



**MAYOR BOB FOSTER
CITY OF LONG BEACH**

August 14, 2012

MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL
City of Long Beach

RECOMMENDATION:

Recommendation to receive and confirm Mayor's designation of argument writers for City Measures submitted to voters for the General Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, November 6, 2012.

DISCUSSION:

Per Municipal Code section 1.24.020, I am submitting my designations for argument writers for the ballot measures listed below.

The original application deadline for argument writers was August 2, 2012 by 4:30 p.m. Due to a City Attorney's office error, there was an agreement between the City Attorney's office and the attorney representing both measures and the deadline was extended to the end of business day Tuesday, August 7, 2012 as a courtesy. Applications submitted by Reverend Gary Commins, Vice Mayor Robert Garcia, Councilmember Suja Lowenthal, Hilda Ortiz, and Steven Sarinana were received past the original deadline.

**MINIMUM WAGES AND MINIMUM SICK LEAVE PAYABLE
TO HOTEL WORKERS**

FOR

- **Gary Commins** (Episcopal Priest, St. Luke's Episcopal Church)
- **Suja Lowenthal** (Councilmember)
- **Hilda Ortiz** (Kress Market)
- **Steven Sarinana** (Trebor/Neve's)
- **Jerald Stinson** (Senior Minister, First Congregational Church of Long Beach)

AGAINST

- **Jane Netherton** (President/CEO, International City Bank)
- **Randy Gordon** (President/CEO, Long Beach Chamber of Commerce)
- **Jimmy Loizidos** (Owner, George's Greek Café)
- **Sandy Cajas** (President/CEO, Regional Hispanic Chamber of Commerce)

**AMEND THE LONG BEACH CITY CHARTER TO CHANGE THE DATES
OF THE PRIMARY AND GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS**

FOR

- **Al Austin** (Councilmember)
- **Kathay Feng** (Executive Director, California Common Cause)
- **Robert Garcia** (Councilmember)
- **Steven Neal** (Councilmember)

AGAINST

- **Laura Doud** (City Auditor)
- **Jeff Kellogg** (Long Beach City College Trustee)
- **Bob Foster** (Mayor)
- **Mary Stanton** (Long Beach Unified School District Board of Education Member)
- **Felton Williams** (Long Beach Unified School District Board of Education Member)

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,



Mayor Bob Foster
City of Long Beach

Dated: August 10, 2012



City of Long Beach Memorandum
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REQUEST TO ADD AGENDA ITEM

Date: *August 10, 2012*

To: Larry Herrera, City Clerk

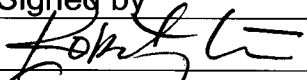
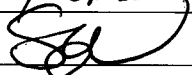
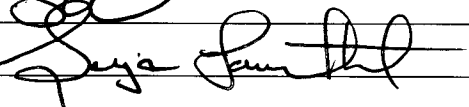
From: *Mayor Bob Foster*

Subject: Request to Add Agenda Item to Council Agenda of *August 14, 2012*

Pursuant to Municipal Code Section 2.03.070 [B], the City Councilmembers signing below request that the attached agenda item (due in the City Clerk Department by Friday, 12:00 Noon) be placed on the City Council agenda under New Business via the supplemental agenda.

The agenda title/recommendation for this item reads as follows:

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Council District	Authorizing Councilmember	Signed by
1	Garcia	
9	Steven Neal	
2	SUTA LOWENTHAL	

Attachment: Staff report dated Aug. 10, 2012