

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-41

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELL GARDENS, CALIFORNIA, REQUESTING THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES TO CONSOLIDATE A SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 5, 2024, WITH THE STATEWIDE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON THE DATE PURSUANT TO § 10403 OF THE ELECTIONS CODE

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Bell Gardens called a Special Municipal Election to be held on November 5, 2024, for the purpose of the election a Council member to fill an unscheduled vacancy that was previously filled by appointment, pursuant to Government Code Section 36512(b)(2)(A), on August 14, 2023, for a term of office ending November 2026; and

WHEREAS, it is desirable that the Special Municipal Election be consolidated with the Statewide General election to be held on the same date and that within the City the precincts, vote centers, and election officers of the two elections be the same, and that the county election department of the County of Los Angeles canvass the returns of the Special Municipal Election and that the election be held in all respects as if there were only one election.

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

SECTION 1. That pursuant to the requirements of § 10403 of the Elections Code, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles is hereby requested to consent and agree to the consolidation of a Special Municipal Election with the Statewide General election on Tuesday, November 5, 2024, for the purpose of the election of one (1) Member of the City Council to fill an unscheduled vacancy that was previously filled by appointment, pursuant to Government Code Section 36512(b)(2)(A), on August 14, 2023, for a term of office ending November 2026.

SECTION 2. That the county election department is authorized to canvass the returns of the Special Municipal Election. The election shall be held in all respects as if there were only one election, and only one form of ballot shall be used. The election will be held and conducted in accordance with the provisions of law regulating the statewide election.

SECTION 3. That the Board of Supervisors is requested to issue instructions to the county election department to take any and all steps necessary for the holding of the consolidated election.


SECTION 4. That the City of Bell Gardens recognizes that additional costs will be incurred by the County by reason of this consolidation and agrees to reimburse the County for any costs.

SECTION 5. That the City Clerk is hereby directed to file a certified copy of this resolution with the Board of Supervisors and the county election department of the County of Los Angeles.

SECTION 6. The City Clerk shall attest and certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution and enter it into the book of original resolutions, and it shall become effective immediately upon its approval.

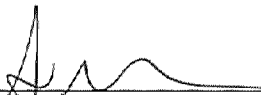
PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED this 10th day of June, 2024.

THE CITY OF BELL GARDENS



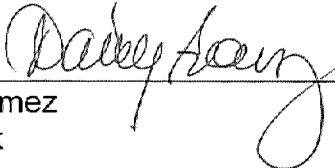
Gabriela Gomez, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Stephanie Vasquez
City Attorney

ATTEST:



Daisy Gomez
City Clerk

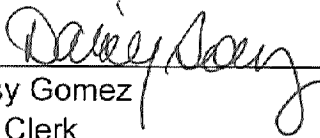
I, **Daisy Gomez**, City Clerk of the City of Bell Gardens, hereby CERTIFY that **City Council Resolution No. 2024-41** was adopted by the Bell Gardens City Council at a **regular** meeting of the City Council held on June 10, 2024, and was approved and passed by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers Chavez, Pulido, Sanchez; Mayor Pro Tem Barcena; Mayor Gomez

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:



Daisy Gomez
City Clerk