerk every four years. The term of the current City Clerk ends in 2020.

Pursuant to state law, there are three qualifications for the position of elected City Clerk: 1) the individual must be a resident of the City, 2) the individual must be registered to vote in the City, and 3) the individual must be at least 18 years old. As an elected position, there are no minimum educational requirements or professional qualifications.

The City of El Paso de Robles has placed a Measure on the ballot asking voters to decide whether this position should be appointive. This Measure asks the following question:

MEASURE H-18

Shall the Office of City Clerk be Appointive?	YES	
	NO	

If a majority of voters vote yes on the above Measure, then the office of City Clerk will become an appointive office. The individual who holds that office will no longer be elected by the City's voters. As an appointive office, the City Council would appoint a person to the position of City Clerk at the expiration of the term of the officer now in office, which will occur in November 2020, or upon a vacancy in that office. As an appointive office, the City Council may, by ordinance, vest in the City Manager its authority to appoint the City Clerk. Otherwise, the appointed City Clerk would hold office at the pleasure of the City Council. As an appointed officer, the City Clerk would not be required to be a City resident or elector but may be required to satisfy minimum educational or professional qualifications.

If this Measure is approved, the City could save on expenses associated with the office of City Clerk, including, but not limited to, election costs every four years.

If a majority of voters do not approve this Measure, the office of City Clerk will continue to be elected. The candidate with the most votes will be elected to the position of City Clerk for a four-year term.

s/ IRIS YANG
City Attorney

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE H-18 188

A "YES" vote on Measure H-18 ensures the selection of the City Clerk for the City of Paso Robles be based on qualifications and experience, not the results of a political campaign. The public deserves the duties of the City Clerk to be performed professionally and efficiently.

The current qualifications to serve as elected City Clerk require only that a candidate be of-age and a registered voter. There is no guarantee that an elected City Clerk will possess the necessary skills and expertise required; as a result, 85% of California cities now appoint their City Clerks. This ensure the selection of City Clerk be based on education, experience, and professional abilities. Further, Measure H-18 will save the City money by eliminating salary and benefits provided to an elected Clerk.

Historically, elected City Clerks perform narrow statutory duties. However, as cities have become more complex, the duties of the Clerk have become more technical. Clerk responsibilities require professional skills and expertise in Elections, the Political Reform Act, The Brown Act, Public Records Act, Records Retention, Conflict-of-Interest Regulations, the City's Municipal Code, and the ability to serve as the Clerk of the Council, while remaining neutral.

In past years, the San Luis Obispo County Grand Jury released a report addressing the question whether City Clerks should be elected or appointed. Their report stated that, "health benefits alone may be sufficient to attract unqualified persons to run for city clerk, leaving the work to city staff and costing the cities health benefits for persons performing no useful function."

Your "YES" vote will convert the Paso Robles City Clerk position to an appointed position and ensure the City's operations continue to be run efficiently by a qualified and trained individual. The City of Paso Robles' elected officials, City Clerk, and City management support Measure H-18 and urge you to vote "YES."

s/ Steve Martin, Mayor

s/ Steve Gregory, Mayor Pro-Tem

s/ Fred Strong, City Councilmember

s/ Dennis Fansler, City Clerk

NO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE H-18 WAS SUBMITTED

**CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES
IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE I-18**

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Measure I-18, if approved by a majority of the voters voting on the measure, will enact an Ordinance adding Chapter 3.22 to the El Paso de Robles Municipal Code. That chapter would impose a tax on cannabis businesses operating within the City. Measure I-18 is a tax measure only. It does not amend the City's existing cannabis business regulations or authorize new or additional types of cannabis businesses to operate in the City.

If approved, Measure I-18 would impose the following maximum tax rate on every person or entity engaged in operating or conducting a cannabis business within the City: a cultivation tax of up to twenty dollars (\$20.00) per square foot of space utilized in connection with the cultivation and processing of cannabis; a gross receipts tax of up to ten percent (10%) for all cannabis transportation; a gross receipts tax of up to fifteen percent (15%) for all cannabis manufacturing, testing, and distribution; and a gross receipts tax of up to ten percent (10%) for dispensaries. The term "cannabis business" means any business, organization or facility, regardless of form, whether operating for profit or not for profit, that cultivates, possesses, manufactures, distributes, processes, stores, laboratory tests, packages, labels, delivers, and/or sells cannabis and/or cannabis products, excluding personal cultivation of medical or adult use cannabis authorized by the Municipal Code and State law. The City Council may increase or decrease the applicable tax rates so long as they do not exceed the maximum rates listed above.

The City currently prohibits all commercial marijuana activity, with the limited exception of certain medical cannabis delivery services. If approved, Measure I-18 would impose a tax on those businesses currently operating in the City, as well as any other cannabis businesses that may be authorized by the City Council in the future, in the event the City Council amends the Municipal Code to permit or authorize new or additional cannabis businesses in the City. As noted above, Measure I-18 would not change or expand the number or types of cannabis businesses currently allowed in the City. If approved, Measure I-18 is anticipated to initially raise approximately \$15,000 annually.

The cannabis business tax would be a general tax on legally operating businesses, meaning that the revenue raised from the tax would go into the City's general fund and could be used for any legal governmental purpose, such as street maintenance, police, fire, emergency response, parks, and recreational programs.

The City Council adopted Resolution No. 18-094 on June 19, 2018 to approve the placement of Measure I-18 on the ballot. If approved, Measure I-18 will continue in effect until repealed by City Council or City voters.

A "yes" vote on Measure I-18 will approve the cannabis business tax identified above.

A "no" vote on Measure I-18 will not approve the cannabis business tax identified above.

s/ IRIS P. YANG
City Attorney

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure I-18. If you desire a copy of the ordinance or measure, please call the elections official's office at (805) 237-3888 and a copy will be mailed at no cost to you.

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE I-18 190

The passage of Proposition 64 legalized recreational cannabis in California and gave local governments the responsibility to provide oversight and regulations. Currently, the City of Paso Robles does not allow cannabis business activity other than deliveries to residences, but additional cannabis activities could someday be authorized. It is important to impose a reasonable and fair taxation of commercial cannabis businesses within the City, and protect local control.

Measure I-18 places a general tax on commercial cannabis businesses, which can protect the City in the event increased enforcement is needed. If approved, this would generate about \$15,000 per year; supporting street maintenance, police, fire, parks, recreation, and other programs. It does not amend the City's existing cannabis business regulations or authorize new or additional types of cannabis businesses.

The City's goals in regulating commercial cannabis businesses are to: reduce and eliminate the black market for cannabis; establish reasonable and comprehensive regulations that preserve the health and safety of our community; provide access to medical cannabis for those who benefit from its use; establish a new source of funding that benefits the community; and create a fair and reasonable tax structure that supports legally operated cannabis businesses.

Measure I-18 will be implemented with tightly regulated processes, which will necessarily impose additional costs on the City. All programs funded will be subject to oversight and review, and fully audited. Whether or not you support Proposition 64, it is important to ensure that legally operating cannabis business operations, such as cultivation and manufacturing, be fairly taxed. Measure I-18 is fiscally responsible, timely and prudent, and similar to a tax approved by the voters for the unincorporated areas of the County.

Your "YES" vote on Measure I-18 shows your support for protecting the values, quality of life, and health and wellness of the residents of the City of Paso Robles.

s/ Steven Martin, Mayor

s/ Steve Gregory, Mayor Pro-Tem

s/ Fred Strong, City Councilmember

s/ Matt McClish

NO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE I-18 WAS SUBMITTED

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IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE K-18

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Measure K, if approved by a majority of Paso Robles voters, will add Chapter 3.11 to the El Paso de Robles Municipal Code and establish a one-half of one percent (0.5%) sales tax within the city. The tax would be paid in addition to current sales taxes and would be collected at the same time and in the same manner as existing sales taxes.

Measure K would be a "general tax." Consequently, all revenue generated from the proposed sales tax would be available for use by the City to pay for general City operations and services, including the repair and maintenance of city streets and sidewalks, public safety and other city services. While the City would not be bound in any way to use the tax monies for any special purpose or for any particular facilities or programs, Measure K requires the establishment of a Citizens Oversight Committee to make recommendations to the City Council on the use of the funds generated by the tax established by Measure K and to ensure that the money is spent on what the people want. Since this ballot measure proposes a "general tax" rather than a "special purpose tax," it requires approval by a simple majority of the City's voters.

In addition, a companion advisory measure on the ballot asks voters if the additional revenues generated by Measure K, if it is approved, should be used primarily for the purpose of repairing and maintaining the City's streets and sidewalks. If approved, Measure K is anticipated to raise approximately \$4,750,000 annually.

The sales tax authorized by Measure K would terminate automatically on the sixth (6th) anniversary of its operative date, unless extended by the voters of the city. The measure was placed on the ballot by the City Council.

A "yes" vote on Measure K will authorize the one-half of one percent (0.5%) increase in sales tax.

A "no" vote on Measure K will not authorize the one-half of one percent (0.5%) increase in sales tax.

s/ IRIS P. YANG
City Attorney

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure K. If you desire a copy of the ordinance or measure, please call the City Clerk's office at (805) 237-3888 and a copy will be mailed at no cost to you.

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Vote yes on Measure K to increase funding for the maintenance and repair of streets, bridges, sidewalks, and other essential infrastructure in Paso Robles. Measure K will raise approximately \$4.75M per year. One-half percent is only 50¢ on every \$100 of taxable purchases. Approximately 40% of the proceeds will come from visitors.

The City has achieved much success in controlling costs by reducing positions, negotiating employee cost-sharing, and contracting with private companies when cost-effective. But our decades of underfunded infrastructure and public safety needs have caught up with us. The existing half-percent sales tax is helping get our roads into good shape; but it is not enough. Measure K, along with additional efficiencies and significant economic development efforts, will help bridge the long-standing gap in funding.

We know from multiple surveys and regular resident feedback that improving our streets, bridges, sidewalks, and public safety infrastructure is of great importance to residents. Measure K will help fund residents' priorities and help us maintain the quality of life we all want. Measure K will end in 6 years.

Measure K requires audits and citizen oversight, ensuring that the money is being spent on what the people want. It also requires quarterly reporting to all citizens. Measure K requires that all Measure K funding be used only in the City of Paso Robles, so it cannot be taken by the state or federal governments.

Please join community and business leaders in supporting YES on Measure K.

s/ Steve Martin, Mayor s/ Steve Gregory, Mayor Pro-Tem s/ Nick Gilman

s/ Larry Werner s/ Joel Peterson

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE K-18

The argument favoring Measure K-18 is a clever, even propagandized message supported by misleading phrases, platitudes and vague assertions. It provides neither key data or concrete information sufficient to justify a "Yes" vote. For example, what is the dollar amount of the "long-standing funding gap"? If the alleged "gap" hasn't closed under the existing sales tax, City officials must **not** be up to the serious task of controlling costs **or** cutting expenditures. **Taxing Citizens again** for City officials' poor planning and mismanagement of taxpayers' money is outrageously wrong. Assuming "visitors" might pay up to 40% of tax proceeds is unrealistic and won't solve a mismanagement problem.

Don't be fooled by the "Yes" argument. K-18 has been "packaged" upfront by well paid political consultants FM3, who along with the argument signers, will likely boast of their ability to overcome Citizens' resistance should the sales tax pass. Also, *surprisingly absent as signers* of the *Argument in Favor* are Paso Robles City Manager Tom Frutchey and 3 City Council members. If they're not signing the ballot argument, why should you vote "yes"?

K-18 is an estimated **\$28.5 million** carte blanche tax hike for City officials, has questionable legality as a "general tax," and **offers no needed funding benefit to our town's Citizens beyond the ½ cent sales tax now in effect.** Measure K-18 deserves defeat. **In support of Citizens seeking to actually preserve the quality of life in Paso Robles AND wanting better City governance & financial accountability, VOTE NO on Measure K-18.**

s/ Jim Reed, Paso Robles City Councilman s/ John Borst, Resident of Paso Robles

s/ John Texeira, Resident of Paso Robles s/ Chip Tamagni, Resident s/ Rachel Tamagni

Why VOTE NO on Measure K-18?

REASON 1: Measure K-18 would have Citizens believe they're voting on whether or not to approve a "general tax." To the contrary, it appears to be a "special tax" measure that requires 2/3 voter approval for adoption.

Under California State Law, Article XIII C Sec. 1(d), a special tax is "any tax imposed for specific purposes, including a tax imposed for specific purposes, which is placed into a general fund." The proposed Measure, using audits and reports, explicitly intends to serve specific purposes: "To upgrade deteriorating streets and sidewalks." Please **VOTE NO** to secure funds for these purposes and protect your right to a special tax vote.

REASON 2: The most current "Supplemental Sales Tax Revenue & Expense" report on the City's website when Measure K-18 was decided by City Council to appear on the ballot showed \$21.77 million collected for street upgrades, \$17.2 million in street expenses, and \$10.9 million committed-to-date. Assuming at least the same amount collected from Citizens over the next 6 years by the ½ cent sales tax adopted in 2012, future revenue (\$21.77+ million) certainly seems sufficient to finish work on planned City street & sidewalk upgrades. **CLEARLY**, by the numbers, **the proposed sales tax increase is UNNECESSARY at this time.**

REASON 3: Are you tired of the rising cost of your water bill? Do you oppose construction of thousands of new homes in Paso Robles, which according to Taussig & Associates adds 13,252 new residents? Do you oppose significantly more downtown traffic congestion should a now unfunded \$26 million conference center be built in the City? Or believe CalPers should be self-funding, rather than rely on taxpayers to fill the gap in underfunded City pension fund liabilities? **Then VOTE NO on Measure K-18!**

s/ Jim Reed, Paso Robles City Councilman s/ John Borst, Resident of Paso Robles
s/ John Texeira, Resident of Paso Robles s/ Charles "Chip" Tamagni s/ Rachel Tamagni

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE K-18

Special Tax vs. General. Measure K is a general tax measure; revenue generated will be available for use by the City to pay for general City operations and services. The companion advisory Measure N, however, advises current and future City Councils to use Measure K proceeds to maintain and repair streets, bridges, and sidewalks in Paso Robles. This same approach was used for the 2012 sales tax measure. Citizen oversight has proven full compliance with the voters' direction.

Funding. Measure K will raise approximately \$4.75M/year; one-half percent is only 50¢ on a \$100 purchase. Added to the existing proceeds from the 2012 measure, this will accelerate street repairs. Additional funding will still need to come from economic development and further cost-cutting measures.

Water rates. Water revenues must be used solely to provide water services; they cannot be used for other purposes.

Conference Center and CalPERS. The City supports the proposed Conference Center, but it is not a City project. The City has been aggressively paying down its CalPERS obligations and will continue to do so. Measure K revenues will not be used for these purposes.

If Measures K&N are approved, it will be a strong message to the City that voters want the funds used for "maintaining and repairing streets, bridges, and sidewalks in Paso Robles" and not to support other uses. The City Council has a track record of honoring those desires.

Please vote "yes" for Measure K!

s/ Nick Gilman, Architect s/ Fred Louis B. Strong, City Council Member
s/ Christian E. Iversen s/ Matt McClish s/ Thomas Frutchey, City Manager
PR-ZZ25-3

**CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES
MEASURE N-18**

MEASURE N-18: Advisory Measure On Use of Sales Tax Revenues If the voters approve a one-half of one-percent (.5%) limited-term general sales tax increase, shall the additional revenues be used primarily for the purpose of repairing and maintaining the City's streets and sidewalks?	YES	
	NO	

NO IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS FOR MEASURE N-18 WAS SUBMITTED.

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE N-18

This is the companion measure to Measure K which, if approved, will raise approximately \$4.75M per year. Approximately 40% of the proceeds will come from visitors.

By voting "Yes" on this companion measure, you are advising current and future City Councils to restrict the use of Measure K proceeds to maintaining and repairing streets, bridges, and sidewalks in Paso Robles.

In 2012, voters approved a half-percent sales tax measure and a similar advisory measure. The City Council responded by directing that all funds raised by the 2012 sales tax measure be used to improve City streets and roads. The City has made good on that promise and proved it through audits and quarterly Citizens Oversight Committee reports.

Measure K strengthens that promise by requiring the Citizens Oversight Committee to report to all residents quarterly. It also requires that all Measure K funding be used only in the City of Paso Robles, so that it cannot be taken by the state or federal governments.

By voting "Yes" on both measures, you can help ensure that all monies raised are used in Paso Robles for the residents' declared high-priority purposes.

Please join community and business leaders in supporting YES on Measure N.

s/ Steve Martin, Mayor

s/ Steve Gregory, Mayor Pro-Tem

s/ Nick Gilman

s/ Larry Werner

s/ Joel Peterson

NO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE N-18 WAS SUBMITTED

Sample Ballot

CITY					
CITY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO					
<p>F-18 Shall the measure to maintain and improve essential City services, including without limitation: police/fire services; senior, youth and park services; programs to retain/attract local jobs; addressing homelessness; and other general revenue purposes; by establishing a cannabis business tax up to 10% of gross receipts for retail and businesses and up to \$10.00 per canopy square foot for cultivation, raising approximately \$1,500,000 annually, until ended by voters, with all funds used locally, be adopted.</p>	<table border="1"><tr><td>YES</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr><tr><td>NO</td><td><input type="radio"/></td></tr></table>	YES	<input type="radio"/>	NO	<input type="radio"/>
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**CITY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO
IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE F-18**

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Measure F-18 is a cannabis business tax measure placed on the ballot by unanimous vote of the San Luis Obispo City Council. If approved by a majority of City voters, the Measure would enact a tax charged upon persons engaging in commercial cannabis cultivation, retail sales, and other cannabis business activities. Under current City law, all commercial cannabis activities are prohibited within the City, personal cultivation is limited, and there is no City tax specifically applicable to cannabis businesses. The proposed tax would apply only to cannabis businesses.

The City Council previously adopted Ordinance No. 1647 (2018 Series) to permit and regulate commercial cannabis businesses. However, that ordinance provides that no permits shall be issued, and no commercial cannabis business operations shall be allowed in the City, unless City voters approve a cannabis business tax.

This Measure provides that "The Cannabis Business Tax is a general tax enacted solely to raise revenue for general governmental purposes... ", meaning that all revenue from the tax can be used for any City projects, services or operations, without limitation. Revenues from the Measure would be deposited into the City's general fund with expenditures determined by the City Council.

Measure F-18 would approve an ordinance to be codified as Chapter 5.10 of the City's Municipal Code to define cannabis businesses and activities subject to the tax; establish administration, payment and compliance procedures; and impose the tax on commercial cultivation and cannabis business activities. The Measure would impose a tax not to exceed \$10 per square foot of plant canopy grown on commercial cannabis cultivation and not to exceed 10% of gross receipts on retail sales. Taxes would also be imposed on testing labs, manufacturing, processing and distribution businesses at maximum rates between 2.5% and 4% of gross receipts. Uncompensated personal cultivation consistent with State and City law would not be taxed. The Measure provides for a phased imposition of taxes on all cannabis businesses, establishing initial rates, beginning January 1, 2019, below the authorized maximum rates. The initial rate for commercial cultivation is fixed through January 1, 2021. After January 1, 2022, the maximum commercial cultivation tax rate will increase based on a specified Consumer Price Index. For all other cannabis business types, the City Council can, by resolution or ordinance, raise rates up to the specified maximums for the business type at any time after January 1, 2019. The Measure authorizes the Council to eliminate taxes or reduce tax rates at any time. The tax cannot be increased above the maximum amounts specified without additional voter approval.

A "yes" vote on Measure F-18 means the City will be authorized to impose and collect the tax and the City will begin permitting cannabis businesses that comply with State and City laws after January 1, 2019. A "no" vote means that the City will not be authorized to impose and collect the tax and the City will not permit or allow any cannabis business operations in the City.

J. Christine Dietrick,
City Attorney, City of San Luis Obispo

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure F-18. If you desire a copy of the measure, please call the elections official's office at 805-781-7100 and a copy will be mailed at no cost to you.

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF F-18

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With the passage of Proposition 64, which legalized adult-use cannabis, local governments were given the responsibility to provide oversight and regulate the legalization of cannabis business within their communities.

In the City of San Luis Obispo, Proposition 64 passed by 67%, indicating our community's support for bringing adult-use cannabis out of the shadows and into a regulated, safety-focused business for those who choose to participate. Establishing a tax on the cultivation, production and sale of cannabis is a common-sense component of any such regulation.

Earlier this year, after a robust public process, the City Council unanimously adopted an ordinance that allows the City to ensure public safety while overseeing this growing industry. To prioritize safety and visibility, the local ordinance will create buffer zones around schools, parks and residential neighborhoods, and establish limits on locations and size. The ordinance to legalize cannabis businesses will not take effect unless and until this tax proposal is approved by the voters of San Luis Obispo.

The tax is an important part of the City's ongoing commitment to fiscal responsibility. It was carefully crafted with input from stakeholders in public forums to find the right balance between generating the revenue needed while addressing certainty for this emerging industry. Funds collected will be directed toward priorities set by residents such as maintaining long-term financial health, supporting police and fire services, maintaining parks and open space, retaining local jobs, and addressing homelessness.

Measure F-18 will provide additional funding to support the quality of life for our residents and our city. Please join your entire City Council and vote YES on Measure F-18.

s/ Dan Rivoire, Council Member

s/ Andy Pease, Council Member

NO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE F-18 SUBMITTED

Sample Ballot

DISTRICT	
CAMBRIA COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE	
<p>C-18 To provide the best and most efficient emergency medical and paramedic ambulance transport services to the Cambria community by repairing, replacing, or upgrading its ambulance fleet and related equipment, and repairing, upgrading and improving its healthcare facilities, shall Cambria Community Healthcare District levy an annual tax of \$35.04 per parcel within the District, for six years, with cost of living adjustment, generating approximately \$236,800 annually, with no funds for salaries, and all funds benefiting the local community?</p>	
YES	<input type="radio"/>
NO	<input type="radio"/>

CAMBRIA COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT
FULL TEXT OF MEASURE C-18 199

TERMS

To provide the best and most efficient emergency medical and paramedic ambulance transport services to the Cambria community by repairing, replacing, or upgrading its ambulance fleet and related equipment, and repairing, upgrading and improving its healthcare facilities, shall Cambria Community Healthcare District levy an annual tax of \$35.04 per parcel within the District, for six years, with cost of living adjustment, generating approximately \$236,800 annually, with no funds for salaries, and all funds benefiting the local community, to:

- Maintain and enhance the District's facilities, including repair, upgrade, and improve its Medical Office;
- Repair, replace, and upgrade the District's fleet of ambulances;
- Repair, replace, and upgrade the District's medical equipment and other healthcare-related technology;
- Augment and improve technology and other capital facilities to support resources, assure continuous growth of innovative life-saving techniques and provide the community with access to the most advanced technology and resources;
- Provide Cambria residents with adequate life-saving emergency medical and paramedic ambulance transport services; and
- Secure long-term borrowing of the District for any of the capital expenditures described above.

A. Amount and Basis of Tax

The special tax shall be \$35.04 per year per Parcel of Taxable Real Property beginning on July 1, 2019. The term of the special tax shall be six (6) years, ending June 30, 2025. The District shall provide the San Luis Obispo County Tax Collector ("County Tax Collector") a report indicating the parcel number and amount of tax for each Parcel of Taxable Real Property.

After the first year of the special tax (tax year 2019-20), and beginning with tax year 2020-21 and for each tax year thereafter, the maximum amount of the special tax shall increase by the average percentage by which the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for All Urban Consumers in both the San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose Area and the Los Angeles-Riverside-Orange County Area, published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the United States Department of Labor, or any successor to those indices, increased in the twelve (12) months prior to March of the calendar year in which the adjustment is made.

This special tax is estimated to raise \$236,800, as adjusted by CPI, in annual local funding for the District. The amount of annual local funding raised by this special tax will vary from year-to-year due to changes in the number of parcels exempt from the levy.

To the extent allowed by law "Parcel of Taxable Real Property" shall be defined as:

- 1) Any unit of real property which lies wholly or partially within the boundaries of the District and that receives a separate tax bill for *ad valorem* property taxes from the County Tax Collector's Office.

- 2) All property that is otherwise exempt from or upon which ²⁰⁰are levied no *ad valorem* property taxes in any year shall not be considered a Parcel of Taxable Real Property for purposes of the special tax in such year.

If any portion of this definition is deemed contrary to law, the Board declares and the voters by approving the Measure concur, that every other section and part of this definition has independent value, and the Board and voters would have adopted each other section and part hereof regardless of every other section or part hereof. If all sections or parts of this definition are deemed contrary to law, "Parcel of Taxable Real Property" shall be defined as any real property in the District assigned a County Assessor's parcel number.

B. Claim / Exemption Procedures

With respect to all general property tax matters within its jurisdiction, the County Tax Collector or other appropriate County tax official shall make all final determinations of tax exemption or relief for any reason, and that decision shall be final and binding. With respect to matters specific to the levy of the special tax, including the exemptions, the application of the definition of "Parcel of Taxable Real Property" to any parcel(s) or any other disputed matter specific to the application of the special tax, the decisions of the District shall be final and binding.

The procedures described herein, and any additional procedures established by the Board shall be the exclusive claims procedure for claimants seeking an exemption, refund, reduction, or re-computation of the special tax. Whether any particular claim is to be resolved by the District or by the County shall be determined by the District, in coordination with the County as necessary.

C. Appropriations Limit

Pursuant to California Constitution and applicable laws, the appropriations limit for the District will be adjusted periodically by the aggregate sum collected by levy of this special tax.

D. Accountability Measures and Fiscal Impact

1. *Specific Purposes.* The proceeds of the special tax shall be applied only to the specific purposes identified above. The proceeds of the special tax shall be deposited into a fund, which shall be kept separate and apart from other funds of the District, pursuant to the Government Code.
2. *Annual Reports.* No later than December 31 of each year while the tax is in effect, the District's chief fiscal officer shall prepare and file with the Board a report detailing the amount of funds collected and expended, and the status of any project authorized to be funded by this measure. The report may relate to the calendar year, fiscal year, or other appropriate annual period, as said officer shall determine, and may be incorporated into or filed with the annual budget, audit, or other appropriate routine report to the Board.
3. *Tax Rate, Estimated Annual Collection Amount, and Duration of Tax.* Pursuant to California Elections Code section 13119 (i) the rate of the annual special tax is \$35.04 per parcel, subject to annual CPI adjustment; (ii) the estimated average amount of the special tax

expected to be collected in each year is expected to be \$236,800 per year; and (iii) the term of the collection of the special tax is six (6) years, ending June 30, 2025. The tax information estimates in this statement reflect the District's current determination of the number of taxable parcels, which is based on certain assumptions. The actual amount of money raised in each year the tax is levied may vary due to factors including, but not limited to, variations in the number of taxable parcels within the District and inflation.

E. Severability

The Board hereby declares, and the voters by approving this measure concur, that every section and part of this measure has independent value, and the Board and the voters would have adopted each provision hereof regardless of every other provision hereof. Upon approval of this measure by the voters, should any part of the measure or taxing formula be found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid for any reason, all remaining parts of the measure or taxing formula hereof shall remain in full force and effect to the fullest extent allowed by law.

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This measure has been placed on the ballot by the Board of Trustees (“the Board of Trustees”) of the Cambria Community Healthcare District (“District”) and will determine whether a special tax shall be approved to provide funding for emergency medical and paramedic ambulance services, related fleet and other equipment, and for the repair, upgrade, and improvement of District facilities.

Article XIII A of the California Constitution and Government Code section 50075 authorize the District to impose a special tax if approved by two-thirds of the qualified voters voting within the District. The Board of Trustees has determined that revenue raised from a previous special tax adopted in 2006 was insufficient to operate paramedic ambulance and other emergency medical services within the District, and that the District’s current funds are inadequate to provide funding to replace aging ambulances, other capital expenditure items, or to repair, maintain and upgrade District facilities. For this reason, the Board of Trustees is proposing the approval of a special tax, in the form of a parcel tax, to be levied annually on all parcels of taxable real property within the District. The measure defines “parcel of taxable real property” to mean any unit of real property, lying wholly or partially within the boundaries of the District that receives a separate tax bill for ad valorem property taxes collected by the County Tax Collector, but does not include real property that is otherwise exempt from ad valorem taxes or upon which no such tax is levied in the particular year that the proposed tax will be levied. The proceeds of the special tax may only be used for the specific purposes identified in the full text of the measure.

In accordance with Article XIII A, Section 4, of the California Constitution, the special tax authorized by this measure will be imposed only if two-thirds of the qualified voters voting on the measure approve it. If the measure is approved, commencing annually in 2019 and continuing until 2025, a special tax in the amount of \$35.04 per parcel shall be imposed, subject to an annual Consumer Price Index adjustment. The tax will be collected by the San Luis Obispo County Tax Collector at the same time, in the same manner, and will be subject to the same penalties, as ad valorem property taxes collected by the Tax Collector.

A “yes” vote on this measure is a vote in favor of approving a special tax for the purposes of providing funding for emergency medical and paramedic ambulance services, related fleet and other equipment, and for the repair, upgrade, and improvement of District facilities.

A “no” vote on this measure is a vote against approving a special tax for the purpose of providing funding for emergency medical and paramedic ambulance services, related fleet and other equipment, and for the repair, upgrade, and improvement of District facilities.

s/ RITA L. NEAL
County Counsel

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Voting **YES** on Measure C-18 means you will be supporting vital capital improvements by funding replacement of our aging ambulance fleet, emergency medical and communications equipment and the repair and upgrade of our Main Street facility. This parcel tax will sunset at the end of six years.

The Cambria Community Healthcare District serves the North Coast of San Luis Obispo County with Paramedic Ambulance services, emergency medical care and public education. Many of our ambulances have nearly 200,000 miles on them and are increasingly costly to maintain. Emergency life-saving equipment is outdated and needs to be replaced. Our Main Street building needs extensive repair and upgrades.

The funds raised by your **YES** vote on Measure C-18, will be used exclusively for replacing ambulances, replacing outdated emergency medical equipment, radio communications equipment, replacing computer and technology support of our Paramedic Ambulance services, and finally instituting essential repairs and upgrades to our Main Street building. This parcel tax will sunset at the end of six years.

We have made many changes to keep your District financially healthy. We have, however, also experienced a significant reduction in ambulance payments from patients we transport. This has drastically limited our ability to fund the capital improvements essential to our operation. Without these funds the District will be unable to offer the excellent quality and dependable service you have come to depend on.

s/ Jerry Wood

s/ Mary Anne Meyer

s/ Shirley Bianchi

s/ Bob Putney

ARGUMENTS AND REBUTTALS CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE C-18²⁰⁴

The majority of the Cambria Community Healthcare District (CCHD) directors have stated, "We have made many changes to keep your District financially healthy." In fact, they have done little to reduce spending.

Cambrians with backgrounds in healthcare, business and accounting have made some practical cost saving suggestions such as these:

- Stop providing an all-expense-paid Ford Expedition to a CCHD employee to use mainly for commuting to and from Paso Robles.
- Eliminate a non-essential administrative position and return to pre-2017 staffing levels.
- Eliminate monthly stipends for Trustees.
- Replace the current billing service with commercially available software, which will reduce the monthly cost of billing ambulance services.

What has the Board done to implement these ideas? **Nothing.**

The current Board has failed to control spending in other areas such as legal costs, which, in the latest fiscal year, are nearly *three times* the total of the year before.

As for the claim that a new tax is the only way to fund equipment needs, the proponents fail to mention Project Heartbeat, a nonprofit fund dedicated to this purpose. It was just tapped to purchase an ambulance for CCHD and currently has a balance of about \$142,000.

And once again, **not a dollar of the \$1.42 million that would be raised by this extra tax can be used to bring back the second night ambulance.**

Measure C-18 will not give the CCHD Board the fiscal discipline that it lacks.

Vote NO on C-18.

s/ Beverly S. Praver

s/ Bill Rice

s/ Ali Kramer

s/ Mark Kramer

s/ Brian Griffin

ARGUMENTS AND REBUTTALS CONTINUED ON NEXT PAGE

Proponents and opponents of the Measure C-18 parcel tax agree on at least one thing: The Cambria Community Healthcare District has a serious cash-flow problem and is fast running out of money.

But C-18 is not the solution. Here's why:

- The root of the CCHD's crisis is excessive administrative overhead and poor management of other operating costs. C-18 does **nothing** to deal with these problems.
- C-18 greatly exaggerates the CCHD's capital needs. In doing so, it sets the stage for wasteful spending on projects or equipment that the District can do without or can buy more cheaply. For instance, the \$1.42 million it would raise for capital spending includes \$500,000 to upgrade the District's Main Street medical building. There is no need to spend anything near that amount on this building, which is usable and just had a new roof installed.
- The need to replace ambulances is also grossly overstated. The District's two primary ambulances have several years of useful life ahead of them. And when the time comes to replace them (or the two back-up ambulances), the cost will not be \$200,000 each, as C-18 proponents claim. The most recently purchased ambulance, for instance, cost **just \$38,700**.
- C-18 will **not** restore the second nighttime ambulance.

There *is* a solution to the CCHD's fiscal crisis. The CCHD Board of Trustees has been presented with a detailed plan to bring expenses back into line with revenue *without adding a new tax*. But it has failed to enact most of the proposed cost-saving measures. The C-18 tax increase would throw money at low-priority or unneeded capital spending while the District's operating shortfall gets worse. This is like going out and buying a new car when you can't even pay the rent. We urge you to vote **No** on C-18.

s/ Beverly S. Prayer

s/ Bill Rice

s/ Ali Kramer

s/ Mark Kramer

s/ Brian Griffin

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE C-18²⁰⁶

Contrary to claims in the rebuttal of Measure C-18, the Cambria Community Healthcare District is not on the verge of bankruptcy. And, there is no operating shortfall projected for 2019.

Fact is, the district projects break-even operating cash flow by year-end because of cost reductions and savings the district has already achieved. That's why Measure C-18 focuses on capital expenditures only and specifically states that no C-18 funding will go toward salaries, benefits or stipends.

There is a sunset clause in this measure. The tax will not go on indefinitely. After six years, it will no longer be in effect.

What C-18 funding will cover are vital capital expenditures: replacing high mileage ambulances, updating ambulance equipment, modernization of the healthcare facility and other capital needs.

The cost-cutting plan touted by opponents was presented over a year ago. That plan included immediate firing of Administration staff without evaluating any actual savings. But, cutting staff requires labor contract negotiations. Cost: \$13,000. Hardly cost effective.

The rebuttal does not consider that ambulance operations are constantly scrutinized. Overtime has been drastically cut; the Operations Director has returned to paramedic duty and works operations around his call-outs. This produced a major reduction in wages and benefit expenses of \$113,000 between 2017-18.

The Cambria Community Healthcare District has made important changes to bring spending into line with revenue. Operating costs have already been reduced, but vital capital improvements are still needed. Measure C-18 will cover these needs for the benefit of the community. Vote **YES ON C-18**.

s/ Shirley Bianchi

s/ William C. Bianchi

s/ Susan L. McDonald

s/ Michael Calderwood

END OF ARGUMENTS FOR MEASURE C-18

Sample Ballot

SCHOOL	
ALLAN HANCOCK JOINT COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT	
Y-18 To upgrade educational facilities/provide 21st Century technology to affordably prepare local students for jobs/university transfer, update classrooms/labs for career training in public safety, design, computer graphics, theatrical arts; acquire, construct, repair classrooms, facilities, sites/equipment, shall this Allan Hancock Joint Community College District measure to issue \$75,000,000 in bonds, at legal rates/replace bonds authorized in 2006, levy 1.1 cents/\$100 assessed value, \$2,900,000 annually while bonds are outstanding be approved, with oversight, audits, no administrators' salaries?	
BONDS - YES	<input type="radio"/>
BONDS - NO	<input type="radio"/>

**IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS BY COUNTY COUNSEL
MEASURE Y2018
ALLAN HANCOCK JOINT COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT**

**TAX RATE STATEMENT BY
MEASURE Y2018
ALLAN HANCOCK JOINT COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT**

This measure was placed on the ballot by the Board of Trustees of the Allan Hancock Joint Community College District, which is the governing board of the District.

If approved by 55% of the voters voting on the proposition, this measure would authorize the District to issue and sell bonds of up to \$75,000,000 in aggregate principal amount, at legal rates, to provide financing for the specific college facilities projects listed in the District's Project List. The Project List, as well as the full text of the measure, are printed in the voter information guide. None of the proceeds from the sale of bonds may be used for teacher or administrator salaries or operating expenses.

The bonds and interest thereon would be payable from property taxes levied on taxable property in the District. These taxes would be in addition to the property taxes currently levied on taxpayers in the District; however, the measure, if approved, provides for cancellation of the District's remaining Measure I2006 bond authorization. The amount of the increased taxes each year would depend upon the amount needed to pay the principal and interest on the bonds. The District's estimate of the final fiscal year in which the tax is anticipated to be collected is 2049-2050.

The bond measure includes the following accountability requirements:

- A. A requirement that the proceeds from the bond sale be used only for the above purposes and not for any other purpose, including teacher and administrator salaries, and other college operating expenses.
- B. A list of the specific college facilities projects to be funded and certification that the college district board has evaluated safety, class size reduction and information technology needs in developing that list.
- C. A requirement that the college district board conduct an annual, independent performance audit to ensure that the funds have been spent only on the specific college facilities projects listed in the Project List.
- D. A requirement that the college district board conduct an annual, independent financial audit of the proceeds from the sale of the bonds until all of such proceeds have been spent for the college facilities projects listed in the Project List.
- E. If the measure is approved, the District Board of Trustees will also establish an independent citizens' oversight committee to ensure bond proceeds are used only to fund the specific projects listed in the Project List, as printed in the voter information guide.

/s/ Michael C. Ghizzoni
County Counsel
July 26, 2018

An election will be in the Allan Hancock Joint Community College District (the "District") on November 6, 2018, to authorize the sale of up to \$75,000,000 in bonds of the District to finance school facilities as described in the proposition. If the bonds are approved, the District expects to sell the bonds in multiple series. Principal and interest on the bonds will be payable from the process of tax levies made upon the taxable property in the District. The information regarding tax rates is provided to comply with Section 9401 of the Election Code of the State of California. This information is based upon the best estimates and projections presently available from official sources, upon experience within the District and other demonstrable factors.

Based upon the foregoing and projections of the assessed valuations of taxable property in the District, and assuming the entire debt service, including principal and interest on the bonds, will be paid through property taxation:

1. The best estimate from official sources of the average annual tax rate that would be required to be levied to fund that bond issue over the entire duration of the bond debt service, based on assessed valuations available at the time of the election or a projection based on experience within the same jurisdiction or other demonstrable factors is 1.1 cents/\$100 of assessed valuation (\$11/\$100,000) of all property to be taxed. The best estimate of the final fiscal year in which the tax is anticipated to be collected is 2049-2050.
2. The best estimate from official sources of the highest tax rate that would be required to be levied to fund that bond issue, and an estimate of the year in which that rate will apply, based on assessed valuations available at the time of the election or a projection based on experience within the same jurisdiction or other demonstrable factors is 1.1 cents/\$100 of assessed valuation (\$11/\$100,000) of all property to be taxed.
3. The best estimate from official sources of the total debt service, including the principal and interest, that would be required to be repaid if all the bonds are issued and sold is \$142,543,028.

The attention of all voters is directed to the fact that the foregoing information is based upon projections and estimates only. The actual tax rates and the years in which they will apply may vary from those presently estimated due to variations from these estimates in the timing of bond sales, the amount of bonds sold, and the market interest rates at the time of the sales, and the actual assessed valuations over the term of repayment of the bonds. The date of sale and the amount of bonds sold any given time will be determined by the District based on its need for construction funding as well as other factors. The actual interest rates at which the bonds will be sold will depend on bond market conditions at the time of sale. Actual assessed valuations at future dates will depend upon the amount and value of taxable property within the District as determined by the County Assessor in the County of Santa Barbara, County of San Luis Obispo, and County of Ventura in the annual assessment and the equalization process. Accordingly, the actual tax rate and the years in which such rates are applicable may vary from those presently estimated above.

/s/ Kevin G. Walthers, Ph.D., President/Superintendent, Allan Hancock
Joint Community College District
Dated: 6/21/18

**ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF
MEASURE Y2018
ALLAN HANCOCK JOINT COMMUNITY COLLEGE
DISTRICT**

**REBUTTAL TO THE ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF
MEASURE Y2018
ALLAN HANCOCK JOINT COMMUNITY COLLEGE
DISTRICT**

Vote YES on Measure Y for Allan Hancock College – a modern campus for a modern workforce.

Measure Y will allow Hancock to:

- o Build state-of-the-art classrooms
- o Expand technology-focused and career education training programs
- o Prepare students for high-demand and high-wage 21st-century careers
- o Strengthen job training in areas such as science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM), healthcare, agriculture, public safety, graphic design, and sports medicine. Measure Y will allow Hancock to continue fueling the community's economic engine by enhancing modern skills for the modern workforce.

Nearly half of the buildings on Hancock's Santa Maria campus were built more than 50 years ago. Thanks to a robust maintenance program, the buildings lasted well past their useful life. On the south end of the district, Measure Y supports expansion of career education and public safety programs in Lompoc and the Santa Ynez Valley.

Measure Y will allow Hancock to replace unsafe and obsolete buildings, labs and facilities to provide optimal learning environments for the most in-demand classes, such as sports medicine, law enforcement, graphic design, PCPA, and STEM programs.

Measure Y will also protect access to local, affordable higher education. With 17 years as the state's top transfer institution to Cal Poly, Hancock has a proven track record of preparing local students for four-year degrees and promising careers.

Measure Y allows Hancock to provide affordable, quality higher education for students and working families throughout our community.

Taxpayer accountability and transparency measures are built into Measure Y, including:

- o An Independent Citizens Oversight Committee;
- o All funds from the bond measure must be spent locally;
- o Annual Fiscal Audits; and
- o Not one penny of the bond can be used for administrator, staff or faculty salaries.

Please join us and your neighbors in supporting Measure Y for Allan Hancock College.

The undersigned author(s) of the Argument in Favor of ballot measure Y2018 at the Allan Hancock Joint Community College District for the general election to be held on November 6, 2018, hereby state that such argument is true and correct to the best of their knowledge and belief.

/s/ Kevin Walthers 7/30/18
 President, Allan Hancock College
 /s/ Jim Glines 7/30/18
 Businessman
 /s/ The Honorable Steve Lavagnino 7/31/18
 Santa Barbara County County Supervisor
 /s/ Ann Foxworthy Lewellan 7/30/18
 Retired, President, Allan Hancock College
 /s/ The Honorable Hilda Zacarias 7/30/18
 Trustee, Allan Hancock College

Let's talk law. Law says Measure I could tax you \$25 per \$100,000 maximum. Why is your tax rate \$23.50 with \$34,230,867.50 unissued? District spent like drunken sailors. It issued CABs (capital appreciation bonds, like those in Poway Unified scandal) THREE TIMES! Law prohibits it from issuing more bonds.

Constitution prohibits operating costs like "basic repairs," "fiscal reporting," facility master plan preparation."

NO ADMINISTRATOR SALARIES?

Constitution says no salaries. Statutes say no salaries. Resolution, question, measure, and argument say no salaries. Guess what lawyers sneaked in? Hint: "reimburse the District for the cost of District staff." Salaries will be paid. You can take that to the bank.

PENSIONS?

Shifting salaries and operating costs to bonds means more money for extravagant pensions.

OVERSIGHT?

Have you ever seen expenditure reports from Measure I? Good stewardship? It's all fake news.

FACTS

Lawyers and advisors made \$2,780,294 (payable by you, with interest) from facilities bonds issued since 2005.

It's a contract. Have you read the fine print? Besides District salaries, what else does it pay for? – "performing arts," "field lights," "press box," and on and on.

District's spent \$134,997,103 since 2006 from Measure I. Why are you buying Measure I promises again?

BOTTOM LINE

Can you trust District? When you're not looking, will District breach law, its promises, and your trust? Would you really agree to a written contract where promises weren't explicitly and unambiguously written into it? You're being deceived! Don't sign a blank check. Vote NO! Learn more: <http://bit.ly/NoAHCBond>

The undersigned author(s) of the Rebuttal to the Argument in Favor of ballot measure Y2018 at the Allan Hancock Joint Community College District for the general election to be held on November 6, 2018, hereby state that such argument is true and correct to the best of their knowledge and belief.

/s/ Dan Hilker 8/1/18
 Allan Hancock College Employee (Retired)
 /s/ Ross Ruth 8/1/18
 Allan Hancock College Part Time Faculty Member
 /s/ Todd M. Miller 8/9/18
 Parent of Allan Hancock College Student
 /s/ Byron Moles 8/10/18
 President Santa Maria Brewing Co
 /s/ Karen Moles 8/1/18
 Vice President Santa Maria Brewing Co

**ARGUMENT AGAINST
MEASURE Y2018**

**REBUTTAL TO THE ARGUMENT AGAINST
MEASURE Y2018**

ALLAN HANCOCK JOINT COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

ALLAN HANCOCK JOINT COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

What does "replace bonds authorized in 2006" mean? Where is it described? What is District hiding? Can you trust District?

As local citizens and volunteer committee members, we are disappointed by the inaccurate and intentionally deceptive language contained in the "against" argument. Allan Hancock College is the premier provider of affordable, quality education in our region and we have been honored to support the college with our own time and resources. Above all, Allan Hancock College has been a mindful steward of our resources.

That's enough for a big NO on Measure Y2018!

Has District actually delivered on its promises?

Why waste your money on vague, unenforceable promises?

Don't be deceived by District's campaign, funded by businesses that will likely benefit from bond money. (Isn't that called pay-to-play?) Beware of high-priced marketers masquerading as "parents, instructors, and community leaders."

It is without question that the college properly managed Measure I funds. This is reflected by our Citizen Oversight Committee and independent, external audits. College leadership refinanced existing bonds three times over the past five years, providing a savings of \$12 million to local taxpayers. All of the savings went to taxpayers - no additional funds accrued to the college.

Why Vote No on Measure Y2018?

- It's virtually, word-for-word, identical to every other bond measure written by lawyers and advisors who travel California tempting districts with a pot of gold - at handsome profits, of course.

Measure Y addresses core issues for our community and will create a modern, high-tech campus for our students.

- Did you hear about a list of projects? Why isn't there a list of SPECIFIC projects in Measure Y2018? Because it would restrict District to spend money ONLY on those things?

When you support Measure Y, you support a college that:

- is meeting its mission with record numbers of graduates;
- is financially sound with excellent reserves and fully funded pension liabilities; and,
- is properly managed, allocating more than \$5m each year for maintenance of our capital facilities.

- Were you surveyed? Did you get a campaign mailer from District? YOU PAID for it all. Is that fair? Using your money for campaign purposes?

- Would you purchase a home or car without knowing details? If Measure Y2018 passes, only guarantee is that you will pay estimated \$200,000,000 in taxes and District will spend the money. On what? District will decide after money's in the bank.

The Aspen institute continues to identify the college as one of the top schools, not just in California, but in the entire nation. A vote for Measure Y is a vote to continue providing high-quality degrees that lead to good jobs, transfer to four-year colleges and a better workforce for our community.

Proposition 39 permits a bare majority of voters (55%) to approve these bonds. "To ensure that BEFORE they vote, voters will be given a list of specific projects their bond money will be used for," it requires that Measure Y2018 be a "list of the specific school facilities projects to be funded." (Source: Proposition 39 ballot measure.)

The undersigned author(s) of the Rebuttal to the Argument Against ballot measure Y2018 at the general election for the Allan Hancock Joint Community College District to be held on November 6, 2018, hereby state that such argument is true and correct to the best of his/her/their knowledge and belief.

Measure Y2018's intentionally vague language gives District a BLANK CHECK with NO ACCOUNTABILITY.

Don't throw your money away on intentionally vague, unenforceable promises.

Want more evidence of District's deception? <http://bit.ly/NoAHCBond>

The undersigned author(s) of the Argument Against ballot measure Y2018 at the Allan Hancock Joint Community College District for the general election to be held on November 6, 2018, hereby state that such argument is true and correct to the best of his/her/their knowledge and belief.

/s/ Dan Hilker 7/29/18
Allan Hancock College Employee (Retired)

/s/ Ross Ruth 7/28/18
Allan Hancock College Part-Time Faculty Member

/s/ Todd Miller 7/27/18
Parent of Allan Hancock College Students

/s/ Byron Moles 7/27/18
President, Santa Maria Brewing Company

/s/ Karen Moles 7/27/18
Vice President, Santa Maria Brewing Company

/s/ Alice Patino 8/9/18
Mayor, City of Santa Maria

/s/ Inri Serrano 8/9/18
Student Trustee, Allan Hancock College

/s/ Judy Frost 8/9/18
Retired, Managing Director, PCPA/Allan Hancock College

/s/ Mario Juarez 8/9/18
Attorney at Law

/s/ Mark Evans 8/9/18
Businessman

**FULL TEXT
MEASURE Y2018
ALLAN HANCOCK JOINT COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT**

“To upgrade educational facilities/provide 21st Century technology to affordably prepare local students for jobs/university transfer, update classrooms/labs for career training in public safety, design, computer graphics, theatrical arts; acquire, construct, repair classrooms, facilities, sites/equipment, shall this Allan Hancock Joint Community College District measure to issue \$75,000,000 in bonds, at legal rates/replace bonds authorized in 2006, levy 1.1 cents/\$100 assessed value, \$2,900,000 annually while bonds are outstanding be approved, with oversight, audits, no administrators' salaries?”

Bonds - Yes

Bonds - No

PROJECTS

The Board of Trustees of the Allan Hancock Joint Community College District, to be responsive to the needs of its community, evaluated Allan Hancock College's urgent and critical facility needs and its capacity to provide local students with support and **job training** facilities, an **affordable education** and prepare them for success in **college** and **careers**. **Job training** facilities, safety issues, class size and offerings, and information and computer **technology** were each considered in developing the scope of projects to be funded, as such are outlined in the District's updated the 2014-2024 Facilities Master Plan dated July 22, 2014 and incorporated herein by reference in its entirety (the "Master Plan"), and available for review on the District's website. In developing the scope of projects, **basic repairs**, job training facilities, **campus safety**, and the expansion of opportunities for local students to receive an **affordable**, quality **education**, were **prioritized**. If these facility needs are not addressed now, the District's Colleges would be unable to remain competitive in preparing students for jobs in high demand industries and **university transfer**. The Board of Trustees determines that **Allan Hancock College MUST:**

- (i) **Maintain affordable education for local students and returning veterans;**
- (ii) **Provide 21st Century technology to meet job market needs;**
- (iii) **Upgrade or replace aging facilities that are more than 50-years old;**
- (iv) **Adhere to stringent FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY safeguards including:**
 - (a) **All expenditures will be subject to annual independent financial audits,**
 - (b) **No funds will be used for administrators' salaries and pensions,**
 - (c) **An independent citizens' oversight committee will be appointed to ensure that all funds are spent only as authorized.**

The following types of projects are authorized to be undertaken at the Santa Maria, Lompoc and Solvang campuses of Allan Hancock College:

**PROVIDE AN AFFORDABLE EDUCATION
FOR LOCAL STUDENTS**

**Basic Upgrade Projects Needed To Make Allan Hancock College
a Resource for Students Seeking a Career Change or Specialized Job Training**

Goal and Purpose: Because the U.C. and Cal State systems have become so expensive, we need to invest in necessary campus upgrades so that local students can obtain a high quality, affordable education and access to relevant job training.

- Update educational facilities and technology to prepare students for 21st Century jobs.
- Replace aging building and facilities.
- Upgrade college safety and security systems.

PROVIDE JOB TRAINING AND COLLEGE TRANSFER

Classroom Improvements To Help Students Transfer to Four-Year Universities or Be Trained For High Demand Jobs

Goal and Purpose: Allan Hancock College provides essential job training for students, veterans, and local residents to prepare them to become part of our local workforce. This measure will upgrade classrooms, facilities and technology, to expand access to training programs that help students learn new skills and find better paying jobs in jobs in business, public safety, firefighting, technical arts, hospitality and other high demand careers.

- Update or construct classrooms and technology to prepare students, veterans and workers for 21st century jobs and university transfers.
- Upgrade career technical (vocational), fine arts and physical education facilities in Santa Maria.
- Improve vocational training facilities and upgrade equipment for technical theater education programs in the Santa Ynez Valley.
- Provide facilities to prepare students to transfer to four-year colleges and universities.
- Improve, construct and expand public safety training complex in Lompoc.
- Improve vocational classrooms and labs for police and firefighting programs.

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The listed projects will be completed as needed. Each project is assumed to include its share of furniture, equipment, architectural, engineering, and similar planning costs, program/project management, a customary contingency, and costs associated with the Total Cost of Ownership of facilities and equipment. In addition to the listed projects stated above, authorized projects also include the acquisition of a variety of instructional, maintenance and operational equipment, including interim funding incurred to advance fund projects from payment of the costs of preparation of all facility planning, fiscal reporting, facility studies, assessment reviews, facility master plan preparation and updates, environmental studies (including environmental investigation, remediation and monitoring), design and construction documentation, and temporary housing of dislocated college activities caused by construction projects. In addition to the projects listed above, repair, renovation and construction projects may include, some or all of the following: replace or remove outdated buildings and classrooms and construct new classrooms and support buildings; install wiring and electrical systems to safely accommodate computers, technology and other electrical devices and needs; upgrade classrooms; build or upgrade facilities including indoor/ outdoor physical education facilities, upgrade and install interior and exterior lighting systems; replace water lines and valves and sewer lines; construct, upgrade, acquire or expand multi-use classrooms and labs, fine arts and visual and performing arts facilities, swing space, outdoor classrooms/ performance space, gyms, showers, lockers, field lights, bleachers, press box, and instructional buildings, and athletic fields; repair fire safety equipment, including alarms, smoke detectors, sprinklers, emergency lighting, and fire safety doors; improve inner city grid track, high speed track, demolition of unsafe facilities; install or upgrade new security systems, such as security (surveillance) cameras, burglar alarms, handrails, outdoor lighting, fencing, landscaping, gates, gateways and classroom door locks. The upgrading of technology infrastructure includes, but is not limited to, upgrading classroom technology, expanding wireless internet access throughout both college campuses, acquire portable interface devices, servers, switches, routers, modules, sound projection systems, information systems, printers, digital white boards, communication systems, audio/visual and telecommunications systems, call manager and network security/firewall, Internet connectivity, wireless systems, technology infrastructure, and other miscellaneous IT and instructional equipment, DATA storage, fiber/copper infrastructure, phones, identity access cards and the creation and funding of a technology endowment.

The allocation of bond proceeds may be affected by the final costs of each project. Some projects may be undertaken as joint use projects in cooperation with other local public or non-profit agencies. The budget for each project

is an estimate and may be affected by factors beyond the District's control. The final cost of each project will be determined as plans and construction documents are finalized, construction bids are received, construction contracts are awarded and projects are completed. Based on the final costs of each project, certain of the projects described above may be delayed or may not be completed. Demolition of existing facilities and reconstruction of facilities scheduled for repair and upgrade may occur, if the Board determines that such an approach would be more cost-effective in creating more enhanced and operationally efficient campuses. Necessary site preparation/restoration may occur in connection with new construction, renovation or remodeling, or installation or removal of relocatable classrooms, including ingress and egress, removing, replacing, or installing irrigation, utility lines, trees and landscaping, relocating fire access roads, and acquiring any necessary easements, licenses, or rights of way to the property. Proceeds of the bonds may be used to pay or reimburse the District for the cost of District staff when performing work on or necessary and incidental to bond projects. Bond proceeds shall only be expended for the specific purposes identified herein. The District shall create an account into which proceeds of the bonds shall be deposited and comply with the reporting requirements of Government Code § 53410.

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FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY

This bond measure has strict accountability requirements including:

1. All money will benefit Allan Hancock College campuses and CANNOT BE TAKEN BY THE STATE.
2. NO MONEY can be used for ADMINISTRATOR SALARIES or pensions.
3. Require TAXPAYER OVERSIGHT and yearly audits to ensure all funds are used locally, effectively and as promised.
4. NO ADMINISTRATOR SALARIES. Proceeds from the sale of the bonds authorized by this proposition shall be used only for the acquisition, construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation, or replacement of school facilities, including the furnishing and equipping of school facilities, and not for any other purpose, including teacher, faculty and college administrator salaries, pensions and other operating expenses.
5. CANCEL REMAINING MEASURE I Bond authorization if this measure is approved.
6. **FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY. THE EXPENDITURE OF BOND MONEY ON THESE PROJECTS IS SUBJECT TO STRINGENT FINANCIAL ACCOUNTABILITY REQUIREMENTS. BY LAW, PERFORMANCE AND FINANCIAL AUDITS WILL BE PERFORMED ANNUALLY, AND ALL BOND EXPENDITURES WILL BE MONITORED BY AN INDEPENDENT CITIZENS' OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE TO ENSURE THAT FUNDS ARE SPENT AS PROMISED AND SPECIFIED. THE CITIZENS' OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE MUST INCLUDE, AMONG OTHERS, REPRESENTATION OF A BONA FIDE TAXPAYERS ASSOCIATION, A BUSINESS ORGANIZATION AND A SENIOR CITIZENS ORGANIZATION. NO DISTRICT EMPLOYEES OR VENDORS ARE ALLOWED TO SERVE ON THE CITIZENS' OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.**