

Resolution Cover Sheet

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Prop 2.

Name of District: City of Port Angeles

District Address: 321 East 5th Street

Date of Election: November 7, 2017

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Type of Election (levy, bond, lid lift, etc.): Advisory vote

Pass / Fail Requirement for this measure (simple majority, supermajority, 60% plus validation, etc.) as determined by your legal counsel:

Non-binding question placed before voters of Port Angeles
for the purpose of assisting Council in making a decision

Questions?

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RESOLUTION NO. 12-17

CLALLAM COUNTY AUDITOR

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A RESOLUTION of the City Council of the City of Port Angeles, Washington, providing for the submission to the voters of the City of an advisory ballot seeking citizen input regarding the fluoridation of the City's municipal water supply at an election to be held November 7, 2017.

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Port Angeles as follows:

Section 1. Findings. The City Council of the City of Port Angeles seeks citizen opinion as to whether to resume fluoridation of the City's municipal water supply. To accomplish that, Council hereby finds and declares an advisory ballot measure, asking whether fluoridation should be resumed, should be submitted to the voters of the City at the Municipal General Election on November 7, 2017.

Section 2. Election. In order to measure citizen opinion on fluoridation, the Council hereby authorizes the ballot measure as described below to be submitted at an election to be held on November 7, 2017. The Clallam County Auditor is hereby requested to submit the proposition hereinafter set forth to the qualified voters of the City.

Section 3. Ballot Title. The City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to certify the following proposition to the Clallam County Auditor in substantially the following form:

CITY OF PORT ANGELES PROPOSITION NO. 2
FLUORIDATION OF MUNICIPAL WATER SUPPLY

The City Council for the City of Port Angeles adopted Resolution No. 12-17, concerning fluoridation of its municipal water supply. This is an advisory ballot, and is not binding on the City Council. However, the Council will be guided by the results of this ballot in deciding whether to resume fluoridation. Shall the City of Port Angeles add fluoride to its municipal water supply?

YES

NO.....

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

Beginning in 2006 and continuing through August 3, 2016, the City of Port Angeles, fluoridated its drinking water in accordance with regulations established by the Washington State Department of Health. There has been much debate as to whether the City should fluoridate its

municipal water supply. In August 2016, the City Council suspended the practice of fluoridation until the voters of the City, at a municipal general election, can express their opinion regarding fluoridation. This is an advisory ballot, and is not binding on the City Council. However, the Council will be guided by the results of this ballot in deciding whether to resume fluoridation.

This statement was prepared by William Bloor, City Attorney for Port Angeles; 321 E. Fifth Street, Second Floor, Port Angeles, WA 98362; (360) 417-4536.

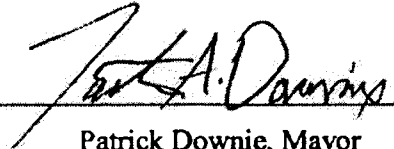
Section 4. Election. The City Manager is authorized and directed to make all arrangements and agreements necessary to have this advisory ballot measure included on the ballot at the next municipal general election.

Section 5. Corrections. The City Clerk and City Attorney are authorized to make necessary clerical corrections to this resolution including, but not limited to, the correction of scrivener's/ clerical errors, references, resolution numbering, section/subsection numbers and any references thereto, and to make corrections or revisions consistent with the requirements of state and local law which do not change the substantive meaning of this resolution.

Section 6. Severability. In the event any one or more of the provisions of this resolution shall for any reason be held to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect or invalidate any other provision of this resolution, but this resolution shall be construed and enforced as if such invalid provision had not been contained herein.

Section 7. Effective Date. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon adoption.


ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Port Angeles at a regular meeting of said Council held on the 2nd day of May, 2017.


Patrick Downie, Mayor

ATTEST:


Jennifer Veneklasen, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


William E. Bloor, City Attorney