

RESOLUTION NO 19-24

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ANGELS
SUBMITTING A BALLOT MEASURE TO THE CITY'S QUALIFIED VOTERS AT A
NOVEMBER 5, 2019 ELECTION, CONSOLIDATED WITH THE COUNTY OF
CALAVERAS, INCREASING THE TRANSIENT OCCUPANCY TAX FROM TEN
PERCENT (10%) TO TWELVE PERCENT (12%).**

WHEREAS, the City of Angels ("City") last increased its Transient Occupancy Tax in 2003; and

WHEREAS, the City is currently experiencing a serious budget shortfall which, if prolonged, would result in severe budget cuts and a reduction in City services; and

WHEREAS, the City Council believes that raising the Transient Occupancy Tax to twelve percent (12%) will generate a long-term revenue source to address some of the City's deficits and rising costs; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Elections Code section 9222, the City Council desires to submit to the voters a measure and proposed Ordinance to increase the City's Transient Occupancy Tax from ten percent (10%) to twelve percent (12%); and

WHEREAS, increasing the City's Transient Occupancy Tax will establish a tax rate consistent with the rate charged by Calaveras County and other neighboring jurisdictions; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code section 53724, the City Council seeks to submit the tax Ordinance to qualified electors of the City during a special election, to be held on November 5, 2019.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Elections Code section 10418, the City may file with the Calaveras County Board of Supervisors, and the Calaveras County Clerk, a resolution requesting consolidation of this initiative on November 5, 2019, concurrently with any other election that may be held on such date.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council for the City of Angels Camp follows:

1. The foregoing recitals are true and correct and are hereby incorporated by reference.
2. The City Council of the City of Angels requests the Board of Supervisors of Calaveras County consolidate the City of Angels transient occupancy tax increase election with any other election to be held on November 5, 2019.

3. The City Council of the City of Angels determines that the transient occupancy tax increase is necessary to avert severe budget cuts. Any delay until the 2020 General Election will result in irreversible harm to public services. Therefore, the City Council must seek additional revenue sources prior to the 2020 General Election. Accordingly, the City Council determines that the measure must appear on the November 2019 ballot.

4. Pursuant to California Elections Code section 9222, the City Council hereby calls for a special election to be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2019, and orders that the following question be submitted to the voters at such election:

Shall the measure permanently increasing the City of Angels' transient occupancy tax from ten percent (10%) to twelve percent (12%), to generate an additional \$200,000 annually from hotel and vacation rental guests, to fund essential public services including emergency fire response and protection, police patrols, public works maintenance, business attraction and retention; and to increase the City's appropriations limit for Fiscal Years 2020-2024 by the amount of tax proceeds received by the increase, be approved?	YES	
	NO	

5. Pursuant to Elections Code section 10002, the City Council requests that the Calaveras County Board of Supervisors authorize the Calaveras County Registrar of Voters to provide any and all services necessary to conducting the election on November 5, 2019. The City agrees to pay for such services.

6. The City Council hereby directs the City Clerk to deliver certified copies of this Resolution to the Clerk of the Calaveras County Board of Supervisors and the Calaveras County Registrar of Voters on or before June 28, 2019.

7. The City Attorney is hereby directed to prepare an impartial analysis of the measure pursuant to Election Code section 9280, to be submitted to the City Elections Official on or before August 08, 2019, or the last date established by the County Elections Official for receipt of the impartial analysis.

8. The City Council is hereby authorized and directed to form a two (2) member subcommittee to formulate, execute, and submit the argument in favor of the measure, limited to 300 words, and including up to five (5) signatures, pursuant to Elections Code sections 9282 and 9283. The argument in favor shall be submitted to the City elections official on or before July 29, 2019, or the last date established by the County Elections Official for receipt of the arguments.

9. The two (2) member subcommittee shall be authorized to formulate, execute, and submit a rebuttal to any argument submitted against the measure, limited to 250 words, and to include up to five signatures pursuant to Elections Code sections 9285 and 9283, to be submitted to the City elections official on or before August 08, 2019, or the last date established by the County Elections Official for receipt of the rebuttal arguments.

10. The City Clerk and other City officers and employees are hereby authorized and directed to take all other actions that are necessary to have the City's measure properly submitted to the City voters at the election on November 5, 2019.


11. This resolution supersedes Resolution 19-12 previously adopted by the City Council.

PASSED AND ADOPTED AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ANGELS ON THIS 2ND DAY OF JULY 2019, BY THE FOLLOWING UNANIMOUS VOTE:

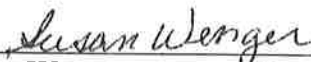
AYES: Oliveira, Hermann, Metildi, Broglio

NOES: None

ABSENT: Folendorf


Joseph Oliveira, Vice Mayor

ATTEST:


Susan Wenger, Deputy City Clerk



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CITY CLERK'S CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, being the Deputy City Clerk of the City of Angels, hereby certifies that the foregoing represents a true copy of Resolution No. 19-24 of the City of Angels City Council, duly passed and adopted on July 2, 2019, which Resolution is in full force and effect and has not been revoked or amended.

Witness my hand and seal, this 2nd day of July, 2019

Susan Wenger

Susan Wenger, Deputy City Clerk
City of Angels,
Angels Camp, CA

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CALAVERAS COUNTY
Rebecca Turner, County Clerk
Deputy

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'RT', is written over the text 'Rebecca Turner, County Clerk Deputy'.