

LONG BALLOT

Special Election Sep. 7, 1920

Election Officials After Completing Canvass Will Enter Results on This Card and Post Near Polling Place

<p>PROPOSITION I. Amend Section 4, Chapter III, Article I of the City Charter. This amendment provides that where there is but one office to be filled, any candidate receiving a majority of all the votes cast at the primary election for said office shall be the only candidate whose name shall be placed on the ballot at the general election.</p> <p>10.680</p>	<p>YES 5610 52.53%</p> <p>NO 5070 47.47%</p>	<p>PROPOSITION IX. Amend Chapter VIII, Article V of the City Charter. This amendment places the government and control of the Bay of San Diego in the Operating Department, under the legislative control of the Common Council.</p> <p>11.382</p>	<p>YES 2735 24.03%</p> <p>NO 8647 75.97%</p>
<p>PROPOSITION II. Amend Section 1, Chapter II, Article II of the City Charter, by changing Subdivision 44, and by adding subdivisions 45 and 46. This amendment empowers the Common Council by ordinance (a) to make and enforce all laws and regulations in respect to municipal affairs, subject to the limitations of the charter, provided that the City is authorized to exercise any of the rights, powers and privileges granted or prescribed by General Laws of the State; (b) to organize, establish, operate and maintain a municipal gas and electric light plant for the purpose of supplying the inhabitants of the City with gas and electricity for light, heat and power purposes; (c) to provide for municipal garbage collection at a nominal charge, making it unlawful for any person to collect garbage without a license from the City, and permitting the owner of waste food products and commercial garbage to dispose of the same as he sees fit.</p> <p>10.823</p>	<p>YES 2921 26.79%</p> <p>NO 7902 73.01%</p>	<p>PROPOSITION X. Amend Chapter IX, Article V of the City Charter. This amendment places the control and management of the cemeteries of the City in the Operating Department, and vests the entire control and management of Mount Hope Cemetery in said Operating Department, under the legislative control of the Common Council.</p> <p>11.189</p>	<p>YES 2727 24.22%</p> <p>NO 8462 75.63%</p>
<p>PROPOSITION III. Amend Section 2, Chapter IV, Article III of the City Charter. This amendment provides a four-year term of office for the City Treasurer.</p> <p>10.844</p>	<p>YES 6636 61.22%</p> <p>NO 4208 38.82%</p>	<p>PROPOSITION XI. Amend Section 1, Chapter I, Article VI of the City Charter. This amendment provides that the Common Council shall adopt a budget ordinance annually, and limits the various departments in the expenditure of funds to such moneys as shall have been provided in said budget ordinance.</p> <p>10.402</p>	<p>YES 6324 60.26%</p> <p>NO 4084 39.24%</p>
<p>PROPOSITION IV. Amend Chapter VII-3, Article III of the City Charter. This amendment places the control and jurisdiction of City playgrounds in the Operating Department under the legislative control of the Common Council.</p> <p>11.092</p>	<p>YES 2800 26.07%</p> <p>NO 8204 73.96%</p>	<p>PROPOSITION XII. Amend Sections 9 and 10, Chapter II, Article VI of the City Charter. This amendment creates certain funds of the City, namely: General Fund, Library Fund, San Diego Harbor Fund, Water Depreciation Fund, Special Election Fund, Playground Fund, Cemetery Fund, Mount Hope Cemetery Fund and Reserve Fund; and provides that all delinquent taxes and all balances left in the various funds of the City, except such balances as are left in special funds, bond funds and special trust funds shall be placed in the Reserve Fund, and that the Reserve Fund can only be used in case of emergency, when the Common Council shall determine by four-fifths vote that the public interest or necessity demands such expenditure.</p> <p>10.467</p>	<p>YES 5854 55.93%</p> <p>NO 4613 44.07%</p>
<p>PROPOSITION V. Amend Chapter VIII, Article III of the City Charter, by adding a new section thereto, to be known and numbered as Section 2. This amendment provides that the premiums on all surety bonds given by officers of the City shall be paid by the City of San Diego.</p> <p>10.122</p>	<p>YES 3982 32.44%</p> <p>NO 6140 40.66%</p>	<p>PROPOSITION XIII. Amend Chapter II, Article VI of the City Charter, by adding a new section thereto to be known and numbered as Section 181. This amendment provides that in all proceedings for the acquisition, construction or completion of any municipal improvement, the General Bond Act No. 2871 of the General Laws of the State shall control, except in one particular, to-wit: that the City shall not incur an indebtedness for public improvements which shall in the aggregate exceed twenty-five per cent of the assessed value of all real and personal property in said City.</p> <p>10.306</p>	<p>YES 3421 31.92%</p> <p>NO 6805 65.87%</p>
<p>PROPOSITION VI. Amend Chapter II, Article V of the City Charter. This amendment enables the City in all proceedings for the improvement of streets to take over and do the work itself in the event that no bids are received, or that the bids are too high, and assess the cost of such work against the property owners, in the manner provided for at the present time by the General Laws.</p> <p>10.663</p>	<p>YES 6264 53.75%</p> <p>NO 4399 41.25%</p>	<p>PROPOSITION XIV. Amend Chapter III, Article IX of the City Charter. This amendment creates the Department of Public Health, and places the control of such department in the hands of a Health Commissioner, and vests in said Health Commissioner all powers formerly exercised by the Board of Health.</p> <p>10.702</p>	<p>YES 4207 39.43%</p> <p>NO 6502 60.77%</p>
<p>PROPOSITION VII. Amend Chapter I, Article V of the City Charter. This amendment abolishes the Board of Water Commissioners, and vests the control of the impounding system located outside the limits of the City in the Operating Department, under the legislative control of the Common Council; also creates a Water Depreciation Fund which shall be used for the replacement of depreciated property used in connection with the maintenance and development of the water system of the City; and authorizes the Common Council to make and enforce all laws and regulations concerning the water system which shall have the force of law.</p> <p>10.975</p>	<p>YES 5278 48.09%</p> <p>NO 5697 51.91%</p>	<p>PROPOSITION XV. Amend Section 16, Article I of the City Charter. This amendment provides that any officer, board or department having authority to employ any deputy, clerk, assistant or employee shall have the right to remove such person so appointed, and in case of removal shall give written notice thereof stating the cause to the person removed. The amendment also provides for hearing before the Civil Service Commission, who is authorized to either dismiss the employee or to reinstate him on the eligible list. This amendment further provides that in no case shall a discharged employee be re-employed in the department from which he is discharged without the consent of the board of such department.</p> <p>11.018</p>	<p>YES 5184 49.74%</p> <p>NO 5233 50.26%</p>
<p>PROPOSITION VIII. Amend Chapter VII, Article 1 of the City Charter. This amendment places the control and management of the City's public works, including the City's public buildings, in the Operating Department, under the legislative control of the Common Council.</p> <p>10.221</p>	<p>YES 2809 24.21%</p> <p>NO 8681 75.79%</p>	<p>PROPOSITION XVI. Amend Chapter VII, Article 1 of the City Charter. This amendment creates a City Public Works Commission, and vests in said Commission all powers formerly exercised by the Board of Public Works.</p> <p>11.018</p>	<p>YES 5184 49.74%</p> <p>NO 5233 50.26%</p>

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PROPOSITIONS VOTED UPON

FOR THE ORDINANCE prohibiting publication and distribution of information concerning horse races and betting thereon.

5228

46.72%

AGAINST THE ORDINANCE prohibiting publication and distribution of information concerning horse races and betting thereon.

5961

53.28%

11,189

PROPOSITION I. Shall the City of San Diego grant to the San Diego School District for school purposes those portions of Balboa Park described in Document No. 131493, on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, and situated within the boundaries of said City?

YES

6309

54.31%

NO

5308

45.69%

11,617

PROPOSITION II. Shall the City of San Diego ratify and approve the claim of F. J. Belcher, Jr., Chairman of the Naval Training Site Committee, acting on behalf of the Contributors to the fund raised to acquire and donate to the United States a site for a naval training station on San Diego Bay in the sum of \$261,302.88?

YES

7340

65%

NO

3953

35%

11,293

Total vote 12627

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Referendum Petition