



CITY OF LONG BEACH

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November 10, 2015

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
City of Long Beach
California

RECOMMENDATION:

Recommendation to adopt the attached Resolutions relating to the City of Long Beach Primary Nominating Election to be held on April 12, 2016.

DISCUSSION

Pursuant to the City Charter, on April 12, 2016, the City of Long Beach electorate will vote on the following City offices: Members of the City Council for Districts 2, 4, 6, and 8. The nomination period for these offices is December 21, 2015 through January 15, 2016.

In addition, pursuant to the City Charter, the State Education Code, and the State Elections Code, the Board of Education of the Long Beach Unified School District (LBUSD) and the Board of Trustees of the Long Beach Community College District (LBCCD) have requested consolidation of their governing bodies' elections with the City's Primary Nominating Election on April 12, 2016. Accordingly, the Office of the City Clerk is prepared to conduct the LBUSD Board of Education Election in LBUSD Districts 2 and 4, and the LBCCD Board of Trustee Election in LBCCD Districts 2 and 4.

It is recommended that the City Council adopt the attached Resolutions relating to the City of Long Beach Primary Nominating Election to be held on April 12, 2016, titled as follows:

1. A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Long Beach, California, ordering, proclaiming, calling and giving notice of a Primary Nominating Election in the City of Long Beach, California, on Tuesday, the 12th day of April, 2016, for the nomination and/or election of candidates for four (4) offices on the City Council, commencing with the third Tuesday of July, 2016, and adopting provisions relating to the translations of and the charges for costs of candidate statements;
2. A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Long Beach, California, requesting the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles to render specified services to the City relating to the conduct of a Primary Nominating Election to be held on Tuesday, April 12, 2016, and if necessary a General Municipal Election to be held in the City on Tuesday, June 7, 2016.
3. A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Long Beach, California, consenting to requests from the Board of Education of the Long Beach Unified School District and the Board of Trustees of the Long Beach Community College District to consolidate Governing Board Member elections with the City of Long Beach Primary Nominating Election to be held on April 12, 2016.

FISCAL IMPACT

The FY 2016 Election Budget includes \$1,071,460 for the April Primary Election and \$900,661 for the June General Election. The actual costs for each election will depend on the number of registered voters and vote-by-mail participation rate involved in each election. Each of these cost components will ultimately drive the actual printing and postage costs.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Maria de la Luz Garcia".

MARIA DE LA LUZ GARCIA
CITY CLERK

Attachment

1 RESOLUTION NO.
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3 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
4 CITY OF LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA, REQUESTING THE
5 BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF LOS
6 ANGELES TO RENDER SPECIFIED SERVICES TO THE
7 CITY RELATING TO THE CONDUCT OF A PRIMARY
8 NOMINATING ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY,
9 APRIL 12, 2016, AND A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION
10 TO BE HELD IN THE CITY ON TUESDAY, JUNE 7, 2016
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12 WHEREAS, a Primary Nominating Election and a General Municipal
13 Election are to be held in the City of Long Beach, California on April 12, 2016, and June
14 7, 2016; and

15 WHEREAS, in the course of conduct of these elections, it will be necessary
16 to mail sample ballots and polling place information to the registered voters of the City,
17 and it will facilitate such mailing if the Registrar of Voters of the County of Los Angeles
18 will make available to the City the computer record of the names and addresses of all
19 eligible registered voters in order that labels may be printed for attaching to self-mailer
20 sample ballot booklets; and

21 WHEREAS, all necessary expenses in performing this service shall be paid
22 by the City of Long Beach;

23 NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach resolves as
24 follows:

25 Section 1. That pursuant to the provisions of Section 10002 of the
26 Elections Code of the State of California, the City Council requests the Board of
27 Supervisors of the County to permit the Registrar of Voters to prepare and furnish to the
28 City for use in conducting the above-mentioned elections the computer record of the

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1 names, signature images and addresses of all eligible registered voters in the City in
2 order that the City may print labels to be attached to self-mailer sample ballot booklets;
3 and make available to the City additional election equipment and assistance according to
4 state law.

5 Section 2. That the City shall reimburse the County for services
6 performed when the work is completed and upon presentation to the City of a properly
7 approved bill.

8 Section 3. That the City Clerk is hereby directed to forward without delay
9 to the Board of Supervisors and to the Registrar of Voters, each a certified copy of this
10 resolution.

11 Section 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption
12 by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

13 I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City
14 Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of _____, 2015
15 by the following vote:

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17 Ayes: Councilmembers: _____
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21 Noes: Councilmembers: _____
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23 Absent: Councilmembers: _____
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City Clerk

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