SUBMISSION OF BALLOT PROPOSALS FOR THE NOVEMBER 8, 2016 BALLOT

City Council Policy 000-21 establishes the procedure for submittal of ballot proposals. The Council Policy states that members of the public shall submit proposals to the City Clerk, who shall then transmit them promptly to Committee for review and comment. The proposals must be submitted in time to allow the City Clerk to list on the Council Docket, prior to the election, the ballot proposals which have been referred to Council following Committee review.

The City Clerk has established the following administrative guidelines for the November 8, 2016 election:

DAY	<u>DATE</u>	DAYS BEFORE ELECTION	<u>EVENT</u>
Tuesday	6/7/16	154	LAST DATE (5:00 p.m.) for public, departments and agencies to submit ballot proposals to City Clerk for review by Committee
Wednesday	6/15/16	146	Committee review
Monday	6/27/16	134	Council Docket (PUBLIC NOTICE) lists proposals referred by Committee
Monday – Tuesday	7/11/16 - 8/2/16	120 – 98	Council to discuss propositions, direct City Attorney to prepare ordinances placing measures on the ballot, and adopt prepared ordinances
Friday	8/12/16	88	Last day for City Clerk to file with Registrar of Voters all elections material
Monday	8/22/16	78	Impartial and Fiscal Analyses and ballot titles/summaries due to the City Clerk
Thursday	8/25/16	75	Last day to file ballot arguments with City Clerk

If you have questions, please contact the Office of the City Clerk at (619) 533-4000.