

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA LETTER

Agenda Number:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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Department Name: Clerk, Recorder and

Assessor

Department No.: 062

For Agenda Of: January 23, 2024
Placement: Administrative

Estimated Time: n/aContinued Item: NO

If Yes, date from:

Vote Required: Majority

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Department Michael T. Daly, Chief Deputy Registrar of Voters

Director(s)

Contact Info: Michael T. Daly (805) 696-8957

SUBJECT: March 5, 2024 Presidential Primary Election - Declaration of Election of

Certain Candidates Nominated to the Democratic and Republican County

Central Committees

County Counsel Concurrence

Auditor-Controller Concurrence

As to form: N/A

Other Concurrence: N/A

As to form: No

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Recommended Actions:

The Board of Supervisors shall consider the following:

- a) Pursuant to California Elections Code Sections 7228 and 7423, declare elected the candidates listed on "Attachment A," who have been nominated for election at the March 5, 2024 Presidential Primary Election to the Democratic and Republican County Central Committees; and
- b) Determine that the above action is not a project under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15378(b)(5), because it consists of organizational or administrative activities of governments that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment.

<u>Summary Text:</u> The recommended action to declare certain candidates elected is required by law, Elections Code Sections 7228 and 7423.

Background: On December 23, 2023, the number of candidates nominated for election to the Democratic and Republican County Central Committees from the 4th Supervisorial District did not exceed the number of candidates to be elected from that Supervisorial District for the March 5, 2024 Presidential Primary Election. Pursuant to California Elections Codes Sections 7228 and 7423, if the elections official, on the 73rd day prior to the presidential primary election, finds that the number of candidates nominated for election to a committee from a supervisorial district does not

exceed the number of candidates to be elected from that supervisorial district, the designation of the office and the names of the candidates shall not be printed on the party's ballot. In lieu thereof, the Board of Supervisors shall declare elected the candidates who have been nominated. All candidates listed on "Attachment A" have filed nomination documents and meet the qualifications necessary to be declared elected.

Performance Measure:

N/A

Contract Renewals and Performance Outcomes:

N/A

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

Budgeted: N/A

<u>Fiscal Analysis:</u> N/A Key Contract Risks:

N/A

Staffing Impacts: N/A **Special Instructions:**

Please send a copy of the minute order to the Elections Division, Attn: Andrea Luparello

Attachments:

Attachment A – List of Candidates to be Declared Elected to the Democratic and Republican County Central Committees

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cc: Joseph E. Holland, Michael Daly, Martin Cobos, and Andrea Luparello