



SUBSTITUTE

RESOLUTION NO. 41496

1 BY REQUEST OF DEPUTY MAYOR HINES AND COUNCIL MEMBERS
2 BUSHNELL, DANIELS, AND RUMBAUGH

3 A RESOLUTION relating to the City Charter; appointing individuals to committees
4 to prepare statements “For” and “Against” proposed amendments to the
5 Tacoma City Charter which will appear in the Voters’ Pamphlet for the
6 Special Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2024.

7 WHEREAS, on July 23, 2024, the City Council adopted Resolution
8 No. 41491, transmitting six proposed amendments to the City Charter, to the
9 Pierce County Auditor to be placed on the ballot, and calling for a Special
10 Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2024, in conjunction with
11 the General Election, for the purpose of the voters’ consideration of said proposed
12 City Charter amendments, and

13 WHEREAS per the Revised Code of Washington 29A.32.280, for each
14 measure from a unit of local government that is included in a local voters’
15 pamphlet, the legislative authority of that jurisdiction shall, not later than the
16 deadline for submittal of the resolution calling for a special election, formally
17 appoint a committee to prepare arguments advocating voters’ approval of the
18 measure, and shall formally appoint a committee to prepare arguments
19 advocating voters’ rejection of the measure, and

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21 WHEREAS at the July 29, 2024, Government Performance and Finance
22 Committee (“Committee”) special meeting, the Committee considered letters of
23 interest and recommended individuals to the “For” and “Against” Committees
24 for each proposed City Charter amendment; Now, Therefore,
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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the nominees for the “For” and “Against” Committees, as listed in Exhibit “A,” are hereby confirmed and the persons designated thereon are hereby appointed as committee members for the “For” and “Against” Committees, to prepare arguments advocating voters’ approval or rejection of proposed amendments to the Tacoma City Charter, which will appear in the voters’ pamphlet for the November 5, 2024, Special Municipal Election.

Adopted _____

Mayor

Attest:

City Clerk

Approved as to form:

City Attorney



EXHIBIT "A"

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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO CITY CHARTER "FOR" AND "AGAINST" COMMITTEES

Proposed Charter Amendment No. 1 – Providing for Equitable Access

"FOR" COMMITTEE

Maricres Castro
Theresa Evans
Rebecca Stith

"AGAINST" COMMITTEE

None

Proposed Charter Amendment No. 2 - Required Meetings of the City Council

"FOR" COMMITTEE

Maricres Castro

"AGAINST" COMMITTEE

None

Proposed Charter Amendment No. 3 – Limitations Upon Sale or Transfer of Waterfront Property

"FOR" COMMITTEE

Aaron Pointer
Tim Reid
Andrea Smith

"AGAINST" COMMITTEE

Maricres Castro
Heidi Stephens



1 **Proposed Charter Amendment No. 4 - Duties and Authority of Council**
2 **Members**

3 **“FOR” COMMITTEE**

4 [Nicholas Carr](#)
5 [Jason Gauthier](#)
6 [Rebecca Stith](#)

7 **“AGAINST” COMMITTEE**

8 [Cathie J. Urwin](#)

9 **Proposed Charter Amendment No. 5 - Composition of the Planning**
10 **Commission**

11 **“FOR” COMMITTEE**

12 [Maricres Castro](#)

13 **“AGAINST” COMMITTEE**

14 [None](#)

16 **Proposed Charter Amendment No. 6 - Changing Term Limits for Future**
17 **Elected Council Members**

18 **“FOR” COMMITTEE**

19 [Maricres Castro](#)

20 **“AGAINST” COMMITTEE**

21 [Donna Walters](#)
22 [Cathie J. Urwin](#)

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