

RESOLUTION NO. NS-29,114

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA CRUZ
CALLING AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 2016 AT THE
STATEWIDE PRESIDENTIAL GENERAL ELECTION IN THE CITY OF SANTA
CRUZ FOR A BALLOT MEASURE SUBMISSION OF A PROPOSED CHARTER
AMENDMENT TO SECTION 1429 (WATER SYSTEM INALIENABILITY)

WHEREAS, pursuant to authority provided by the California Constitution, Article XI and the Government Code, Title 4, Division 2, Chapter 2 (commencing at § 34450) and the Election Code Division 9, Chapter 3, Article 3 (commencing at § 9255) of the State of California, the City Council of the City of Santa Cruz desires to submit to the voters a proposed charter amendment relating to Section 1429 (Water System Inalienability); and

WHEREAS, the City Council is authorized and directed by statute to submit the proposed charter amendment to the voters;

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Santa Cruz, California, does resolve, declare determine and order as follows:

SECTION 1: That pursuant to the California Constitution, Article XI and the Government Code, Title 4, Division 2, Chapter 2 (commencing at § 34450) and the Election Code Division 9, Chapter 3, Article 3 (commencing at § 9255) of the State of California there is called and ordered to be held in the City of Santa Cruz, California, on Tuesday, November 8, 2016 a Statewide Presidential General Election for the purposes of submitting the following proposed charter amendment:

Shall an amendment to the Charter of the City of Santa Cruz Section 1429 be adopted?	YES
	NO

SECTION 2: That the text of the charter amendment submitted to the voters is attached as Exhibit A.

SECTION 3: That the City of Santa Cruz City Council hereby directs staff to place the measure on the ballot for the November 8, 2016 General Municipal Election; and

SECTION 4: The City Clerk Administrator shall certify the passage and adoption of the resolution and enter it into the book of original resolutions.

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PASSED AND ADOPTED this 28th day of June, 2016, by the following vote:

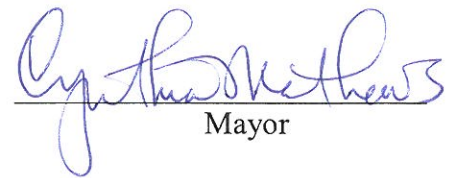
AYES: Councilmembers Noroyan, Lane, Terrazas, Posner, Comstock;
Vice Mayor Chase; Mayor Mathews.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: None.

DISQUALIFIED: None.

APPROVED:



Mayor

ATTEST:



City Clerk Administrator

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EXHIBIT A

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OF THE CITY OF SANTA CRUZ

That Section 1429 of the City Charter be amended to read as follows:

SECTION 1429. WATER SYSTEM INALIENABILITY.

The Council shall never sell, lease, assign, convey, mortgage, or hypothecate the water system, or any part thereof, ~~or the rents or income therefrom~~, unless authorized so to do by majority vote of the qualified electors of the City of Santa Cruz; provided, however, that property determined by the affirmative vote of five (5) members of the Council to be surplus, and not necessary as a part of the operating water system, may be disposed of. Nothing in this Section shall be construed to limit the authority of the City to issue notes, bonds or other obligations pursuant to its municipal affairs powers as a charter city to finance improvements to the water system, which are secured by a pledge of the revenues derived from the water system.