REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT AGAINST CHARTER AMENDMENT MEASURE 3

The hypocrisy demonstrated in opponents’ arguments against Measure 3 is simply staggering.

In one argument, they demonstrate perfectly for the voters of Huntington Beach how much they care more about politics than people. And how truth comes second to trying to win.

Ultra-liberals Rhonda Bolton, Dan Kalmick, and Natalie Moser begin their argument: “This measure is effectively the same language” as a measure from two years ago. They then proceed to cherry-pick a piece of an argument against that measure from two years ago.

What they don’t tell you is that all three of Bolton, Kalmick, and Moser supported what they now oppose. If this were just a rehash of something they all supported, why aren’t they now joining with the majority of the Huntington Beach City Council to support this Measure?

A textbook definition of hypocrisy in action.

The simple answer is that Measure 3 is different from two years ago. And it is a shame that opponents to good governance have to, again, lie to voters, to try to get their way.

Don’t be fooled.

This measure makes it easier for residents to see how the City is planning to allocate resources long term, and will create a more focused and stable budget and root out waste in government spending.

Please join Mayor Tony Strickland, Mayor Pro Tem Gracey Van Der Mark, Councilmember Casey McKeon, Councilmember Pat Burns, and City Attorney Michael Gates in supporting Measure 3 for Huntington Beach.

For more information, please visit: www.yesonhbcharter.com

“The undersigned author(s) of the rebuttal to argument against Charter Amendment Measure 3 at the Special Primary Election for the City of Huntington Beach to be held on March 5, 2024, hereby states that such argument is true and correct to the best of their knowledge and belief.”

Signed: [Signature]
Tony Strickland, Mayor

Date: 11.13.23