



# CITY OF LONG BEACH

# R-24

DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY CLERK

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ELECTIONS BUREAU

October 9, 2007

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
City of Long Beach  
California

## RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt the following resolutions:

1. A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Long Beach Requesting the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles to Authorize and Order the Consolidation of a Citywide Special Municipal Election with the Statewide Presidential Primary Election to be Held February 5, 2008, and Determining and Declaring that the City Will Pay to the County Reasonable and Actual Expenses Incurred by the County on Account of the Consolidation of this Election.
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 Special Municipal Election to be Held on Tuesday, February 5, 2008.
3. A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Long Beach Ordering, Calling and Providing for and Giving Notice of a Special Municipal Election to be Held in the City of Long Beach on Tuesday, the 5<sup>th</sup> Day of February, 2008, for the Purpose of Submitting Two Ballot Propositions to a Vote of the Qualified Electors of the City.

## DISCUSSION

On January 2, 2007, a motion was made by Councilmember Reyes Uranga, and seconded by Vice Mayor Lowenthal, to approve the recommendation to request the City Attorney to prepare a resolution placing the question of the re-adoption of Ordinance No. ORD-06-0040 regarding Superstores, on the ballot for June 3, 2008.

On March 20, 2007, a motion was made by Councilmember Reyes Uranga, and seconded by Councilmember Lowenthal, to request the City Attorney to prepare a resolution placing the question of the re-adoption of ORD No. ORD-07-0006 regarding the Labor Peace on the ballot for the election of February 5, 2008.

Pursuant to City Charter Section 2000, the foregoing measures must be placed on the next Statewide Election. Under the provisions of SB 113 signed by the Governor on March 15, 2007, the next statewide election is scheduled for February 5, 2008.

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TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

The last day to request consolidation with the Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/ County Clerk (RRCC) to place an item on the February 5, 2008 ballot is Friday, November 9, 2007.

Per Long Beach Municipal Code Section 1.24.020, it is suggested that requests to write arguments for these propositions be submitted to Mayor Foster no later than Friday, November 2, 2007, and the list of argument writers be submitted to City Council for approval on Tuesday, November 6, 2007.

FISCAL IMPACT

The RRCC has estimated that it will cost \$510,000 to consolidate these issues on the February 5 ballot (see attached cost estimate). Appropriations for this election are contained in the FY 2007/2008 City Clerk budget.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Larry Herrera p.s.B." The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

LARRY HERRERA  
CITY CLERK

Attachments:

RRCC -- April 24, 2007 Estimated Cost for February 5, 2008 Primary Election



COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES  
**REGISTRAR-RECORDER/COUNTY CLERK**  
12400 IMPERIAL HWY. – P.O. BOX 1024, NORWALK, CALIFORNIA 90651-1024

**Conny B. McCormack**  
Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk

April 24, 2007

Larry Herrera, City Clerk  
City of Long Beach  
333 West Ocean Blvd. Plaza Level  
Long Beach, CA 90802

**ESTIMATED COST FOR FEBRUARY 5, 2008 PRIMARY ELECTION**

Dear Mr. Herrera:

The estimated cost for your agency to consolidate with the February 5, 2008 Primary Election:

| <u>Type of Election</u> | <u>Sharing with Other Agencies</u> | <u>Additional Measure</u> |
|-------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1 Measure               | \$490,000                          | \$20,000                  |
| 2 Measures              | \$510,000                          |                           |

This estimate is based on the estimated voter registration, voting precincts, and the number of jurisdictions sharing prorated costs with your agency at this time. **A change in any of these factors will have an impact on final costs.**

If you have any questions or need additional information, please call Tammi Dao of my staff at (562) 462-2690.

Sincerely,

Conny B. McCormack  
Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk

Kathleen Connors, Assistant  
Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk, Administration

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RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH REQUESTING THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES TO AUTHORIZE AND ORDER THE CONSOLIDATION OF A CITYWIDE SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION WITH THE STATEWIDE PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION TO BE HELD FEBRUARY 5, 2008, AND DETERMINING AND DECLARING THAT THE CITY WILL PAY TO THE COUNTY REASONABLE AND ACTUAL EXPENSES INCURRED BY THE COUNTY ON ACCOUNT OF THE CONSOLIDATION OF THIS ELECTION

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Long Beach has called a Special Municipal Election to be held on February 5, 2008; and

WHEREAS, it is desirable that this Special Municipal Election be consolidated with the statewide Presidential Primary Election to be held on the same date and that the precincts, polling places and election officers for all the elections be the same within the City and that the Board of Supervisors canvass the returns of this Special Municipal Election and that the statewide Presidential Primary Election and the Special Municipal Election be held in all respects as if there were only one election;

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach does resolve, determine and order as follows:

Section 1. That the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles is requested to authorize and order the consolidation of the Special Municipal Election with the statewide Presidential Primary Election to be held in the State of California on

1 February 5, 2008, according to the provisions of the Elections Code of the State of  
2 California; and the Board of Supervisors is authorized and further requested by the City  
3 Council to canvass the returns of the Special Municipal Election or to cause the returns to  
4 be canvassed by the Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk, all as prescribed in the Elections  
5 Code.

6 Section 2. The City Council determines and declares that the City will  
7 pay to the County the reasonable and actual expenses incurred by the County by the  
8 consolidation of the Special Municipal Election with the statewide Presidential Primary  
9 Election. The City Manager of the City of Long Beach is authorized and directed to pay  
10 for the expenses incurred after receiving a statement from the County of Los Angeles.

11 Section 3. That the City Clerk is authorized and directed to transmit a  
12 certified copy of this resolution to the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles  
13 and the Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk , along with a copy of the resolution calling the  
14 Special Municipal Election.

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

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18 I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City  
19 Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of \_\_\_\_\_, 2007, by

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OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY  
ROBERT E. SHANNON, City Attorney  
333 West Ocean Boulevard, 11th Floor  
Long Beach, CA 90802-4664

1 the following vote:

2 Ayes: Councilmembers:

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6 Noes: Councilmembers:

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8 Absent: Councilmembers:

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