

## CITY OF LONG BEACH

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**ELECTIONS BUREAU** 

October 24, 2006

Elections Oversight Committee City of Long Beach California

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Recommendation that the Elections Oversight Committee: [a] receive the City Clerk's presentation regarding election cycle alternatives for the City of Long Beach; and [b] recommend to the City Council that the current even-year City of Long Beach Municipal Election April and June dates be retained.

## **DISCUSSION**

There are six alternatives for the staging City of Long Beach elections for City Council, the Long Beach Unified School District Board of Education and the Long Beach Community College District Board of Trustees. These are:

- 1. Retain the even-year April-June cycle;
- 2. Establish a even-year February-June cycle;
- 3. Establish a even-year June-November cycle;
- 4. Establish a even year/odd-year November-March cycle;
- 5. Establish a odd-year March-May election cycle.

The City Clerk's presentation to the Elections Oversight Committee will address the impacts of each of these election cycle alternatives.

## TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

None.

**FISCAL IMPACT** 

None.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

LARRY HERRERA CITY CLERK