

**ORDINANCE NUMBER 1344**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PERRIS, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA ADDING CHAPTER 2.58, (ELECTRONIC FILING OF CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS) TITLE 2 (ADMINISTRATION AND PERSONNEL) TO THE PERRIS MUNICIPAL CODE RELATING TO ELECTRONIC AND PAPERLESS FILING OF FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION (FPPC) CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS**

**WHEREAS**, The purpose of this Ordinance is to add the option of filing Campaign Disclosure Statements by elected officials, candidates, or committees electronically. The City Council enacts this Ordinance in accordance with the authority granted to cities by State law; and

**WHEREAS**, California Government Code Section 84615 provides that a legislative body of a local government agency may adopt an ordinance that requires an elected officer, candidate, or committee, required to file statements, reports, or other documents required by Chapter 4 of the Political Reform Act to file such statements, reports or other documents online or electronically with the City Clerk; and

**WHEREAS**, In any instance in which the original statement is required to be filed with the Secretary of State and a copy of that statement is required to be filed with the local government agency, the ordinance may permit, but shall not require, that the copy be filed online or electronically; and

**WHEREAS**, The City Council expressly finds and determines that the City Clerk's web-based system contains multiple safeguards to protect the integrity and security of the data, and will operate securely and effectively and will not unduly burden filers; and

**WHEREAS**, The City Clerk will operate the electronic filing system in compliance with the requirements of California Government Code Section 84615 and any other applicable laws.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PERRIS, CALIFORNIA, DOES HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1.** Recitals Incorporated. The foregoing Recitals are incorporated herein by reference as if set forth in full.

**Section 2.** Chapter Added. Chapter 2.58, (Electronic Filing of Campaign Disclosure Statements) is hereby added to Title 2 (Administration and Personnel) of the Perris Municipal Code as shown in Exhibit "A".

**Section 3.** Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect 30 days after its adoption.

**Section 4.** Severability. If any section, subsection, subdivision, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity

of the remaining portions of this Ordinance. The City Council hereby declares that it would have adopted this Ordinance, and each section, subsection, subdivision, sentence, clause, phrase, or portions thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, subdivisions, sentences, clauses, phrases or portions thereof be declared invalid or unconstitutional.

**Section 5.** Certification. The City Clerk shall certify as to the passage and adoption of this Ordinance and shall cause the same to be posted at the designated locations in the City of Perris.

*ADOPTED, SIGNED and APPROVED* this 13<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2017.

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Michael M. Vargas, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Nancy Salazar, City Clerk

STATE OF CALIFORNIA )  
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE ) §  
CITY OF PERRIS )

I, Nancy Salazar, City Clerk of the City of Perris that the foregoing Ordinance Number 1344 was duly introduced by the City Council of the City of Perris at a regular meeting of said Council on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2017 and duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Perris at a regular meeting of said Council on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2017, and that it was so adopted by the following vote:

AYES: RABB, ROGERS, BURKE, CORONA, VARGAS  
NOES: NONE  
ABSENT: NONE  
ABSTAIN: NONE

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Nancy Salazar, City Clerk