RESOLUTION NO. 2021-158

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY, STATE OF CALIFORNIA APPROVING CHAFFEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT'S CHANGE OF ELECTION DATES

On Tuesday, August 24, 2021, on motion of Supervisor Baca Jr., duly seconded by Supervisor Rutherford and carried, the following resolution is adopted by the Board of Supervisors of San Bernardino County, State of California.

WHEREAS, community college districts, such as Chaffey Community College District, are initially authorized to hold their governing board elections in November of odd-numbered years; and

WHEREAS, Elections Code section 1302(b) authorizes community college districts to move their governing board elections to the statewide primary or statewide general election in each even-numbered year, provided the governing board of said district adopts a resolution requesting such change and such resolution is approved by the appropriate board of supervisors in accordance with the requirements of Elections Code section 10405.7; and

WHEREAS, on May 23, 2017, (Item No. 116) the Board of Supervisors adopted Resolution No. 2017-93 approving Chaffey Community College District's request to move its governing board member elections to statewide primary elections held in June, commencing in 2018; and

WHEREAS, on September 27, 2017, the Governor approved Senate Bill 568 to change the date of statewide primaries from June to March in even-numbered years, commencing in 2020; and

WHEREAS, on June 27, 2019, pursuant to Elections Code section 10405.7, the Governing Board of Chaffey Community College District adopted Resolution No. 62719 requesting the District's elections be consolidated with the statewide primary election held in March of even-numbered years; and

WHEREAS, on September 18, 2020, the Governor approved Senate Bill 970 to amend California Elections Code sections 1000, 1001, 1201, and 1202 to change the date of statewide primaries from March to June in even-numbered years in which there is no presidential primary, commencing in 2022; and

WHEREAS, on June 24, 2021, pursuant to Elections Code section 10405.7, the Governing Board of Chaffey Community College District adopted Resolution No. 62421 requesting the District's elections be consolidated with the statewide primary elections as defined by Elections Code section 1201; and

WHEREAS, as required by Elections Code section 10405.7(c), the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors sent notices to all districts that could be affected by the proposed consolidation and requested their input on the effect of the request for consolidation; and

WHEREAS, the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors received no response from any jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, Elections Code section 10405.7 requires that the Board of Supervisors approve these resolutions, unless it finds that the ballot style, voting equipment, or computer capacity is such that additional elections or materials cannot be handled; and

WHEREAS, Registrar of Voters has indicated that the ballot styles, voting equipment, and computer capacity can handle the changes in election cycles;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of San Bernardino County, State of California, hereby approves, resolves and orders that the resolution of the governing board of Chaffey Community College District for consolidation of their governing board elections with the statewide primary elections as defined by Elections Code section 1201.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of San Bernardino County, State of California, by the following vote:

AYES: SUPERVISORS: Janice Rutherford, Dawn Rowe, Curt Hagman, Joe Baca, Jr.

NOES: SUPERVISORS: None

ABSENT: SUPERVISORS: Col. Paul Cook (Ret.)

STATE OF CALIFORNIA) ss.
SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY)

I, LYNNA MONELL, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of San Bernardino County, State of California, hereby certify the foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of the record of the action taken by the Board of Supervisors, by vote of the members present, as the same appears in the Official Minutes of said Board at its meeting of August 24, 2021, #48 LA

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Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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