

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE

DATE: JULY 5, 2022

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL

FROM: MARCIA BROWN, CMC, CITY CLERK

SUBJECT: CITY OF YORBA LINDA GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD

NOVEMBER 8, 2022

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the City Council adopt the following Resolutions:

- 1.) Resolution No. 2022-5812, calling and giving notice of the holding of a General Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2022, for the Election of certain officers as required by the provisions of the laws of the state of California relating to General Law cities.
- 2.) Resolution No. 2022-5813, requesting the Board of Supervisors of the County of Orange to Consolidate a General Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2022, with the statewide General Election to be held on the date pursuant to Section 10403 of the Elections Code.
- 3.) Resolution No. 2022-5814, adopting regulations for candidates for elective office pertaining to candidate statements submitted to the voters at an election to be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2022.

BACKGROUND

As a general law city, the City of Yorba Linda holds municipal elections in even numbered years. They are conducted in accordance with the California Elections Code.

In an effort to conserve funds, the State Legislature authorized cities and districts to consolidate their elections with counties. The City of Yorba Linda has elected to consolidate City of Yorba Linda General Municipal Elections with the County of Orange Statewide General Elections held in November of even numbered years.

ANALYSIS

A person is eligible to seek office as a Councilmember if he or she resides within the boundaries of the City of Yorba Linda and is a registered voter of the City at the time nomination papers are issued.

The candidate filing period for the November 2022 election will open on Monday, July 18, 2022 and close on Friday, August 12, 2022. If an incumbent, eligible for reelection, does not

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file nomination papers by this deadline, the filing period is extended five calendar days, until Wednesday, August 17, 2022. Incumbents may not file during the extension period.

It is optional for each candidate to submit a Candidate's Statement. If the candidate chooses to have a statement included in the Sample Ballot, the resolution stipulates that the candidate pay for the costs involved at the time the nomination paper is filed.

If any measures pertaining to rezoning are added to this election, they will be added by the City Council at a future Council meeting.

FISCAL IMPACT

These services and expenses have been included in the Fiscal year 2022/23 City Clerk's Department budget in account number 1010160-424300.

ATTACHMENTS

- 1. Resolution No. 2022-5812, Calling and Giving Notice of the General Municipal Election
- 2. Resolution No. 2022-5813, Requesting the Orange County Board of Supervisors to consolidate the General Municipal Election with the Statewide General Election
- 3. Resolution No. 2022-5814, Adopting regulations for candidates