ORDINANCE S-51047

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE FORM OF THE BALLOT FOR THE CITY OF PHOENIX MAYOR AND COUNCIL ELECTION, THE SPECIAL ELECTION FOR COUNCIL DISTRICT 7 TO FILL THE REMAINDER OF THE VACANCY TERM, THE ELECTION TO CONTINUE THE EXISTING LOCALLY CONTROLLED ALTERNATIVE EXPENDITURE LIMITATION, RATIFY THE CITY OF PHOENIX GENERAL PLAN AND ACCEPT THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE CITIZENS' COMMISSION ON SALARIES FOR ELECTED CITY OFFICIALS, TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2024.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHOENIX, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the form of the ballot for the City of Phoenix Mayor and Council Election and Special Election for District 7, both being held on November 5, 2024, shall be established to read substantially as follows, consistent with the form of the ballot requirements for the Maricopa County General Election:

(FOR ALL BALLOTS)

(Precinct Name)

OFFICIAL BALLOT NOVEMBER 5, 2024

(FOR ALL BALLOTS)

NONPARTISAN BALLOT
CITY OF PHOENIX
MAYOR
(Vote For Not More Than 1)

(Candidates for Mayor as certified and filed by the City Clerk pursuant to Chapter XII, Section 3 of the City Charter shall be listed here.)

(FOR BALLOTS IN COUNCIL DISTRICTS 1, 3, 5 & 7)

NONPARTISAN BALLOT CITY OF PHOENIX COUNCIL MEMBER (Vote For Not More Than 1)

(Candidates for Council as certified and filed by the City Clerk pursuant to Chapter XII, Section 3 of the City Charter shall be listed here)

(FOR BALLOTS IN COUNCIL DISTRICT 7)

NONPARTISAN BALLOT CITY OF PHOENIX COUNCIL MEMBER TO FILL REMAINDER OF VACANCY TERM ENDING APRIL 21, 2025

(Vote For Not More Than 1)

(Candidates for Council District 7 as certified and filed by the City Clerk pursuant to Chapter XII, Section 3 of the City Charter shall be listed here)

(FOR BALLOTS IN DISTRICTS 2, 4, 6 & 8)

AS A RESULT OF THE STAGGERED FOUR-YEAR TERMS FOR THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL THERE IS NO REGULAR ELECTION FOR COUNCIL MEMBERS IN THESE DISTRICTS THIS YEAR.

(FOR ALL BALLOTS)

PROPOSITIONS SUBMITTED TO THE VOTERS

PROPOSITION NUMBER 487 LOCALLY CONTROLLED ALTERNATIVE EXPENDITURE LIMITATION

OFFICIAL TITLE: Resolution No. 22209

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHOENIX PROPOSING THE CONTINUANCE OF A LOCALLY CONTROLLED ALTERNATIVE EXPENDITURE LIMITATION. THIS ALTERNATIVE EXPENDITURE LIMITATION WOULD SET THE LIMIT EQUAL TO THE BUDGET ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL.

Descriptive Title

Continue the existing locally controlled alternative expenditure limitation allowed by Article IX, Section 20 (9) of the Arizona Constitution. If approved, it would keep the annual expenditure limitation equal to the City Council adopted budget for the next four years. Constitutional and previously authorized voter exclusions shall continue to apply.

Effect

A "Yes" vote shall have the effect of continuing local control by allowing the Mayor and City Council, by a majority vote, and after obtaining community input on the proposed spending plan to establish a local expenditure limitation.

A "No" vote shall have the effect of the city operating under the state-imposed expenditure limitation formula based on 1979-80 expenditures adjusted for inflation and population. This will result in an estimated \$2.1 billion reduction in the fiscal year 2025-26 budgeted expenditures and reductions in or eliminations across all City services.

Question

Shall the Alternative Expenditure Limitation set forth in Phoenix City Council Resolution No. 22209 be adopted as part of the local expenditure control program of the City of Phoenix?

YES

NO

PROPOSITION NUMBER 488 GENERAL PLAN

OFFICIAL TITLE:

RATIFICATION OF THE CITY OF PHOENIX GENERAL PLAN

Descriptive Title

Proposed ratification of the City of Phoenix General Plan, pursuant to A.R.S. § 9-461.06(M), as set forth in Resolution 22191 adopting the Phoenix General Plan, approved by the Council of the City of Phoenix on April 17, 2024. The General Plan provides direction for development, conservation and infrastructure investments in the City. It does not change any current land use designations, zoning or raise any taxes.

Question

Shall the City of Phoenix General Plan as set forth in Resolution 22191 adopted by the Phoenix City Council on April 17, 2024 be approved?

YES

NO

PROPOSITION NUMBER 489 CITIZENS' COMMISSION ON SALARIES FOR ELECTED CITY OFFICIALS

OFFICIAL TITLE:

A PROPOSAL BY THE CITIZENS' COMMISSION ON SALARIES FOR ELECTED CITY OFFICIALS TO ESTABLISH THE MAYOR'S SALARY AT \$103,840 PER YEAR, AND TO ESTABLISH EACH COUNCIL MEMBER'S SALARY AT \$77,000 PER YEAR, TO TAKE EFFECT ON APRIL 21, 2025, AND REPLACE THE SALARIES VOTERS APPROVED IN SEPTEMBER 2005.

Question

Shall the recommendation of the Citizens' Commission on Salaries for Elected City Officials of \$103,840 per annum for the Mayor, and \$77,000 per annum for each Council Member be accepted?

YES

NO

SECTION 2. If space limitation on the ballot requires the language of the locally controlled alternative expenditure limitation proposition submitted to the qualified electors of the City of Phoenix to be shortened, the proposition shall read substantially as follows:

(FOR ALL BALLOTS)

PROPOSITIONS SUBMITTED TO THE VOTERS

PROPOSITION NUMBER 487 LOCALLY CONTROLLED ALTERNATIVE EXPENDITURE LIMITATION

Question

Shall the Alternative Expenditure Limitation set forth in Phoenix City Council Resolution No. 22209 be adopted as part of the local expenditure control program of the City of Phoenix?

A "Yes" vote shall have the effect of continuing local control by allowing the Mayor and City Council, by majority vote, and after obtaining community input on the proposed spending plan to establish a local expenditure limitation. Constitutional and previously authorized voter exclusions shall continue to apply.

A "No" vote shall have the effect of the city operating under the state-imposed expenditure limitation formula based on 1979-80 expenditures adjusted for inflation and population. This will result in an estimated \$2.1 billion reduction in the fiscal year 2025-26 budgeted expenditures and reductions in or eliminations across all City services.

YES

NO

PASSED by the Council of the City of Phoenix this 12th day of June, 2024.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

Denise Archibald, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM: Julie M. Kriegh, City Attorney

By: Paul Li

Paul Li, Assistant Chief Counsel

REVIEWED BY:

Jeffrey Barton, City Manager

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