



Legislation Text

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To: Sonoma County Board of Supervisors
Department or Agency Name(s): County Clerk-Recorder-Assessor
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Vote Requirement: Majority
Supervisory District(s): 2nd, 3rd, 5th

Title:

Consolidation of November 5, 2019, Consolidated Elections

Recommended Actions:

Adopt the resolution authorizing consolidation of the jurisdictions that have submitted a request for consolidation, as required by Elections Code 10402, and have measures to be placed before the voters or sufficient nominees to require election to be held on November 5, 2019. (Second, Third and Fifth District)

Executive Summary:

The Consolidated Elections are set to be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2019. Multiple jurisdictions have called an election in their areas for the same date and have requested consolidation as authorized by state law. Elections Code §10400 provides that when two or more elections for local jurisdictions are called on the same day, they may be consolidated upon the order of the governing body or bodies calling the election.

Discussion:

Costs of the elections are shared between the entities involved pursuant to Elections Code §10416. The full costs of conducting these elections will be billed to the involved jurisdictions following the election.

Copies of resolutions received in this office from special districts and cities wishing to consolidate with the Consolidated Elections are on file with the clerk.

As of August 9, 2019, the consolidation deadline, the following districts and cities have requested consolidation for the November 5, 2019, ballot:

Community Services District: Occidental Community Services

Water Districts: Forestville Water, Timber Cove County Water

Fire Protection Districts: Gold Ridge Fire Protection, Graton Fire Protection, Bodega Bay Fire Protection

City: City of Rohnert Park

Prior Board Actions:

None.

FISCAL SUMMARY

Expenditures	FY 19-20 Adopted	FY20-21 Projected	FY 21-22 Projected
Budgeted Expenses			
Additional Appropriation Requested			
Total Expenditures			
Funding Sources			
General Fund/WA GF			
State/Federal			
Fees/Other			
Use of Fund Balance			
Contingencies			
Total Sources			

Narrative Explanation of Fiscal Impacts:

Costs of the consolidated elections are shared among all entities involved. Each jurisdiction requesting consolidation with the Consolidated Elections will pay a pro-rata share of the costs associated with conducting the election.

Staffing Impacts:			
Position Title (Payroll)	Monthly Salary Range (A - I Step)	Additions (number)	Deletions (number)

Narrative Explanation of Staffing Impacts (If Required):

None.

Attachments:

Resolution.

Related Items "On File" with the Clerk of the Board:

Copies of resolutions from districts and cities.