

RESOLUTION NO. 26-14

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 3, 2026

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 3, 2026, 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 The statement may be withdrawn, but not changed, during the period for filing nomination papers and until 5:00 p.m. of the next working day after the close of the nomination period.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.

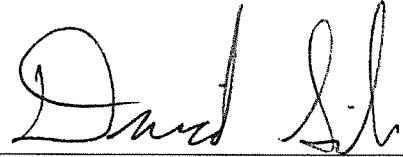
SECTION 3. That the City Clerk shall provide each candidate or the candidate's representative a copy of this resolution at the time nominating petitions are issued.

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 That all previous resolutions establishing council policy of payment for candidate's statements are repealed.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 That this resolution shall apply only to the election to be held on November 3, 2026, and shall then be repealed.

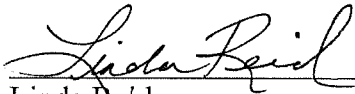
SECTION 6. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED this 28th day of May 2026.



David Silva
Mayor

ATTEST:



Linda Reid
City Clerk, Elections Official

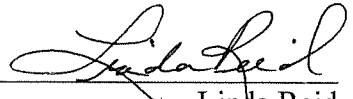
I, Linda Reid, City Clerk of the City of Buellton, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 26-14 was duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Buellton at a regular meeting held on the 28th day of May 2026 by the following vote of the Council:

AYES: 5 Council Members Hornick, Lewis and Sanchez, Vice Mayor Mead, and Mayor Silva

NOES: 0

ABSENT: 0

ABSTAIN: 0



Linda Reid
City Clerk, Elections Official