REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT AGAINST CHARTER AMENDMENT MEASURE 1

Opponents of ensuring safe and fair elections in Huntington Beach have exposed just how weak their arguments are. Instead of sticking to the facts, they've resorted to lies and attempts to mislead voters. It makes you wonder whose side they're on?

The truth is the Registrar of Voters has made NO such comments about the future of governing elections in Huntington Beach. Not a word on cost. Not a word on managing our own elections. Not a word, period.

The opponents of Voter ID are simply making this up, shamefully lying to Huntington Beach voters. The best they can do is cite that the Bay Area liberal Attorney General disagrees with us is in itself incredibly telling. Of course he disagrees; he's someone who has long advocated letting felons vote!

Instead of protecting our elections from potential fraud, would opponents rather we follow Bonta's lead and let felons vote in Huntington Beach?

Another way to tell that opponents have nothing is all the equivocation they display: "Implied," "may have to," "could become," "could be," "potential," "could compromise." These are all just ways of avoiding making any concrete arguments against Voter ID.

The truth is that voters in Huntington Beach deserve to know, without question, that their elections are secure. And that is what Measure 1 is about.

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 Voter ID for Huntington Beach.

More information, please visit: www.yesonhbcharter.com

"The undersigned author(s) of the rebuttal to argument against **Charter Amendment Measure 1** 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:

Tony Strickland, Mayor

Date

11.13.23

Signed:

Gracey Van Der Mark, Mayor Pro Tem

Date

11/13/2023