



City of Buellton

June 13, 2014

Honorable Board of Supervisors
Clerk of the Board
Attn: Agenda Coordinator
105 E. Anapamu Street, Room 407
Santa Barbara, CA 93101

Dear Clerk of the Board:

Enclosed please find the original plus eight (8) copies of the following City of Buellton Resolutions pertaining to the November 4, 2014 General Municipal Election:

1. Resolution No. 14-01 – “A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Buellton, California, Calling and Giving Notice of the Holding of an Election to be Consolidated with the General Election to be Held on Tuesday, November 4, 2014 for the Purpose of Submitting a Measure to the Qualified Voters of Buellton Regarding an Elected Mayor of Buellton and the Term of Office for Such Mayor”
2. Resolution No. 14-14 – “A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Buellton, California, Calling and Giving Notice of the Holding of a General Municipal Election to be Held on Tuesday, November 4, 2014 for the Election of Certain Officers as Required by the Provisions of the Laws of the State of California Relating to General Law Cities”
3. Resolution No. 14-15 – “A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Buellton, California, Requesting the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara to Consolidate a General Municipal Election to be Held on Tuesday, November 4, 2014 with the General Election Pursuant to Section 10403 of the Elections Code”
4. Resolution No. 14-16 – “A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Buellton, California, Adopting Regulations for Candidates for Elective Office Pertaining to Candidate’s Statements, Materials Submitted to the Electorate, and the Cost Thereof, Submitted to the Voters at an Election to be Held on Tuesday, November 4, 2014”
5. Resolution No. 14-17 – “A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Buellton, California, Providing for the Filing of Rebuttal Arguments for City Measures Submitted at Municipal Elections”

The above Resolutions were adopted by the Buellton City Council on January 23, 2014 and June 13, 2014, respectively. Please place the enclosed Resolutions on your next Board of Supervisors meeting agenda scheduled for **July 1, 2014**.

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COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA
CLERK OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Honorable Board of Supervisors
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If you have any questions with regard to the enclosed documents, please contact me.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,
CITY OF BUELLTON

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Linda Reid". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Linda" written in a larger, more prominent script than the last name "Reid".

Linda Reid
City Clerk

Enclosures
c: Elections Office (via email)

RESOLUTION NO. 14-01

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BUELLTON, CALIFORNIA, CALLING AND GIVING NOTICE OF THE HOLDING OF AN ELECTION TO BE CONSOLIDATED WITH THE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2014 FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING A MEASURE TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF BUELLTON REGARDING AN ELECTED MAYOR OF BUELLTON AND THE TERM OF OFFICE FOR SUCH MAYOR

WHEREAS, pursuant to California Government Code Section 34900, a "...city council may submit to the electors the question of whether electors shall thereafter elect a mayor and four city council members, and whether the mayor shall serve a two-year or four-year term...."; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the City Council to place before the voters of the City of Buellton the question of an elected Mayor of the City of Buellton and the term of office for such Mayor; and

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the law relating to General Law cities in the State of California, a General Municipal Election shall be held on November 4, 2014; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Buellton as follows:

SECTION 1. That pursuant to the requirements of California Government Code Section 34901 and the laws of the State of California there is called and ordered to be held in the City of Buellton, California on Tuesday, November 4, 2014 an Election for the purpose of submitting to the voters a Measure containing the following questions:

Shall the voters of Buellton elect a Mayor and four City Council Members?	YES
	NO

Shall the term of office of the Mayor of Buellton be two years?	YES
	NO

Shall the term of office of the Mayor of Buellton be four years?	YES
	NO

SECTION 2. That the ballots to be used at the election shall be in form and content as required by law.

SECTION 3. The City Clerk is authorized, instructed and directed to procure and furnish any and all official ballots, notices, printed matter and all supplies, equipment and paraphernalia that may be necessary in order to properly and lawfully conduct the election. Pursuant to the requirements of Section 10403 of the Elections Code, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara is requested to place the Buellton Elected Mayor Measure on the ballot to be consolidated with the General Election scheduled for November 4, 2014.

SECTION 4. That the polls for the election shall be open at 7:00 a.m. of the day of the election and shall remain open continuously from that time until 8:00 p.m. of the same day when the polls shall be closed except as provided in the Elections Code of the State of California.

SECTION 5. That in all particulars not recited in this resolution, the election shall be held and conducted as provided by law for holding municipal elections.

SECTION 6. That notice of the time and place of holding the election is given and the City Clerk is authorized, instructed and directed to give further or additional notice of the election, in time, form and manner as required by law.

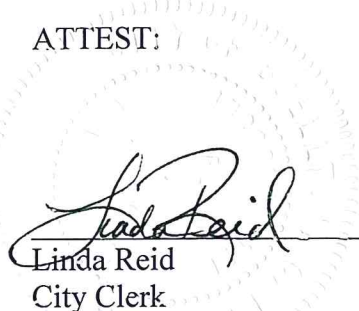
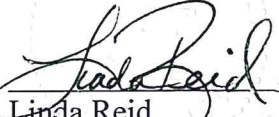
SECTION 7. The City Clerk shall certify the passage and adoption of this Resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this 23rd day of January, 2014.



 John Connolly,
 Mayor

ATTEST:

 Linda Reid
 City Clerk


I, Linda Reid, City Clerk of the City of Buellton, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 14-01 was duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Buellton at the regular meeting held on the 23rd day of January, 2014 by the following vote of the Council:

AYES: 3 Council Members Andrisek, Dale, Sierra

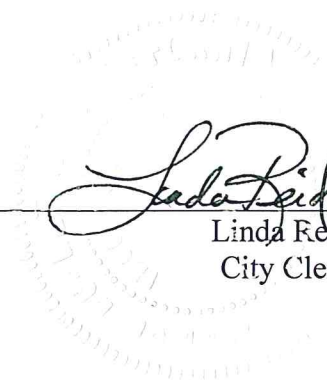
NOES: 2 Vice Mayor Elovitz and Mayor Connolly

ABSENT: 0

ABSTAIN: 0



Linda Reid
City Clerk



RESOLUTION NO. 14-14

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BUELLTON, CALIFORNIA, CALLING AND GIVING NOTICE OF THE HOLDING OF A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2014 FOR THE ELECTION OF CERTAIN OFFICERS AS REQUIRED BY THE PROVISIONS OF THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA RELATING TO GENERAL LAW CITIES

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the laws relating to General Law Cities in the State of California, a General Election shall be held on November 4, 2014 for the election of Municipal Officers; and

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE, AND REQUEST AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That pursuant to the requirements of the laws of the State of California relating to General Law Cities, there is called and ordered to be held in the City of Buellton, California, on Tuesday, November 4, 2014, a General Municipal Election for the purpose of electing **three** Members of the City Council for the full term of four years.

SECTION 2. That the ballots to be used at the election shall be in form and content as required by law.

SECTION 3. That the polls for the election shall be open at 7:00 a.m. of the day of the election and shall remain open continuously from that time until 8:00 p.m. of the same day when the polls shall be closed, except as provided in Section 14401 of the Elections Code of the State of California.

SECTION 4. That in all particulars not recited in this resolution, the election shall be held and conducted as provided by law for holding municipal elections.

SECTION 5. That notice of the time and place of holding the election is given and the City Clerk is authorized, instructed, and directed to give further or additional notice of the election, in time, form, and manner as required by law.

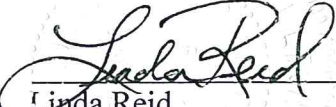
SECTION 6. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED this 12th day of June 2014.

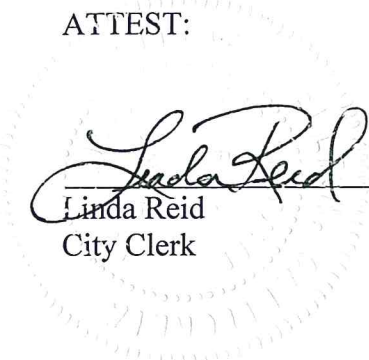


John Connolly
Mayor

ATTEST:



Linda Reid
City Clerk




I, Linda Reid, City Clerk of the City of Buellton, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 14-14 was duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Buellton at a regular meeting held on the 12th day of June 2014 by the following vote of the Council:

AYES: 5 Council Members Andrisek, Dale, Sierra, Vice Mayor Elovitz, and Mayor Connolly


NOES: 0

ABSENT: 0

ABSTAIN: 0



Linda Reid
City Clerk



RESOLUTION NO. 14-15

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BUELLTON, CALIFORNIA, REQUESTING THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA TO CONSOLIDATE A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2014 WITH THE GENERAL ELECTION PURSUANT TO SECTION 10403 OF THE ELECTIONS CODE

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the laws relating to General Law Cities in the State of California, a General Municipal Election shall be held on November 4, 2014 for the election of Municipal Officers.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE, AND REQUEST AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That pursuant to the requirements of Section 10403 of the Elections code, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara is hereby requested to consent and agree to the consolidation of a General Municipal Election with the Statewide General Election on Tuesday, November 4, 2014 for the purpose of electing **three** Members of the City Council.

SECTION 2. That pursuant to the requirements of the laws of the State of California relating to General Law Cities there is called and ordered to be held in the City of Buellton, California, on Tuesday, November 4, 2014, a General Municipal Election for the purposes of electing **three** Members of the City Council for the full term of four years.

SECTION 3. That the Board of Supervisors is requested to direct the County Elections Division to take any and all steps necessary for the conducting of the consolidated election.

SECTION 4. That the City Council recognizes that additional costs will be incurred by the County by reason of this consolidation and agrees pursuant to Section 10002 of the Elections Code to reimburse the County in full for the cost of services performed upon presentation of a bill.

SECTION 5. That the City will be providing the following services:

- (a) Notice of election will be published, in time, form and manner required by law.
- (b) Accept and process official candidate nomination papers, which include verification as to whether candidate statements and ballot designations meet all legal requirements.
- (c) Upon certification by the Elections Division, issue certificates of election.

- (d) Take any other action necessary that is not the responsibility of the County Elections Official.

SECTION 6. That the City Council recognizes that the County Elections Official will be providing the following services:

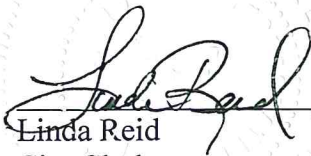
- (a) Verify nomination petitions as requested.
- (b) Designate polling places and provide supplies and equipment.
- (c) Appoint and train election officers.
- (d) Furnish any and all official ballots, sample ballots, notices, and printed material.
- (e) Provide and process absentee voter requests.
- (f) Provide polling places for the election, which shall be open at 7:00 a.m. of the day of the election and shall remain open continuously until 8:00 p.m. of the same day when the polls shall be closed, except as provided in Section 14401 of the Elections Code.
- (g) Ensure that the ballots used at the election are in the proper form and content required by law.
- (h) Count ballots and canvass the returns.
- (i) Declare results and certify election.
- (j) Take any other action necessary in order to properly and lawfully conduct the election.
- (k) Prepare and mail all invoices regarding election costs.

PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED this 12th day of June, 2014.



John Connolly
Mayor

ATTEST:


Linda Reid
City Clerk


I, Linda Reid, City Clerk of the City of Buellton, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 14-15 was duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Buellton at a regular meeting held on the 12th day of June 2014 by the following vote of the Council:

AYES: 5 Council Members Andrisek, Dale, Sierra, Vice Mayor Elovitz, and Mayor Connolly

NOES: 0

ABSENT: 0

ABSTAIN: 0



Linda Reid
Linda Reid
City Clerk

RESOLUTION NO. 14-16

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BUELLTON, CALIFORNIA, ADOPTING REGULATIONS FOR CANDIDATES FOR ELECTIVE OFFICE PERTAINING TO CANDIDATES' STATEMENTS, MATERIALS SUBMITTED TO THE ELECTORATE AND THE COST THEREOF, REGARDING AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2014

WHEREAS, Section 13307 of the Elections Code of the State of California provides that the governing body of any local agency adopt regulations pertaining to materials prepared by any candidate for a municipal election, including costs of the candidate's statement.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE, AND REQUEST AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That pursuant to Section 13307 of the Elections Code of the State of California, each candidate for elective office to be voted for at an election to be held in the City of Buellton on November 4, 2014 may prepare a candidate's statement on an appropriate form provided by the City Clerk. The statement may include the name, age, and occupation of the candidate and a brief description of no more than 200 words of the candidate's education and qualifications expressed by the candidate himself or herself. The statement shall not include party affiliation of the candidate, nor membership or activity in partisan political organizations. The statement shall be filed in the office of the City Clerk at the time the candidate's nomination papers are filed. The statement may be withdrawn, but not changed, during the period for filing nomination papers and until 5:00 p.m. of the next working day after the close of the nomination period.

SECTION 2. That the candidate shall be required to pay for the cost of printing the candidate's statement in English and any other language requested by the candidate.

SECTION 3. That the City Clerk shall provide each candidate or the candidate's representative a copy of this resolution at the time nominating petitions are issued.

SECTION 4. That all previous resolutions establishing council policy of payment for candidate's statements are repealed.

SECTION 5. That this resolution shall apply only to the election to be held on November 4, 2014 and shall then be repealed.

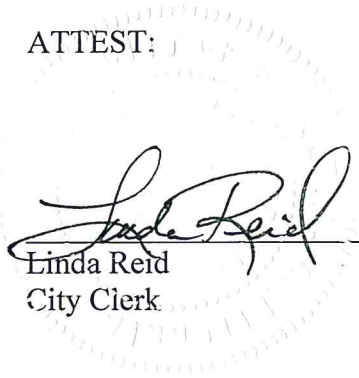

SECTION 6. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED this 12th day of June 2014.



John Connolly
Mayor

ATTEST:

Linda Reid
City Clerk


I, Linda Reid, City Clerk of the City of Buellton, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 14-16 was duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Buellton at a regular meeting held on the 12th day of June 2014 by the following vote of the Council:

AYES: 5 Council Members Andrisek, Dale, Sierra, Vice Mayor Elovitz, and Mayor Connolly

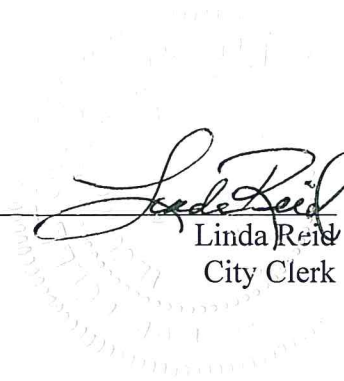
NOES: 0

ABSENT: 0

ABSTAIN: 0



Linda Reid
City Clerk



RESOLUTION NO. 14-17

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BUELLTON, CALIFORNIA, PROVIDING FOR THE FILING OF REBUTTAL ARGUMENTS FOR CITY MEASURES SUBMITTED AT MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

WHEREAS, § 9285 of the Elections Code of the State of California authorizes the City Council, by majority vote, to adopt provisions to provide for the filing of rebuttal arguments for city measures submitted at municipal elections;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE, AND REQUEST AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That pursuant to §9285 of the Elections Code of the State of California, when the elections official has selected the arguments for and against the measure which will be printed and distributed to the voters, the elections official shall send a copy of an argument in favor of the proposition to the authors of any argument against the measure and a copy of an argument against the measure to the authors of any argument in favor of the measure immediately upon receiving the arguments.

The author or a majority of the authors of an argument relating to a city measure may prepare and submit a rebuttal argument not exceeding 250 words or may authorize in writing any other person or persons to prepare, submit, or sign the rebuttal argument.

SECTION 2. That all previous resolutions providing for the filing of rebuttal arguments for city measures are repealed.

SECTION 3. That the provisions of Section 1 shall apply at the next municipal election scheduled for November 4, 2014 and at each municipal election after that time.

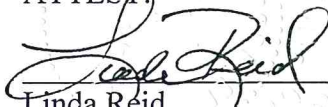
SECTION 4. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this resolution and enter it into the book of original resolutions.

PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED this 12th day of June 2014.



John Conolly
Mayor

ATTEST:



Linda Reid
City Clerk

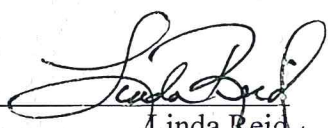
I, Linda Reid, City Clerk of the City of Buellton, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 14-17 was duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Buellton at a regular meeting held on the 12th day of June 2014 by the following vote of the Council:

AYES: 5 Council Members Andrisek, Dale, Sierra, Vice Mayor Elovitz, and Mayor Connolly

NOES: 0

ABSENT: 0

ABSTAIN: 0

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Linda Reid
City Clerk

