RESOLUTION No. 2019- R

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CULVER CITY, CALIFORNIA, CALLING AND GIVING NOTICE OF THE HOLDING OF A SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY ON TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 2020, FOR THE SUBMISSION OF ONE (1) QUESTION TO THE VOTERS RELATING TO ONE (1) TAX MEASURE.

WHEREAS, at its duly noticed Regular meeting held on October 28, 2019, the City Council determined to hold a Special Municipal Election on March 3, 2020, and to place one measure on the ballot relating to one (1) tax measure; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined it wishes to submit to the voters at such Special Municipal Election a question relating to the continuation of a one-half cent transactions and use tax that was put into effect in 2012, having declared a fiscal emergency; and

WHEREAS, Section 1501 of the City Charter provides that the City Council may, at its discretion, call an election for any reason sanctioned by law at any time it deems necessary and that such election shall be known as a Special Municipal Election; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined to submit to the voters at such Special Municipal Election one (1) question relating to one (1) tax measure.

NOW, THEREFORE, The City Council of the City of Culver City, California, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE as follows:

SECTION 1. Pursuant to the requirements of the City Charter related to Special Municipal Elections, there is called and ordered to be held in the City of Culver City, California, on Tuesday, March 3, 2020, a Special Municipal Election.

SECTION 2. That the City Council, pursuant to its right and authority, does order submitted to the voters at said Special Municipal Election the following one (1) question, relating to one (1) tax measure:

Measure ____:

"CONTINUATION OF CITY SERVICES TRANSACTIONS YES ____
AND USE TAX. Shall the measure to maintain 911 emergency
response services by retaining firefighters/ police officers/
paramedics; addressing homelessness; fixing
potholes/streets; maintaining storm drains, parks, after-school
programs, senior services, and other general fund services, by
continuing the voter approved one-half cent sales tax,
generating approximately 9.8 million dollars annually, until
ended by voters, requiring independent annual audits, all funds

SECTION 3. That the proposed complete text of the measure amending a City tax ordinance is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein by reference.

used locally, with no tax rate increase, be adopted?"

SECTION 4. That the ballots to be used at the election shall be in form and content as required by law.

SECTION 5. That the City Clerk is, directly or through consolidation with the County of Los Angeles (as such consolidation may be authorized by the City Council), authorized, instructed and directed to procure and furnish any and all official ballots, notices, printed matter and all supplies, equipment, and paraphernalia that may be necessary in order to properly and lawfully conduct the election.

SECTION 6. That the vote centers for the election shall be open as required during the identified voting period pursuant to Elections Code of the State of California § 4007 and §14401.

SECTION 7. That in all particulars not recited in this resolution, the election shall be held and conducted as provided by law for holding special municipal elections.

SECTION 8. That notice of the time and place of holding the election is hereby given and the City Clerk is authorized, instructed and directed to give further or additional notice of the election, in time, form and manner as required by law.

SECTION 9. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution and enter it into the book of original Resolutions.

SECTION 10. That pursuant to the City Charter, the City Clerk is empowered to administer said election and all reasonable and actual election expenses shall be paid by the City upon presentation of a properly submitted bill.

SECTION 11. That the City Clerk is directed to forward copies of the measure to be voted on at the Special Election to the City Attorney for the preparation of impartial analyses in compliance with applicable law.

APPROVED and ADOPTED on this 28th day of October 2019.

MEGHAN SAHLI-WELLS, MAYOR City of Culver City, California

APPROVED AS, TO FORM:

ATTEST:

JEREMY GREEN, City Clerk

AROL A. SCHWAB, City Attorney