

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 5244**

***A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PERRIS, CALIFORNIA, PROVIDING FOR THE FILING OF REBUTTAL ARGUMENTS REGARDING THE MEASURE TO ESTABLISH TERM LIMITS FOR ELECTED OFFICIALS IN THE CITY OF PERRIS***

**WHEREAS**, a General Municipal Election is to be held in the City of Perris, California, on November 6, 2018, at which there will be submitted to the voters ballot measures to consider adopting proposed ordinances (1) to establish a tax upon commercial cannabis activities in the City of Perris and (2) to establish term limits for the elected officials of the City of Perris; and,

**WHEREAS**, California Elections Code § 9285 authorizes the City Council, by majority vote, to adopt provisions to provide for the filing of rebuttal arguments regarding city measures submitted at municipal election.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PERRIS, CALIFORNIA, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1.** That pursuant to Elections Code § 9285, when the City's designated elections official has selected the arguments for and against the foregoing measure which will be printed and distributed to the voters, the City's designated elections official shall send copies of the argument in favor of the measure to the authors of the argument against, and copies of the argument against to the authors of the argument in favor. The author or a majority of the authors of an argument relating to the foregoing city measure may prepare and submit a rebuttal argument not to exceed two hundred and fifty (250) words in length. A rebuttal argument may not be signed by more than five (5) authors. The rebuttal 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, not more than ten (10) days after the final date for filing direct arguments. The rebuttal arguments shall be accompanied by the Form of Statement to be Filed by Author(s) of Argument as provided for in California Elections Code § 9600. Rebuttal arguments shall be printed in the same manner as the direct arguments. Each rebuttal argument shall immediately follow the direct argument which it seeks to rebut.

**Section 2.** That all previous resolutions providing for the filing of rebuttal arguments for city measures are repealed.

**Section 3.** That the provisions of Section 1 of this Resolution shall apply only to the General Municipal Election to be held on November 6, 2018, and shall then be repealed.

**Section 4.** That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution and enter it into the book of original Resolutions. This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon passage and adoption.

*ADOPTED, SIGNED and APPROVED* this 13th day of March, 2018.

ATTEST:

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Michael M. Vargas, MAYOR

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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, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution Number 5244 was 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 March, 2018, and that it was so adopted by the following vote:

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

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Nancy Salazar, CITY CLERK

