



CITY OF IRVINE
GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the qualified electors of the City of Irvine that in accordance with law, at the General Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, November 4, 2008 in the City of Irvine, there will be submitted to the voters the following ballot measures:

- 1) An Ordinance that, if adopted, would protect individual privacy interests and guide the City in its determinations on a case-by-case basis whether to disclose or to withhold individuals' personal information upon a public request for such information where the information is requested by the City for a limited specific purpose and with the representation that the information will be maintained in confidence.
- 2) An Ordinance, that, if adopted, would ratify and implement certain policies relating to the Orange County Great Park project with regard to the governing structures and responsibilities of the City of Irvine and the Orange County Great Park Corporation, funding and construction, operation and maintenance considerations, and major policies and programs.

Any person wishing to submit a direct argument for or against a ballot measure shall file such argument with the City Clerk, One Civic Center Plaza, Irvine, California, on or before August 8, 2008, which argument shall not exceed 300 words in length. A 10-day public review period follows for direct arguments which begins August 9 and closes on August 18, 2008, and the authors of the direct arguments, or any other person or persons they authorize in writing, may submit a rebuttal argument.

Any rebuttal arguments for or against the ballot measure shall be filed with the City Clerk on or before August 18, 2008, and shall not exceed 250 words in length. Arguments that are selected for printing and distribution to the voters shall be selected in accordance with section 9287 of the Elections Code. Another 10-day public review

period follows for rebuttal arguments, which begins on August 19, 2008 and closes on August 28, 2008.

For information, please contact the City Clerk's Office at (949)724-6205. The required forms and guidelines for the submittal of arguments are also available at www.cityofirvine.org

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/s/ Sharie Apodaca
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CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF IRVINE

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CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 08-85

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF IRVINE SUBMITTING TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS AT THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 2008 A PROPOSAL TO ADOPT AN ORDINANCE GUIDING THE CITY IN ITS DETERMINATIONS ON A CASE-BY-CASE BASIS WHETHER TO DISCLOSE OR TO WITHHOLD INDIVIDUALS' PERSONAL INFORMATION UPON A PUBLIC REQUEST FOR SUCH INFORMATION; DIRECTING THE CITY ATTORNEY TO PREPARE AN IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS; AND AUTHORIZING AND SETTING DEADLINES FOR THE FILING OF ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST THE BALLOT MEASURE

WHEREAS, on June 24, 2008, the City Council of the City of Irvine adopted Resolution No. 08-72, calling and giving notice of the holding of a General Municipal Election to be held in the City on Tuesday, November 4, 2008; and

WHEREAS, on June 24, 2008, the City Council of the City of Irvine adopted Resolution No. 08-73, requesting that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Orange consolidate the General Municipal Election to be held in the City on Tuesday, November 4, 2008 with the Statewide General Election to be held in the City on Tuesday, November 4, 2008; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Irvine desires to submit to the voters a proposed ordinance that, if adopted, would guide the City in its determinations on a case-by-case basis whether to disclose or to withhold individuals' personal information upon a public request for such information where the information is requested by the City for a limited specific purpose and with the representation that the information will be maintained in confidence;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City Council hereby submits the following ballot measure to the registered voters of the City of Irvine for their adoption or rejection in a General Municipal Election to be held in the City of Irvine on Tuesday, November 4, 2008:

Measure S: City of Irvine Personal Information Privacy Act

"Shall an ordinance be adopted to protect individual privacy interests and guide the City in its determinations on a case-by-case basis whether to disclose or to withhold individuals' personal information upon a public request for	YES
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such information where the information is requested by the City for a limited specific purpose and with the representation that the information will be maintained in confidence?"	NO
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Section 2. The text of the proposed Ordinance for the ballot measure submitted to the City's voters is set forth in full in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference.

Section 3. The City Council hereby orders and directs the City Clerk to cause the proposed Ordinance and notice of the General Municipal Election to be published in the time, form and manner as required by law. The suggested form of notice of the election is as follows:

CITY OF IRVINE
GENERAL ELECTION NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the qualified electors of the City of Irvine that in accordance with law, at the General Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, November 4, 2008 in the City, there will be submitted to the voters a proposed Ordinance that, if adopted, would protect individual privacy interests and guide the City in its determinations on a case-by-case basis whether to disclose or to withhold individuals' personal information upon a public request for such information where the information is requested by the City for a limited specific purpose and with the representation that the information will be maintained in confidence.

Any person wishing to submit a direct argument for or against the ballot measure shall file such argument with the City Clerk, 1 Civic Center Plaza, Irvine, California, on or before August 8, 2008, which argument shall not exceed 300 words in length. Any rebuttal arguments for or against the ballot measure shall be filed with the City Clerk on or before August 18, 2008, and shall not exceed 250 words in length. Arguments that are selected for printing and distribution to the voters shall be selected in accordance with section 9287 of the Elections Code.

Section 4. In all particulars not expressly recited in this Resolution, the General Municipal Election shall be held and conducted as provided by law for holding general municipal elections.

Section 5. The City Council hereby authorizes, instructs, and directs the City Attorney to prepare an impartial analysis of the ballot measure, in accordance with the

provisions of Elections Code section 9280, showing the effect of the measure on existing law and the operation of the measure. The impartial analysis, not exceeding 500 words in length, shall be filed with the City Clerk on or before August 8, 2008.

Section 6. Pursuant to Elections Code section 9282, the City Council, or any member or members of the City Council, or any individual voter who is eligible to vote on the measure, or bona fide association of citizens, or any combination of voters and associations, may file a written argument for or against the measure. Pursuant to Elections Code section 9283, any argument filed by the City Council, or any member or members of the City Council, shall be accompanied by the printed name(s) and signature(s) of the author(s) submitting it, or, if submitted on behalf of an organization, the name of the organization and the printed name and signature of at least one of its principal officers who is the author of the argument. The argument may not be signed by more than five persons, otherwise the signatures of the first five shall be printed in the sample ballot. Any direct arguments for or against the ballot measure, not exceeding 300 words in length, shall be filed with the City Clerk on or before August 8, 2008. Any direct argument shall be accompanied by a signed Form of Statement and in accordance with guidelines for the filing of arguments which are available in the Office of the City Clerk. Direct arguments shall be subject to a 10-calendar-day public examination period in accordance with the provisions of Elections Code section 9295.

Section 7. Pursuant to Elections Code sections 9220 and 9285, when the City Clerk has selected the arguments for and against the measure which will be printed and distributed to the voters, the City Clerk shall send a copy of the argument in favor of the measure to the authors of the argument against, and a copy of the argument against the measure to the authors of the argument in favor. The author or a majority of the authors of an argument may prepare and submit a rebuttal argument or may authorize in writing any other person or persons to prepare, submit, or sign the rebuttal argument. A rebuttal argument shall be filed with the City Clerk with the printed name(s) and signature(s) of the author(s) submitting it, or if submitted on behalf of an organization, the name of the organization, and the printed name and signature of at least one of its principal officers. A rebuttal argument may not be signed by more than five persons and shall be printed in the same manner as a direct argument and shall immediately follow the direct argument which it seeks to rebut. Rebuttal arguments for or against the measure, not exceeding 250 words in length, shall be filed with the City Clerk on or before August 18, 2008. Any rebuttal argument shall be accompanied by a signed Form of Statement and in accordance with guidelines for the filing of arguments which are available in the Office of the City Clerk. Rebuttal arguments shall be subject to a 10-calendar-day public examination period in accordance with the provisions of Elections Code section 9295.

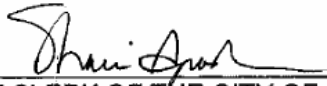
Section 8. If more than one argument for or more than one argument against the ballot measure is submitted, the City Clerk shall select one of the arguments in favor and one of the arguments against the measure for printing and distribution to the voters. In selecting the argument, the City Clerk shall give preference and priority to the submitted arguments in accordance with the provisions of Elections Code section 9287.

Section 9. The City Clerk is hereby directed to deliver forthwith certified copies of this Resolution to the Registrar of Voters of the County of Orange and to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Orange.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Irvine at a regular meeting held on the 22nd day of July, 2008.

ATTEST:


MAYOR OF THE CITY OF IRVINE


CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF IRVINE

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF ORANGE) SS
CITY OF IRVINE)

I, SHARIE APODACA, City Clerk of the City of Irvine, HEREBY DO CERTIFY that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Irvine, held on the 22nd day of July, 2008.

AYES: 5 COUNCILMEMBERS: Agran, Choi, Kang, Shea and Krom

NOES: 0 COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSENT: 0 COUNCILMEMBERS: None

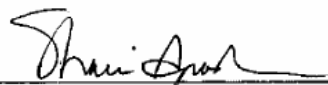

CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF IRVINE

EXHIBIT A

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF IRVINE RELATING TO THE PRIVACY OF INDIVIDUALS' PERSONAL INFORMATION

The people of the City of Irvine do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known and referred to as the City of Irvine Personal Information Privacy Act.

Section 2. Purpose. This Ordinance is adopted to guide the City in its determinations on a case-by-case basis whether to disclose or to withhold individuals' personal information upon a public request for such information when the information is requested by the City for a limited specific purpose and with the representation that the information will be maintained in confidence.

Section 3. Recitals. It is found and declared that:

A. The California Constitution provides that all people in the state enjoy the right of privacy, which is a fundamental and compelling interest. All people also enjoy a right of privacy under the United States Constitution.

B. The California Public Records Act recognizes the rights of individuals to information concerning the conduct of the people's business.

C. At the same time, the California Public Records Act acknowledges the rights of individuals to privacy.

D. Under the California Public Records Act, a public agency is permitted to withhold documents and information from disclosure that are exempted or prohibited pursuant to federal or state law.

E. Under the California Public Records Act, a public agency is also permitted to withhold documents and information from disclosure where, on a case-by-case basis, the public agency determines that the public interest in disclosure is outweighed by the public interest in nondisclosure.

F. Constitutional rights of privacy encompass the ability to control the circulation of individuals' personal information, including but not limited to names, home addresses, telephone numbers and e-mail addresses.

G. A principal factor in ascertaining protected rights of privacy with regard to personal information provided by an individual is whether the individual has a reasonable expectation of privacy for such information. In turn, objectively reasonable expectations of privacy are informed by broadly based and widely accepted community

norms.

H. The voters of the City of Irvine have had, have and will continue to have an expectation of privacy with regard to the personal information that individuals provide to the City of Irvine at the specific request of the City where the request expressly states that the information will be used by the City only for a specific, limited purpose and that the information will be maintained in confidence and will not be shared with others, and where the information is unrelated to the conduct of the City's official business and does not shed light on the City's actions or the performance of its duties and responsibilities.

I. The voters of the City of Irvine have had, have and will continue to have an interest in preventing unsolicited and unwanted mail, telephone calls and e-mail messages.

J. There would be a chilling effect on individuals' willingness to avail themselves of or participate in City programs and services if personal information that they are requested by the City to provide in connection with such activities with a representation of confidentiality is ultimately not limited to the specific purpose for which it is requested and instead is made available to others for uncontrolled purposes.

Section 4. Guidelines for Responses to California Public Record Act Requests for Personal Information.

A. Consistent with the requirements of the United States and the California Constitutions and the California Public Records Act, and as determined on a case-by-case basis, the City of Irvine shall undertake to preserve the privacy of individuals' personal information to the fullest extent possible and permissible.

B. When evaluating the public interests in disclosure and in nondisclosure of individuals' personal information pursuant to a request under the California Public Records Act, the constitutional rights of privacy should be abridged only when there is a compelling public need to do so.

C. In assessing an individual's reasonable expectation of privacy, the City shall consider and place significant weight on the following factors, among others as relevant: whether the personal information was provided by the individual at the specific request of the City and, if so, whether the City specifically represented that the information was requested for a limited, specified purpose; whether the City specifically represented that the information would be maintained in confidence and would not be made available to other persons; and whether the information is related to the conduct of the City's official business or sheds light on the City's actions or the performance of its duties and responsibilities. On the other hand, where an individual voluntarily injects himself or herself into the public arena and prepares and transmits a written or electronic communication to a City official or employee on a topic of official City business, a pending decision or determination, or a subject otherwise within the City's

jurisdiction, and the communication contains personal information, there may be no reasonable expectation of privacy in the absence of other important considerations.

Section 5. Effective date. This Ordinance shall go into effect ten (10) days after the date on which the election results are declared by the City Council.

Section 6. Construction. To the maximum extent authorized by law, this Ordinance shall be interpreted in a manner consistent with the right of initiative reserved to the people by the California Constitution. Without limiting the foregoing, nothing in this Ordinance is intended and shall not be construed to supersede, diminish or otherwise conflict with applicable requirements of state and federal law, including without limitation the California Public Records Act.

Section 7. Future amendments. Pursuant to article II, section 10(c) of the California Constitution, the provisions contained in this Ordinance may be amended by a four-fifths vote of the City Council only to the extent such amendments further or expand the intent and objectives set forth in this Ordinance. All other amendments or any proposed repeal of the provisions contained in this Ordinance shall become effective only when approved by the voters.

Section 8. Severability. If any provision of this Ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, that determination of invalidity shall not affect other provisions or application of the Ordinance that can be given effect without the invalid provision, and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are severable. The voters of the City hereby declare that they would have adopted this Ordinance and each portion thereof regardless of the fact that an invalid portion or portions may have been present in the Ordinance.

- See attached Direct Argument Format and Form of Statement for formatting and language requirements imposed by the State Elections Code.
- No argument for or against a measure shall exceed 300 words in length. See the attached Word Count Guidelines.
- Arguments must be typewritten in Arial, font size 10 and in a block format.
- It is acceptable to use: Bullets, stars, asterisks, or numbers that function as bullet points to off-set paragraphs; italics, tables, indentation, boldface type, words with all capital letters, and underlines.
- No argument shall contain more than 5 signatures.
- Signers of a Direct Argument (the authors or authorized signers) must submit a Signature Statement with the Direct Argument. The Signature Statement provides the City Clerk with the priority order for the signatures/names/titles to appear in the Sample Ballot Pamphlet.
- A written authorization is needed whenever there are signers who are not the authors. The attached “Authorization for Signers of Direct Arguments” form

needs to be completed for any and all signers who are not the authors of a Direct Argument. The authorization signed by an author must be submitted with the Direct Argument.

- Direct Arguments are due in the City Clerk's Office no later than Friday, **August 8, 2008 at 5:00 p.m.** You must provide a hard copy of the argument with original signatures, and an electronic copy on CD in Word format.
- Direct Arguments may be withdrawn or changed by its proponents or authors, if different, at any time prior to the August 8 deadline.
- The 10-day public review period for Direct Arguments is August 9 – 18, 2008.

Rebuttal Arguments:

- See attached Rebuttal Argument Format and Form of Statement for formatting and language requirements imposed by the State Elections Code.
- Both a Direct Argument in favor and a Direct Argument against a measure must be submitted for Rebuttal Arguments to be submitted.
- Arguments must be typewritten in Arial, font size 10 and in a block format.
- Rebuttal Arguments shall not exceed 250 words. See the attached Word Count Guidelines.
- It is acceptable to use: Bullets, stars, asterisks, or numbers that function as bullet points to off-set paragraphs; italics, tables, indention, boldface type, words with all capital letters, and underlines.
- No argument shall contain more than 5 signatures. However, the number of signers of the Rebuttal Argument cannot exceed the number of signers of the Direct Argument. There can be less signers of the Rebuttal Argument than signers of the Direct Argument.
- A Rebuttal Argument must be signed by the same individuals who signed the Direct Argument unless they authorize in writing any other persons(s) to sign. (See attached Authorization for Signers of Rebuttal Arguments form.)
- Signers of a Rebuttal Argument (the authors or authorized signers) must submit the attached Signature Statement with the Rebuttal Argument. The Signature Statement provides the City Clerk with the priority order for the signatures/names/titles to appear in the Sample Ballot Pamphlet.
- Rebuttal Arguments are due in the City Clerk's Office no later than Monday, **August 18, 2008 at 5:30 p.m.** You must provide a hard copy of the argument with original signatures, and an electronic copy on CD in Word format.
- Rebuttal Arguments may be withdrawn or changed by its proponents or authors, if different, at any time prior to the August 18 deadline.
- The 10-day public review period for Rebuttal Arguments is August 19 – 28, 2008.

Do Signers Need to be Registered Voters?

- If an individual is signing a Direct or Rebuttal Argument (the argument is not submitted on behalf of an organization), he/she must be a valid registered voter in the City of Irvine.
- If the Direct or Rebuttal Argument is submitted on behalf of a bona fide association and the signer(s) of the argument are affiliated with the association and are authorized by the association to sign the argument, the signer(s) do not

need to be registered voters in the City of Irvine (they are representing the association's position.)

How is a Direct Argument Selected?

In the event there is more than one argument for or more than one argument against the ballot measure, then the City Clerk shall select one in accordance with the preferences and priorities set forth in the Elections Code as follows:

1. The City Council, or member or members of the City Council authorized by the City Council.
2. The individual voter, or bona fide association of citizens, or combination of voters and associations, who are the bona fide sponsors or proponents of the measure. [Not applicable for this measure.]
3. Bona fide associations of citizens.
4. Individual voters who are eligible to vote on the measure.

Can a Direct or Rebuttal Argument be challenged?

During the 10-day public review period, any voter of the City of Irvine, or the City Clerk, may seek a writ of mandate or an injunction requiring any or all of the materials to be amended or deleted. A peremptory writ of mandate or an injunction shall be issued only upon clear and convincing proof that the material in question is false, misleading or inconsistent with the requirements of this chapter of the Election Code, and that issuance of the writ or injunction will not substantially interfere with the printing or distribution of official election materials as provided by law. The writ of mandate or injunction request shall be filed no later than the last day of the respective 10-day public review period as noted above. See Election Code Section 9295.

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**Direct Argument Format
and
Form of Statement to be Filed by Authors of Direct Arguments
(in favor)**

(The following statement must be printed as the heading of the argument. Delete this text prior to printing argument.)

Argument in Favor of Measure (insert assigned letter if known) S, named "City of Irvine Personal Information Privacy Act."

(Delete this text after Inserting body of the Direct Argument here. The argument must be typed in a block paragraph style. The argument shall not exceed 300 words. The count needs to be done prior to filing. The City Clerk can assist you in determining the accurate word count. If there are too many words, changes will need to be made. (Once the Direct Argument is filed, if changes need to be made or the argument withdrawn, all of the authors will need to sign a copy noting such.))

(The Form of Statement below must follow the text of the argument. Delete this text prior to printing argument.)

"The undersigned proponent(s) or author(s) of the Direct Argument in favor of the ballot measure (insert assigned letter if known) S, named the "City of Irvine Personal Information Privacy Act" at the General Municipal Election for the City of Irvine, California to be held on November 4, 2008 hereby state that such argument is true and correct to the best of (insert "his", "her," or "their;" delete this text before printing argument) _____ knowledge and belief."

<u>Sign Name (exactly as printed)</u>	<u>Print Name (exactly as signed)</u>	<u>Date</u>
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Direct Argument Format
and
Form of Statement to be Filed by Authors of Direct Arguments
(against)

(The following statement must be printed as the heading of the argument. Delete this text prior to printing argument.)

Argument Against Measure (insert assigned letter if known) S, named "City of Irvine Personal Information Privacy Act."

(Delete this text after Inserting body of the Direct Argument here. The argument must be typed in a block paragraph style. The argument shall not exceed 300 words. The count needs to be done prior to filing. The City Clerk can assist you in determining the accurate word count. If there are too many words, changes will need to be made. (Once the Direct Argument is filed, if changes need to be made or the argument withdrawn, all of the authors will need to sign a copy noting such.))

(The Form of Statement below must follow the text of the argument. Delete this text prior to printing argument.)

"The undersigned proponent(s) or author(s) of the Direct Argument against the ballot measure (insert assigned letter if known) S, named the "City of Irvine Personal Information Privacy Act," at the General Municipal Election for the City of Irvine, California to be held on November 4, 2008 hereby state that such argument is true and correct to the best of (insert "his", "her," or "their;" delete this text before printing argument.) _____ knowledge and belief."

<u>Sign Name (exactly as printed)</u>	<u>Print Name (exactly as signed)</u>	<u>Date</u>
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Rebuttal Argument Format
and
Form of Statement to be Filed by Authors of Rebuttal Arguments
(against)

(The following statement must be printed as the heading of the argument. Delete this text prior to printing argument.)

Rebuttal to Argument in Favor of Measure S (insert assigned letter)

(Delete this text after Inserting body of the Rebuttal Argument here. The argument must be typed in a block paragraph style. The argument shall not exceed 250 words. The count needs to be done prior to filing. The City Clerk can assist you in determining the accurate word count. If there are too many words, changes will need to be made. (Once the Rebuttal Argument is filed, if changes need to be made or the argument withdrawn, all of the authors will need to sign a copy noting such.))

(The Form of Statement below must follow the text of the argument. Delete this text prior to printing argument.)

“The undersigned proponent(s) or author(s) of the Rebuttal Argument against the ballot measure (insert assigned letter if known) S , named the “City of Irvine Personal Information Privacy Act,” at the General Municipal Election for the City of Irvine, California to be held on November 4, 2008 hereby state that such argument is true and correct to the best of (insert “his”, “her,” or “their;” delete this text before printing argument.) _____ knowledge and belief.”

<u>Sign Name (exactly as printed)</u>	<u>Print Name (exactly as signed)</u>	<u>Date</u>
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Rebuttal Argument Format
and
Form of Statement to be Filed by Authors of Rebuttal Arguments
(in favor)

(The following statement must be printed as the heading of the argument. Delete this text prior to printing argument.)

Rebuttal to Argument Against Measure S (insert assigned letter)

(Delete this text after Inserting body of the Rebuttal Argument here. The argument must be typed in a block paragraph style. The argument shall not exceed 250 words. The count needs to be done prior to filing. The City Clerk can assist you in determining the accurate word count. If there are too many words, changes will need to be made. (Once the Rebuttal Argument is filed, if changes need to be made or the argument withdrawn, all of the authors will need to sign a copy noting such.))

(The Form of Statement below must follow the text of the argument. Delete this text prior to printing argument.)

“The undersigned proponent(s) or author(s) of the Rebuttal Argument in favor of the ballot measure (insert assigned letter if known) S , named the “City of Irvine Personal Information Privacy Act,” at the General Municipal Election for the City of Irvine, California to be held on November 4, 2008 hereby state that such argument is true and correct to the best of (insert “his”, “her,” or “their;” delete this text before printing argument.) _____ knowledge and belief.”

<u>Sign Name (exactly as printed)</u>	<u>Print Name (exactly as signed)</u>	<u>Date</u>
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SIGNATURE STATEMENT

All Direct Arguments/Rebuttal Arguments concerning City measures shall be accompanied by this form to be signed by each author who is a signer or authorized signer of the argument. **Names and titles listed will be printed in the Sample Ballot Pamphlet in the order provided below and will appear as indicated below.**

The undersigned author(s) or authorized signer(s) of the (select one of the following):

_____ **ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF** _____ **REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT IN FAVOR**
_____ **ARGUMENT AGAINST** _____ **REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT AGAINST**

Ballot Measure S at the General Municipal Election for the City of Irvine being held on November 4, 2008
(Letter)
hereby state that such argument is true and correct to the best of his/her/their knowledge and belief.

If argument is filed by the City Council, list "City Council of the City of Irvine" on the line below. **The City Council members (as authorized by the City Council) sign as authors of the argument and must complete both this side and #1 on the back side of this form.**

Name of Governing Body

If argument is filed by a bona fide association of citizens and the signers of the argument are affiliated with the association and are authorized by the association to sign the argument, fill in the name of the association below. **The Association officers/members sign as authors of the argument and must complete this side and either #2A or #2B on the back side of this form.**

Name of Association

If argument is filed/signed by individuals, (the argument is **not** submitted on behalf of an association – the signer(s) are **not** affiliated with the association and/or are not authorized to sign on behalf of the association), **complete this side and #3 on the back side of this form.**

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| 5. | | | |
| | Print Name | Residence Address | Date |
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| | Title | Signature | Phone Number |

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SIGNATURE STATEMENT – Page Two

To be completed for arguments filed by the City Council, a bona fide association of citizens, and individual signers.

ARGUMENT/REBUTTAL FILED BY (Check Any of the Following that Apply)

1. _____ City Council: _____

Contact Person's Printed Name: _____

Contact Person's Signature: _____

Title: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

E-Mail: _____

2. **The following information is submitted by the author(s) to establish that the organization or group is a Bona Fide Association of Citizens.**

_____ **A. A Bona Fide Association of Citizens (Group or organization has not been formed to support or oppose the measure)**

Name of Association: _____

Principal Officer's Printed Name: _____

Principal Officer's Signature: _____

Title: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

E-Mail: _____

_____ **B. A Bona Fide Association of Citizens (Group or organization has been formed to support or oppose this measure)**

Name of Association: _____

Principal Officer's Printed Name: _____

Principal Officer's Signature: _____

Title: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

E-Mail: _____

A form 410 Statement of Organization – establishing the group or organization as a Primarily Formed Ballot Measure Committee to support or oppose Measure _____ was filed on _____ Committee I.D. # _____. (The form 410 must be filed within 10 days of the date of the date the committee receives \$1,000.00 in contributions.)

3. _____ **Individuals filing/signing the argument:**

Contact Person: _____ Phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Fax: _____ Email: _____

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Authorization for Signers of Direct Arguments

(To be completed by the author(s) of the Direct Argument)

The undersigned author(s) of the argument (check one),

☐ In Favor Of

☐ Against

Measure (insert assigned letter) S at the General Municipal Election to be held on
November 4, 2008 in the City of Irvine authorize(s) the following individuals to sign the
Direct Argument in his/her/their place:

1. _____ to sign instead of _____
Print name of Direct Argument signer Signature of Direct Argument Author
Date _____
2. _____ to sign instead of _____
Print name of Direct Argument signer Signature of Direct Argument Author
Date _____
3. _____ to sign instead of _____
Print name of Direct Argument signer Signature of Direct Argument Author
Date _____
4. _____ to sign instead of _____
Print name of Direct Argument signer Signature of Direct Argument Author
Date _____
5. _____ to sign instead of _____
Print name of Direct Argument signer Signature of Direct Argument Author
Date _____

Authorization for Signers of Rebuttal Arguments

Date _____

WORD COUNT GUIDELINES

Elec. Code §9

The following are the guidelines for computing the word count:

The heading and signature block are not included in the word count.

Punctuation marks are not included in the word count.

Symbols such as "&" and "#" (number/pound) are not considered punctuation.....each symbol is counted as one word

Dictionary words.....one word

The words "a", "the", "and", "an" are counted as individual words.

Geographical names (cities, states, and counties)

County of Orange, San Juan Capistrano.....one word

Abbreviations - UCLA, U.C.L.A., PTA, P.T.A., USMC, U.S.M.C.....one word

Regularly hyphenated words appearing in any generally available standard reference dictionary published in the United States within 10 years preceding the election.

Each part of all other hyphenated words shall be counted as a separate word...one word

Dates - all digits (4/8/98).....one word

Words and digits (April 8, 1998).....two words

Whole numbers - Digits (1 or 10 or 100, etc.).....one word

Spelled out (one or ten or one hundred).....each word counts as one word

Names of persons and things.....each word counts as one word

Gus Enright (two words); L.A. Basketball Team (three words)

Numeric combinations (1973, 18 1/2, 1971-73, 5%).....one word

Combination of a number and a word (\$4 million).....two words

Monetary amounts (if the dollar sign is used with figures - \$1,000).....one word

Spelled out (one thousand dollars).....each word counts as one word

Telephone numbers/faxed numbers.....one word

Internet web site address.....one word

If the argument exceeds the word limit, the author must delete or change a sufficient number of words, or a sentence, to put the argument within the required word limit before the argument is filed. The author should correct any misspellings before the argument is filed.