

CITY of CARPINTERIA, CALIFORNIA



July 21, 2021

Honorable Board of Supervisors
County of Santa Barbara
105 East Anapamu Street, Room 407
Santa Barbara, CA 93101

RE: Signature Verification Services for Proposed Initiative Measure

The Carpinteria City Council, at their regular meeting of June 28, 2021, adopted Resolution No. 6061 authorizing the engagement of Santa Barbara County Office of Elections/Registrar of Voters to assist the City Clerk in matters related to a proposed initiative measure.

The City of Carpinteria respectfully requests Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors' approval of a request to provide support services to the City Clerk regarding the City Clerk's duties under the Elections Code related to the proposed initiative petition, including a full check and examination of signatures and determination of the sufficiency/verification of signatures should the initiative proponents file signatures on a petition with the City.

Upon approval, we request confirmation by minute order. If you have any questions, please contact me at (805) 755-4446.

Sincerely,

Brian C. Barrett
Acting City Clerk

Enclosures

c: Santa Barbara County Elections Division (w/encl. Resolution No. 6061)

RESOLUTION NO. 6061

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF CARPINTERIA, CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING THE ENGAGEMENT
OF SANTA BARBARA COUNTY OFFICE OF ELECTIONS/REGISTRAR OF
VOTERS TO ASSIST THE CITY CLERK IN MATTERS RELATED TO A
PROPOSED INITIATIVE MEASURE**

WHEREAS, the City of Carpinteria ("City") received a Notice of Intent to Circulate Petition for a proposed initiative measure on June 4, 2021 which the City Clerk immediately transmitted to the City Attorney; and

WHEREAS, the City Attorney prepared an impartial ballot title and measure summary which the City Clerk submitted to the proponents on June 18, 2021; and

WHEREAS, the City finds it beneficial to begin working with Santa Barbara County Office of Elections/Registrar of Voters ("County Elections") as soon as possible in order to meet the processing deadlines required by law; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires the assistance of the County Elections in providing support services to the City Clerk regarding the City Clerk's duties under the Elections Code related to the proposed initiative petition, including a full check and examination of signatures and determination of the sufficiency/verification of signatures should the initiative proponents file signatures on a petition with the City; and

WHEREAS, the City shall reimburse the County of Santa Barbara for the cost of any services provided hereunder.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED as follows:

SECTION 1. The above recitals are true and correct.

SECTION 2. The City Council authorizes the City Manager, City Clerk, or their designees to enter into an agreement with the County of Santa Barbara Office of Elections/Registrar of Voters for the provision of election support services to the City Clerk in support of the City Clerk's duties under the Elections Code, including but not limited to those duties set forth in Elections Code Section 9211.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED on the 28th day of June, 2021, by the following vote:

