RESOLUTION NO. 9-18

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND TO SUBMIT TO THE CITY OF RICHMOND ELECTORATE AT THE PRIMARY ELECTION TO BE HELD ON JUNE 5, 2018, A MEASURE TO ADOPT A PROPOSED CITY OF RICHMOND CHARTER AMENDMENT

WHEREAS, the Richmond City Council has determined to submit to the voters at the June 5, 2018, Primary Election, a measure to adopt a proposed City of Richmond Charter Amendment that would amend, if adopted, a voter initiative which would require a portion of general fund money be set aside to fund youth programs and services; and

WHEREAS, on January 16, 2018, in accordance with the provisions of Section 10002 and 10403 of the Elections Code of the State of California, the Contra Costa County Clerk Recorder-Elections Division was requested to consolidate the City of Richmond Primary Election with the Statewide Primary Election to be held June 5, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the Council desires to submit this initiative measure to be placed upon the ballot at said consolidated election.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Richmond, as follows:

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are true and correct, and the City Council so finds and determines.

Section 2. At the Statewide Primary Election to be held in the City on Tuesday, June 5, 2018, the following initiative measure shall be submitted:

"Shall the Charter of the City of Richmond, if amended by passage of the Kids First Initiative, be further amended to: revise the dates in the Kids First Initiative to reflect implementation on July 1, 2018, remove the 20% restriction on funding to public entities to perform the services specified in the Kids First Initiative, and provide that funding obligations beginning on July 1, 2021, are contingent on passage of a general tax measure for the City of Richmond?"

Section 3. The City Clerk of the City of Richmond is hereby ordered and directed to cause said proposed measure to be printed and to mail a copy of said measure to all registered voters in the City of Richmond with their sample ballots in substantially the form set forth in Exhibit A, attached hereto.

Section 4. The City Clerk is ordered to have the full text of the measure available for review in the Office of the City Clerk and at the City of Richmond’s webpage.

Section 5. The City Clerk of the City of Richmond is hereby authorized to sign a Notice of Measure To Be Voted On in a form substantially similar to that attached hereto as Exhibit B. The Clerk of the City is hereby authorized and directed to publish said Notice of Measure To Be Voted On in the EAST BAY TIMES, a newspaper of general circulation circulated within the City of Richmond, in accordance with the provisions of Section 12114 of the Elections Code of the State of California.

Section 6. The Clerk of the City is hereby authorized and directed to cause to be delivered, no later than March 9, 2018 (which date is not fewer than 88 days prior to the date set for the Statewide Primary Election), one copy of this Resolution to the Registrar of Voters of the County.

Section 7. The City Council hereby directs the City Clerk to transmit a copy of the measure to the City Attorney. The City Attorney shall prepare an impartial analysis of the measure, not to exceed 500 words in length, showing the effect of the measure on the existing
law and the operation of the measure, and transmit such impartial analysis to the City Clerk within ten (10) days of the adoption of this resolution.

Section 8. The Finance Director of the City is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and file with the Registrar of Voters an impartial analysis of the measure contained in Section 2 hereof covering its financial impact upon the City government in accordance with Section 2.16.070 of the Municipal Code of the City, within the time established by the Registrar of Voters.

Section 9. Pursuant to Section 9282 of the Elections Code of the State of California, the legislative body of the City of Richmond, or any member or members of the legislative body authorized by the 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, may file a written argument, not to exceed 300 words in length, accompanied by the printed name(s) and signature(s) of the person(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, for or against the City measure.

Section 10. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.
I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution of the City Council of the City of Richmond was duly passed and adopted at a meeting thereof held on February 27, 2018, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers Choi, Martínez, Myrick, Recinos, Vice Mayor Willis, and Mayor Butt.

NOES: None.

ABSTENTIONS: None.

ABSENT: Councilmember Beckles.

PAMELA CHRISTIAN
CLERK OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND
(SEAL)

Approved:

TOM BUTT
Mayor

Approved as to form:

BRUCE GOODMILLER
City Attorney

State of California }
County of Contra Costa : ss.
City of Richmond }

I certify that the foregoing is a true copy of Resolution No. 9-18, finally passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Richmond at a regular meeting held on February 27, 2018.

Pamela Christian, Clerk of the City of Richmond
EXHIBIT A

INITIATIVE MEASURE TO BE SUBMITTED DIRECTLY TO THE VOTERS

Provided under separate cover
EXHIBIT B
Notice of Election and Measure To Be Voted On

CITY OF RICHMOND

NOTICE OF A MUNICIPAL ELECTION
AND MEASURE TO BE VOTED ON

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Municipal Election will be held in the City of Richmond on Tuesday, June 5, 2018, at which time there will be submitted to the voters the following measure:

"Shall the Charter of the City of Richmond, if amended by passage of the Kids First Initiative, be further amended to: revise the dates in the Kids First Initiative to reflect implementation on July 1, 2018, remove the 20% restriction on funding to public entities to perform the services specified in the Kids First Initiative, and provide that funding obligations beginning on July 1, 2021 are contingent on passage of a general tax measure for the City of Richmond?"

The Initiative Election has been consolidated with the Statewide Primary Election to be held in the City of Richmond on June 5, 2018. The election precincts within the City of Richmond for the Initiative Election shall be the regular election precincts established for said Statewide Primary Election, and the polling places and officers of election within the City of Richmond for the Initiative Election shall be the same as those selected and designated or to be selected and designated for said Statewide Primary Election.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN pursuant to Article 4, Section 9282 of the Elections Code of the State of California, the legislative body of the City of Richmond, or any member or members of the legislative body authorized by the 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, may file a written argument, not to exceed 300 words in length, accompanied by the printed name(s) and signature(s) of the person(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, for or against the City measures.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that, based upon the time reasonably necessary to prepare and print the arguments and sample ballots for the election, the City Clerk has fixed Wednesday, March 21, 2016, during normal office hours, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., as the date after which no arguments for or against the City measures may be submitted to the Clerk for printing and distribution to the voters as provided in Article 4. Arguments shall be submitted to the City Clerk, accompanied by the printed name(s) and signature(s) of the person(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, at the Richmond City Hall, 450 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 300, Richmond, California. No more than five signatures may appear on the argument.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Richmond has determined that rebuttal arguments, not to exceed 250 words in length, as submitted by the authors of the opposing direct arguments, may be filed with the City Clerk by Monday, March 26, 2018, during normal office hours, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., accompanied by the printed names(s) and signature(s) of the person(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. No more than five signatures may appear on the rebuttal.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that any ordinance, impartial analysis, or direct argument filed under the authority of the Elections Code 9295 will be available for the 10-calendar-day public examination in the City Clerk’s office from Tuesday, March 27, 2018, to Thursday, April 5, 2018. Any rebuttal argument filed under the authority of the Elections Code will be available for public examination in the City Clerk’s Office Tuesday, March 27, 2018, to Thursday, April 5, 2018.

The polls will be open on Election Day June 5, 2018, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.

Pamela Christian
Clerk of the City of Richmond
City Elections Official

NOTA:
Si desea obtener informacion en Espanol de este aviso legal, puede llamar a la Oficina de la Secretaria Municipal, (510) 620-6513.