

## **RESOLUTION NO. 2007-895**

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

December 11, 2007

### **REQUESTING THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO TO CONSOLIDATE THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO'S JUNE 3, 2008 PRIMARY MUNICIPAL AND NOVEMBER 4, 2008 GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS TO BE HELD ON ELECTION PURSUANT TO SECTION 10403 OF THE CALIFORNIA ELECTIONS CODE**

#### **BACKGROUND**

- A. The Sacramento City Council has called a Primary Municipal Election to be held on June 3, 2008 for the purpose of electing a Mayor and City Council Members in Districts 2, 4, 6 and 8; and has called a General Municipal Election to be held on November 4, 2008 for the purpose of conducting a run-off in those offices if necessary.
- B. As provided in the California Elections Code, the request for consolidation with the jurisdiction conducting the election must be formally adopted.
- C. It is desirable that the Primary and General Municipal Elections be consolidated with the Statewide Primary and General Elections to be held on the same date and in the same manner as if there were one election.

#### **BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:**

- Section 1. That pursuant to the requirements of Section 10403 of the Elections Code, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Sacramento is hereby requested to consent and agree to the consolidation of a Primary Municipal Election with the Statewide Primary Election on Tuesday, June 3, 2008 and of a General Municipal Election with the Statewide General Election on Tuesday, November 4, 2008, for the purposes of the election of a Mayor and City Council Members in Districts 2, 4, 6 and 8.
- Section 2. That the County Elections Department is authorized to canvass the returns of the Primary and General Municipal Elections. The elections shall be held in all respects as if there were only one election, and only one form of ballot shall be used.
- 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 Sacramento 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 Sacramento County Board of Supervisors and the County Elections Department.
- Section 6. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this resolution and enter it into the book of original resolutions.

Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on December 11, 2007 by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers Cohn, Fong, Hammond, McCarty, Pannell, Sheedy, Tretheway, Waters, and Mayor Fargo.

Noes: None.

Abstain: None.

Absent: None.

  
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Mayor Heather Fargo

Attest:

  
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Shirley Concolino, City Clerk