

**MEASURE TO BE VOTED ON AND NOTICE OF DATE FIXED FOR SUBMITTING ARGUMENTS ON THE COUNTY OF FRESNO CHARTER AMENDMENT**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all qualified electors in the County of Fresno, California that on Tuesday, November 8, 2016, there will be submitted to the voters the following measure:

Shall the Fresno County Charter be amended as follows: Amend section 16 to remove the Director of Public Works as county surveyor and authorizing Director of Public Works to appoint a county surveyor; Amend sections 14 and 16 to change the Public Administrator from an elected position to one appointed by the County Administrative Officer; Amend section 12(h) regarding a local preference for Fresno County goods, services and supplies; and Repeal section 32 obsolete language?

Yes\_\_\_\_\_

No\_\_\_\_\_

Arguments for or against the measure may be submitted to the Fresno County Clerk/Elections, 2221 Kern St., Fresno, CA 93721, no later than Wednesday, August 17, 2016. Paper copies of arguments must be submitted with original signatures, as well as on CD in MS Word format. No argument shall exceed 300 words in length. Arguments may be submitted by the legislative body, or any member or members of the legislative body authorized by that body, or any individual voter who is eligible to vote on the measure, or bona fide association of citizens, or any combination of voters and associations. No more than five signatures shall appear with any argument submitted. If an argument is signed by more than five persons, the names of only the first five persons signing, determined by the order in which their signatures appear, shall be printed with the argument.

Only one argument for and one argument against each measure will be selected for printing and distribution to the voters. Preference and priority in selection will be given in the order named: (1) The legislative body, or member or members of the legislative body authorized by that body; (2) The individual voter or bona fide association of citizens, or combination of voters and associations, who are the bona fide sponsors or proponents of the measure; (3) Bona fide associations of citizens; (4) Individual voters who are eligible to vote on the measure. Any argument submitted shall not be changed after August 17, 2016.

ALL ARGUMENTS submitted shall be verified in substantially the following form:

**VERIFICATION**

The undersigned author(s) of the \_\_\_\_\_(primary/rebuttal) argument\_\_\_\_\_ (in favor of/against) ballot proposition (name or number) at the \_\_\_\_\_(title of election) election for the \_\_\_\_\_(jurisdiction) to be held on \_\_\_\_\_(date) hereby state that this argument is true and correct to the best of \_\_\_\_\_(his/her/their) knowledge and belief.

Signed\_\_\_\_\_

Date\_\_\_\_\_

Signed\_\_\_\_\_

Date\_\_\_\_\_

Dated: August 8, 2016

Brandi L. Orth  
County Clerk/Registrar of Voters

By  
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Quienes deseen obtener la version espanola de este aviso legal pueden solicitar una copia de la misma Llamando al Departamento de Elecciones, (559) 600-8683.