

Argument in Favor of Measure KK

Please vote Yes on Measure KK.

Measure KK will help Belmont build and sustain a strong economy and support public services throughout our community.

Measure KK will adjust our Transient Occupancy Tax (TOT) to be in line with other cities in San Mateo County, raising the tax on hotel and short-term visitor stays from 10% to 12%.

10 of 15 cities in San Mateo County have already increased their TOT to 12% and some may raise rates to 14%.

Belmont has not changed its rate since 1978 and Measure KK will give our City local control over an incremental \$560,000 annually for:

- Infrastructure improvements including streets, storm drains, and sidewalks;
- Maintaining 9-1-1 emergency response times;
- Maintaining and improving parks and;
- Addressing other local priorities

Belmont residents do NOT pay this tax. It is paid by tourists and visitors to our city that stay in our hotels and motels.

Visitors to our wonderful city will continue to contribute to maintaining and improving our roads, emergency services, parks and recreation opportunities.

Raising the TOT represents a fair and direct way to recover the increased costs associated with visitor stays in Belmont.

Great News! All our TOT revenue remains here in Belmont. The State cannot take it from us. All the revenue raised will be put to work to benefit you!

The Belmont City Council voted unanimously to place Measure KK on the ballot.

Please join us in voting Yes on Measure KK.

Primary Argument Signers Form Each signer must designate in which capacity they are signing. Check the one box that applies.

No more than five signatures shall appear with any argument. If more than five signatures are submitted, the first five listed shall be printed.

Names and titles listed will be printed in the order that they are listed below.

If the signers are part of a bona fide association/organization, there is no requirement that they be eligible to vote on the measure. However, for each such signing individual(s), the title under the signer's name shall list the name of that bona fide association/organization and may include their position within that association/organization.

By signing below, the undersigned state that they have read the argument and believe it not to be false or misleading.

Governing Body of San Mateo County, a School District, or a Special District

Member(s) of the Governing Body of San Mateo County, a School District, or a Special District

Bona Fide Association of Citizens/Organization

Individual(s) eligible to vote on the measure

1.	Name: Charles Stone	Title: Former Mayor	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Phone: [Redacted]					
	Address: Belmont, CA 94002					
	Signature: [Redacted]	Date: 8/16/18				
2.	Name: Warren Lieberman	Title: Councilmember	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Phone: [Redacted]					
	Address: [Redacted]					
	Signature: [Redacted]	Date: 8/17/18				
3.	Name: ROBERT LEDOUX	Title: FORMER BELMONT FINANCE COMMISSIONER	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Phone: [Redacted]					
	Address: [Redacted]					
	Signature: [Redacted]	Date: 8/17/2018				
4.	Name: Josh Powell	Title: SanTrans Board Member & Belmont Resident	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Phone: [Redacted]					
	Address: Belmont, CA 94002					
	Signature: [Redacted]	Date: 8/15/18				
5.	Name: Alyse Toanotti	Title: Former AYSO Board Member	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Phone: [Redacted]					
	Address: Belmont, CA 94002					
	Signature: [Redacted]	Date: 8/16/18				

Submit a second form (this side only) for alternate signers attached to this form and the argument.

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Signers	<input type="checkbox"/> Registered	N/A	Signed	Dated
Bona Fide Association	<input type="checkbox"/> Verified	N/A	Signed	Dated