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11	TO VOTE, COMPLETELY FILL IN THE OVAL — NEXT TO YOUR CHOICE.	QUESTION THREE AMENDING THE REQUIREMENT OF A REFERENDUM TO	QUESTION SIX APPROVING REVISION OF CIVIL SERVICE, ARTICLE 6, OF CITY
	 Use only the marking device provided or a black ink pen. 	ABANDON A RIGHT-OF-WAY Whether the current requirement of	CHARTER Whether the Civil Service Article 6 of
21	 If you make a mistake, don't hesitate to ask for a new ballot. If you erase or make other marks, your vote may not count. 	a referendum to "move, swap, switch, divide or abandon" a right-of-way in the City shall be clarified to read entirely as follows: "The City shall not abandon any	the Charter of City shall be revised to clarify that all employees in permanent positions, including part-time employees, are members of Civil Service; to clarify the right of all members to seek review of
	COUNCIL MEMBER, WARD 3 (Vote for One) Skip Alford	public road or highway right-of-way within the City limits, or give its approval to such abandonment by another governmental agency, without approval by majority vote in a properly held City referendum."	disciplinary action and confirm procedures therefore; and to eliminate outdated and unused provisions. YES
	Josie Strange	YES	O NO
	QUESTION ONE	○ NO	QUESTION SEVEN
	AUTHORIZING CITY COUNCIL TO RE-SCHEDULE OR CANCEL THE HOLIDAY MEETINGS IN LATE NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER Whether the City Council shall be	QUESTION FOUR AUTHORIZING PURCHASE OF GOODS FOR SEWER AND WATER SYSTEMS UP TO \$25,000	AUTHORIZING WEBSITE POSTING OF ADOPTED ORDINANCES, PROPOSED ANNUAL BUDGET, CITY COUNCIL HEARINGS AND BID SOLICITATIONS
40 41	authorized in its discretion to re-schedule or cancel the second regular Council meeting in each November and December.	ON COMPETITIVE QUOTES Whether the City shall be authorized to purchase goods up to \$25,000 for the operation and maintenance of the water, sewer, stormwater and reuse water system(s) based upon	Whether the City Charter shall be amended to require posting of adopted ordinances, the City's proposed annual budgets, the notices of budget hearings and the
42		competitive quotes; this amendment will not apply to any contract for services or to the purchase of goods	notices of City Council hearings on City's website, to require newspaper notice of budget hearings only as
	QUESTION TWO AMENDING THE WORDING OF THE REQUIREMENT OF A REFERENDUM TO ABANDON A BEACH ACCESS EASEMENT Whether the current requirement of a referendum to "move, swap,	for any other department of the City. YES NO QUESTION FIVE AUTHORIZING SOLE-SOURCE	required by state law, to permit solicitation of competitive bids by posting on City's website and to eliminate the requirement that copies of such documents be physically posted at three locations within City. YES
	switch, divide or abandon" a beach easement south of Alternate Highway 98 shall be amended to read entirely as follows:	PURCHASE OF SPECIALIZED, REPLACEMENT GOODS FOR SEWER AND WATER SYSTEMS WITHOUT COMPETITIVE BID	QUESTION EIGHT CLARIFYING THAT THE CITY
53	"The City shall not abandon any public, recreational beach access easement or right-of-way south of Alternate Highway 98, South Thomas Drive or Thomas Drive without approval by majority vote in a properly held City referendum."	Whether the City Council may purchase goods from a sole-source and without competitive bid when the Council finds that the goods (1) are exclusively for the water, sewer, stormwater or reuse water	COUNCIL MUST APPROVE THE SALARY OF AN ASSISTANT CITY MANAGER Whether the City Charter shall be updated and amended to clarify that the City Council must approve the
	YES	system(s), (2) replace a specialized component of the system(s), and (3) are available only from a sole	terms and conditions of employment of an Assistant City Manager selected by the City Manager.
	○ NO	source of supply; this amendment will not apply to any contract for services or to the purchase of goods for any other department of City.	YES
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QUESTION NINE CONFIRMING THAT THE CITY MANAGER IS AUTHORIZED TO ADOPT PERSONNEL RULES FOR CITY EMPLOYEES	END OF BALLOT	
Whether the City Charter shall be updated and amended to clarify that the City Manager is authorized to adopt personnel rules for City employees.		
○ NO		
QUESTION TEN AUTHORIZING ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER IN ADDITION TO TRADITIONAL CHECK DISBURSEMENT		
Whether the City Charter shall be updated and amended to specify authority for electronic transfer of City funds through procedures approved by the City Council.		
○ YES		
○ NO		
QUESTION ELEVEN PROHIBITING CHANGE OF WARD BOUNDARIES WITHIN SIX MONTHS BEFORE THE ELECTION OF A COUNCIL MEMBER		
Whether the City Charter shall be amended to prohibit the ward boundaries established by the City Council from being changed during the six month period immediately preceding the election of any Council Member.		
○ YES		
○ NO		
QUESTION TWELVE APPROVING MISCELLANEOUS CHARTER UPDATES AND CORRECTIONS SUCH AS GENDER NEUTRALITY AND TIMING OF ANNUAL REPORTS		
Whether the City Charter shall be updated and amended to become gender neutral, to make annual reports due as soon as practicable, to clarify Mayor's obligation to sign contracts and to correct or clarify other miscellaneous matters, all as specifically set forth in ordinance 1277 unanimously adopted by the City Council on November 14, 2013.		
○ YES		
○ NO		

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