RESOLUTION NO. R18-07

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PALOS VERDES ESTATES, CALIFORNIA, SETTING PRIORITIES FOR FILING (A) WRITTEN ARGUMENT(S) REGARDING A CITY MEASURE AND DIRECTING THE CITY ATTORNEY TO PREPARE AN IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS.

WHEREAS, a Special Municipal Election is to be held in the City of Palos Verdes Estates, California, on April 10, 2018, at which there will be submitted to the voters the following measure:

"To fund the Palos Verdes Estates Police Department, shall an ordinance be adopted approving an annual parcel tax of \$342 plus 20¢ per square foot of building improvements, generating approximately \$5 million annually for 9 years and requiring a Citizens Financial Oversight Committee and annual financial audits?"

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PALOS VERDES ESTATES, CALIFORNIA, DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That the City Council authorizes any or all members of the City Council to file (a) written argument(s) In Favor of City measure(s) not exceeding 300 words, accompanied by the printed name(s) and signature(s) of the author(s) submitting it, in accordance with Article 4, Chapter 3, Division 9 of the Elections Code of the State of California. The arguments may be changed or withdrawn until and including the date fixed by the City Clerk (January 24, 2018) after which no arguments for or against the City measure may be submitted to the City Clerk.

The arguments shall be filed with the City Clerk, signed, with the printed name(s) and signature(s) of the author(s) submitting it, or if submitted on behalf of an organization, the name of the organization, and the printed name and signature of at least one of its principal officers who is the author of the argument. The arguments shall be accompanied by the Form of Statement To Be Filed By Author(s) of Argument supplied by the City Clerk.

SECTION 2. That the City Council directs the City Clerk to transmit a copy of the measure to the City Attorney.

- a. The City Attorney shall prepare an impartial analysis of the measure not exceeding 500 words showing the effect of the measure on the existing law and the operation of the measure
- b. The analysis shall include a statement indicating that the measure was placed on the ballot by the governing body of the City.
- c. The impartial analysis shall be filed by the date set by the City Clerk (January 24, 2018) for the filing of primary arguments.

SECTION 3. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this resolution and enter it into the book of original resolutions.

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PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED ON JANUARY 10th, 2018.

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ANDEVER, Mayor

ATTEST:

LAUREN PETTIT, Deputy City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

CHRISTI HOGIN, City Attorney

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)	
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES)) SS)
CITY OF PALOS VERDES ESTATES)	

I, Lauren Pettit, Deputy City Clerk for the City of Palos Verdes Estates, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution **R18-07** was duly and regularly approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of Palos Verdes Estates at its regular meeting of the City Council on the 10th day of January, 2018, by the following vote:

AYES:

COUNCILMEMBERS:

Vandever, Peterson, King, Davidson, Kao

NOES:

COUNCILMEMBERS:

None

ABSENT:

COUNCILMEMBERS:

None

RECUSED:

COUNCILMEMBER:

None

Lauren Pettit, Deputy City Clerk