

RESOLUTION NO. 245-04

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ARCATA
RATIFYING THE FINAL BALLOT MEASURE LANGUAGE FOR THE GENERAL
MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD NOVEMBER 5, 2024.**

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the laws relating to general law cities in the State of California, a general municipal election shall be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2024, for the election of municipal officers (the “Election”); and

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Arcata adopted Resolution No. 234-57 and No. 234-52 which

- Pursuant to Section 10403 and 10002 of the Elections Code, requests the Board of Supervisors of the County of Humboldt to consent to the consolidation of the Municipal Election with the Statewide General Election on November 5, 2024, including the publishing of all election materials, the mailing of sample ballots, the hiring of election officers, and conducting the Election; and
- Includes the election of three (3) City Councilmembers, each for a full term of four (4) years; and
- And submits to the voters a question relating to the imposition of a three-fourths (3/4th) of one cent Transactions and Use (“sales”) Tax for general purposes; and

WHEREAS, The City Clerk through Resolution No. 234-52 is provided authority to make any changes to the text of the proposition or this Resolution, including its exhibits, as required to conform to any requirements of law; and

WHEREAS, through that process of review the ballot measure language was amended to read as follows:

CITY OF ARCATA SALES TAX MEASURE	
To maintain and improve emergency and climate change response; services addressing homelessness and its impacts; mental health response to crisis; sidewalks, bike lanes, transit, roads and trails; recreation and parks; and other vital programs: shall the measure enacting a 3/4 cent sales tax for general government purposes be adopted, providing approximately \$2.6 million annually until ended by voters, requiring audited spending reports, citizens' oversight, and all funds to be spent locally?	YES
	NO

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT The City Council of the City of Arcata does resolve, declare and determine and order as follows, that:

SECTION 1. The City Council, does hereby ratify the amended ballot measure language as set forth above and orders the submittal to the measure on the ballot for the General Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2024.

SECTION 2. All other provisions as set forth in Resolution Nos. 234-57 and 234-52 remain in effect.

DATED: July 17, 2024

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

City Clerk, City of Arcata

Mayor, City of Arcata

CLERK'S CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of **Resolution No. 245-04** passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Arcata, County of Humboldt, State of California, on the 17th day of July, 2024, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTENTIONS:

City Clerk, City of Arcata