

RESOLUTION NO. 14-050

CALLING A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION IN THE CITY OF PACIFIC GROVE ON NOVEMBER 4, 2014 FOR ELECTION OF MAYOR AND COUNCILMEMBERS AND REQUESTING THE COUNTY CONSOLIDATE THIS ELECTION WITH THE GENERAL STATEWIDE ELECTION

FINDINGS

1. In accord with Article 8 of the Charter of the City of Pacific Grove and the General Laws of the State of California, a General Municipal Election shall be held in the City of Pacific Grove on Tuesday, November 4, 2014, for election of a Mayor for the full term of two years, and three Councilmembers for full terms of four years each. The General Election shall be held on Tuesday, November 4, 2014, from the hours of 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.; thereafter polls shall be closed.
2. Qualified electors at said Election shall be entitled to vote for nominees for the following offices: Office of Mayor (a two-year term), with one person to be elected; and Office of Councilmember (four-year terms), with three persons to be elected. Additionally, the term for any Councilmember who files for the office of Mayor shall automatically expire on the Tuesday following the election, and the nomination filing period for the unexpired term for that seat shall be extended to August 13, 2014. Qualified electors at said Election shall also be entitled to vote for any initiative(s) and/or measure(s) that may hereafter qualify for placing on the ballot.
3. The Pacific Grove City Council requests the Monterey County Board of Supervisors consolidate the General Municipal Election with the General Statewide Election scheduled for Tuesday, November 4, 2014. The City Council requests consolidation of election precincts, polling places and voting booths be the same as for the General Statewide Election, and to further that the form of a ballot used within the City of Pacific Grove specify duly qualified candidates for the offices and for any initiative(s) and/or measure(s) that may hereafter qualify for the ballot.
4. The Pacific Grove City Council further requests the Monterey County Board of Supervisors order the County Registrar of Voters prepare and mail sample ballots with candidates' statement and any initiative(s) and/or measure(s) ballot that may hereafter qualify for placement on the ballot to the qualified electors of the City; obtain appropriate precinct locations and trained precinct workers; prepare and count the ballots on Election Night or thereafter; and certify the election results, in the manner provided by law.
5. Pursuant to Elections Code Section 13307, the City resolves that each candidate shall pay for cost of his or her candidate's statement; each statement shall not exceed 200 words.
6. The City Clerk and County Registrar of Voters are authorized to print forms, publish notices and provide information as may be necessary or convenient to assure the orderly

conduct of the election, and they shall do all other things necessary to facilitate the holding of the election in a manner consistent with law.

7. The Registrar of Voters is authorized to bill the City, on a prorated basis, for costs associated with this General Municipal Election.
8. A Notice of Election shall be published in an official newspaper of general circulation in the City in accordance with the Elections Code.
9. Except as otherwise recited in this resolution, the election shall be held and conducted as provided by the general law for holding municipal elections.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PACIFIC GROVE:

1. The foregoing Findings are adopted as findings of the City Council as though set forth fully herein.
2. The City Council authorizes the City Manager to enter into an Agreement with the County of Monterey Elections Division to provide election services to the City for the General Municipal Election on November 4, 2014.
3. The Agreement entitled, "Service Agreement for the Provision of Election Services between the City of Pacific Grove and Monterey County Registrar of Voters" is hereby approved and incorporated herein by reference.
4. This Resolution shall take immediate effect following passage and adoption thereof.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PACIFIC GROVE
this 16th day of July 2014, by the following vote:

AYES: Mayor Kampe, Councilmembers Cohen, Cuneo, Fischer, Huitt, Lucius, Miller

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

APPROVED:

Bill Kampe, Mayor

ATTEST:

Ann Camel, Interim City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

DAVID C. LAREDO, City Attorney