

RESOLUTION NO. .

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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RESOLUTION APPROVING REQUESTS BY THE COASTSIDE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT, MIDCOAST COMMUNITY COUNCIL, GRANADA COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT, AND MONTARA WATER AND SANITARY DISTRICT TO CHANGE THE ELECTION DATES FOR MEMBERS OF THEIR RESPECTIVE GOVERNING BODIES TO THE DATE OF THE GENERAL STATEWIDE ELECTION OCCURRING IN EVEN-NUMBERED YEARS

RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, that

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 10404 of the Elections Code (“Section 10404”), any special district that elects members of its governing board in November of odd-numbered years may, by resolution, require that its election of governing board members be held instead on the same day as the statewide general election in November of even-numbered years; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 10404, the Board of Directors of the Coastside Fire Protection District (the “CFPD”) adopted Resolution 2015-02 requesting that the elections of its members be changed from odd-numbered to even-numbered years; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 10404, the Midcoast Community Council (the “MCC”) adopted Resolution 2015 - 1 requesting that the elections of its members be changed from odd-numbered to even-numbered years; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 10404, the Board of Directors of the Granada Community Services District (the “GCSD”) adopted Resolution 2015-001 requiring that the elections of its members be changed from odd-numbered to even-numbered years;

and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 10404, the Board of Directors of the Montara Water and Sanitary District (the “MWSD”) adopted Resolution 1586 requesting that the elections of its members be changed from odd-numbered to even-numbered years; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 10404(d), the San Mateo County Chief Elections Officer prepared separate reports analyzing the impact of the proposed consolidations with the general statewide election occurring in even-numbered years requested by CFPD, MCC, GCSD, and MWSD, respectively; and

WHEREAS, as required by Section 10404(c), notice was provided to all special districts located in the County of the receipt of the resolutions to consolidate the CFPD, MCC, GCSD, and MWSD elections in even-numbered years, and said notice gave each district the opportunity to provide input on the effect of the requested consolidations; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 10404(e), this Board of Supervisors must approve each resolution requesting consolidation with even-numbered year elections unless it finds that the ballot style, voting equipment, or computer capacity is such that additional elections or materials cannot be handled; and

WHEREAS, this Board has reviewed the four reports prepared by the San Mateo County Chief Elections Officer and has considered any input provided by other districts and by the public; and

WHEREAS, this Board of Supervisors has not been presented with evidence establishing that the ballot style, voting equipment, or computer capacity associated

with the requests of CFPD, MCC, GCSD, and MWSD are such that additional elections or materials cannot be handled by the Chief Elections Official.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED that this Board of Supervisors, as required by Section 10404(e), approves the respective resolutions submitted by the CFPD, MCC, GCSD, and MWSD changing their respective election dates for members of their governing bodies to the general statewide election occurring in even-numbered years, and accordingly said elections shall occur on the same day as such general statewide elections in future years.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief Elections Official is advised, pursuant to Section 10404(f), to notify all registered voters of the districts affected by the consolidation of the approval by the Board of Supervisors, with such notice occurring within 30 days, being done by mail, and being done at the expense of the respective requesting bodies.

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