RESOLUTION NO. 2022/109

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ANTIOCH
REQUESTING THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF CONTRA
COSTA TO CONSOLIDATE A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON
NOVEMBER 8, 2022, WITH THE STATEWIDE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD
ON THE DATE PURSUANT TO ELECTIONS CODE SECTION 10403

- **WHEREAS**, the City Council has ordered a General Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2022, for the purpose of the election of District 1 and District 4 Members of the City Council to four-year terms, in accordance with Ordinance No. 2141-C-S adopted May 8, 2018;
- **WHEREAS**, other elections may be held in whole or in part of the territory of the City and it is to the advantage of the City to consolidate its municipal election pursuant to California Elections Code Section 10400:
- **WHEREAS**, California Elections Code Section 10242 provides that the City Council shall determine the hours of opening and closing the polls;
- **WHEREAS**, California Elections Code Section 10520 requires the City to reimburse the County in full for the services performed upon presentation of a bill to the City by the County Elections Official;
- **WHEREAS**, California Elections Code Section 13307 requires that before the nomination period opens, the City Council must determine whether a charge shall be levied against each candidate submitting a candidate's statement to be sent to the voters, and may estimate the cost and determine whether the estimate must be paid in advance;
- **WHEREAS**, California Elections Code Section 12112 requires the City Elections Official to publish a notice of the election once in a newspaper of general circulation in the City;
- **WHEREAS**, In the event of a tie vote, the tie will be determined by lot, pursuant to California Elections Code Section 15651(a); and
- **WHEREAS**, at a Regular Meeting on April 12th, 2022, the City Council of the City of Antioch adopted Resolution No. 2022/51 the Final Redistricting Map, adjusting and redefining the boundaries of the City Council electoral districts of the City.
- **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED** that an election be held in the City of Antioch in accordance with the following specifications:
 - 1. The Election shall be held on **Tuesday**, the **8**th **day of November 2022**. The purpose of the election is to choose successors for the following offices:

COUNCIL MEMBER DISTRICT 1 – Term of four (4) years (Ordinance No. 2141-C-S)

COUNCIL MEMBER DISTRICT 4 – Term of four (4) years (Ordinance No. 2141-C-S)

2. Pursuant to Elections Code Sections 10002, the City Council of the City of Antioch hereby requests that the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors consent and agree to the consolidation of the General Municipal Election with any other elections within Contra Costa County to be held on November 8, 2022 and provide all services necessary to conduct the election, which includes ballot preparation, providing precinct personnel, and canvassing the votes.

In all particulars not recited in this resolution, the election shall be held and conducted as provided by law for holding municipal elections. The City Council acknowledges that the consolidated election will be conducted in the manner prescribed in Elections Code Section 10418.

The polls for the election shall be open at 7:00 a.m. of the day of the election and shall remain open continuously from that time until 8:00 p.m. of the same day when the polls shall be closed except as provided in Elections Code Section 14401.

- 3. At a regular meeting on April 12th, 2022, the City Council of the City of Antioch adopted Resolution No. 2022/51 the Final Redistricting Map, adjusting and redefining the boundaries of the City Council electoral districts of the City, which was then submitted and confirmed compliant by the Contra Costa County Elections Division.
- 4. The City Council recognizes that the Contra Costa County Elections Division will incur additional costs in conducting the election called by this resolution and agrees to reimburse the County for those costs.
- 5. The City Council has determined that each candidate will pay for the Candidate's Statement, which shall be limited to 250 words. Pursuant to the Federal Voting Rights Act, Candidate Statements will be translated into all languages required by the County of Contra Costa.

As a condition of having the Candidate Statement published, each candidate shall pay the City the full cost at the time of filing. The exact cost for the Candidate Statement will be determined by the Contra Costa County Elections Division, no later than the 1st week of July.

 In addition, there is a \$25 Filing Fee (Ordinance No. 2-1.302 of the Antioch Municipal Code and Elections Code Section 10228) for a candidate to file nomination papers with the City Clerk's Office.

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- 7. The City Clerk is authorized and directed to publish the Notice of Election in the East Bay Times, which is a newspaper of general circulation that is published daily in the City.
- 8. The City Council has determined that in the event of a tie vote, the tie will be determined by lot, pursuant to Elections Code Section 15651(a).
- 9. The City Clerk shall file a copy of this resolution with the Contra Costa County Registrar of Voters and the County Board of Supervisors no later than July 6, 2022.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing resolution was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Antioch at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 28th day of June 2022, by the following vote:

AYES:

Council Members District 1 Torres-Walker, District 3 Ogorchock, District 4

Wilson and Mayor Thorpe

NOES:

None

ABSTAIN:

None

ABSENT:

Mayor Pro Tem (District 2) Barbanica

ELIZABETH HOUSEHOLDER, MPP