

RESOLUTION NO. .

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

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TOWN OF PORTOLA VALLEY TOWN COUNCIL'S REQUEST THAT FUTURE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS BE MOVED FROM ODD TO EVEN-NUMBERED YEARS

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

WHEREAS, in September 2015 the Governor signed Senate Bill No. 415, which in most instances requires local jurisdictions, including school districts, cities, and other districts, to move their elections for governing board members, councilmembers and board of directors from odd-numbered years to even-numbered years if their elections currently occur on odd-numbered years; and

WHEREAS, on October 26, 2016, the Town Council of the Town of Portola Valley (the "Town") approved a resolution requesting that election dates for future general municipal elections be moved from odd to even-numbered years; and

WHEREAS, the Town submitted its resolution via U.S. Mail to the Board of Supervisors on November 1, 2016; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 10403.5(a)(1), the Chief Elections Officer submitted to the Board of Supervisors a report on the proposed action, and according to said report, the San Mateo Registration & Elections Division is able to handle the impact that the Town's requested change will have on the ballot style, voting equipment, and

computer capability; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors is required by Section 10403.5(a)(1) to approve the proposed change unless it finds that the ballot style, voting equipment, or computer capability is such that additional elections or materials cannot be handled.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED that the Board of Supervisors does not find that the ballot style, voting equipment, or computer capability of the Registration & Elections Division is such that additional elections or materials cannot be handled in relation to the Town's request, and accordingly the implementation of the Town's resolution is approved, with the first election occurring pursuant to that resolution at the November 6, 2018 Statewide General Election.

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