

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PASADENA, CALIFORNIA, SETTING PRIORITIES FOR THE FILING OF WRITTEN ARGUMENTS RELATED TO A CITY BALLOT MEASURE TO IMPLEMENT A LOCAL ¾ CENT SALES TAX, AN ADVISORY BALLOT MEASURE RELATED TO THE SUPPORT OF PASADENA PUBLIC SCHOOLS, AND DIRECTING THE CITY ATTORNEY TO PREPARE AN IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF EACH MEASURE**

**WHEREAS**, a General Municipal Election is to be held in the City of Pasadena, to be consolidated with the Statewide General Election to be held on Tuesday, November 6, 2018, at which there will be submitted to the voters of said City a local sales tax ballot measure in substantially the following form:

<b>Pasadena Infrastructure/Community Essential Services Protection Measure</b> Shall an ordinance be adopted to maintain essential City of Pasadena services such as fire, police, paramedics, emergency service/response times; keep fire stations open; improve neighborhood and school safety; repair streets/sidewalks; address homelessness; maintain after-school programs/senior services, and other general fund services, by establishing a ¾¢ sales tax providing approximately \$21,000,000 annually until ended by voters; requiring audits and all funds locally controlled?	<b>YES</b>	
	<b>NO</b>	

**WHEREAS**, at said election, there will also be submitted to the voters of said City a non-binding advisory ballot measure in substantially the following form:

<b>ADVISORY VOTE ONLY:</b> If Pasadena voters approve a local sales tax measure, should the City use 2/3rds of the measure’s annual revenue to maintain essential City of Pasadena services such as fire, police, paramedics, emergency service/response times; keep fire stations open; improve neighborhood and school safety; repair streets/sidewalks; address homelessness; maintain after-school programs/senior services; with the remaining 1/3rd of the measure’s revenue going to support Pasadena public schools?	<b>YES</b>	
	<b>NO</b>	

**NOW, THEREFORE,** the City Council of the City of Pasadena does resolve, declare, determine, and order as follows:

**SECTION 1.** The City Council hereby authorizes the following member(s) of its body to file written arguments related to the City's local sales tax measure:

\_\_\_\_\_ In Favor or \_\_\_\_\_ Against  
\_\_\_\_\_ In Favor or \_\_\_\_\_ Against

not exceeding 300 words in accordance with the Elections Code of the State of California, Article 4, Chapter 3, Division 9, Sections 9280 et seq., and may be changed until and including the date fixed by the City Clerk, August 14, 2018, after which no arguments for or against the measure may be submitted to the City Clerk.

**SECTION 2.** The City Council hereby authorizes the following member(s) of its body to file written arguments related to the City's advisory ballot measure:

\_\_\_\_\_ In Favor or \_\_\_\_\_ Against  
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not exceeding 300 words in accordance with the Elections Code of the State of California, Article 4, Chapter 3, Division 9, Sections 9280 et seq., and may be changed until and including the date fixed by the City Clerk, August 14, 2018, after which no arguments for or against the measure may be submitted to the City Clerk.

**SECTION 3.** The City Council hereby directs the City Clerk to transmit a copy of the measure to the City Attorney. The City Attorney shall cause to be prepared an impartial analysis of each measure showing the effect of each measure on the existing law and the operation of each measure. The impartial analyses shall be filed by the date set by the City Clerk for the filing of primary arguments, August 14, 2018.

Adopted at the regular meeting of the City Council on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of July, 2018, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mark Jomsky, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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Theresa Fuentes  
Assistant City Attorney