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Ballot Measure Primary Argument Submission Form

A ballot argument will not be accepted unless accompanied by this completed form, which shall contain the printed name(s) and signature(s) of the person(s) submitting it or, if submitted on behalf of a bona fide association of citizens, the name of the association and the printed name and signature of at least one of its principal officers.

Word count limit for Primary Arguments = 300 words

Ballot Measure __________ for the Special Municipal Election to be held on November 2, 2021.

☐ Primary Argument In Favor of

☐ Primary Argument Against

This argument is submitted by (check ONLY ONE):

☐ The County of San Mateo Board of Supervisors or the Governing Body of a School District or Special District

Name of Governing Body:

Contact Person’s Printed Name:

Phone: __________________________ Email: __________________________

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

Name of Governing Body:

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☐ Bona Fide Association of Citizens

If this argument is filed by a bona fide association of citizens, the signers of the argument must be affiliated with the association and be authorized to sign the argument on its behalf. Provide the printed name and signature of at least one principal officer of the association.

Name of Association:
Woodsliders for Outdoor Dining

Contact Person’s Printed Name: Alexander Tauber

Phone: __________________________ Email: __________________________

☐ Individual Voters Eligible to Vote on the Measure

Contact Person’s Printed Name:

Phone: __________________________ Email: __________________________

☐ Combination of Voters and Associations

Contact Person’s Printed Name:

Phone: __________________________ Email: __________________________

Arguments will be emailed to the contact person listed here for review before they are printed in the Sample Ballot & Official Voter Information Pamphlets.

Please complete the reverse side of this form.

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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. Place a checkmark in the author column if the signer is the author of the argument. A signer can only list one title.

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

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

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Submit a second form (this side only) for alternate signers attached to this form and the argument.
Argument in Favor of Measure

Outdoor eating and gathering places where families can experience food, culture, art and music together are the cornerstone of strong communities around the country, and here in Woodside we have an opportunity to make these permanent features of our community as well. Please join us in voting for measure A which provides for 2 exceptions to current zoning restrictions to enable this future.

First, an exception to the zoning rules for Canada Corners to allow for more surface parking behind the retail shops and restaurants. This expanded surface parking would allow the Canada Corners restaurants (Bakery, Buck's etc.) to permanently install outdoor dining facilities along Woodside Road, additional surface parking being a requirement to make these facilities permanent.

Second, an exception to the zoning rules for the land across the parking lot from Town Hall to include an approved use exception to construct a community amphitheater. Many in our community have long hoped for such a gathering place to experience art, music and community events in Woodside, and with this zoning change we can begin to explore this possibility.

To be clear, in both cases this only begins the process. This is NOT a vote to have these projects approved. Rather, this vote would provide for 2 zoning exceptions that, once passed, will enable these ideas to be formally explored and to begin the planning process. In all cases any project that emerges must meet Town building and planning requirements and include the opportunity for community input. But to be clear, without these changes the conversation can’t even begin. Please support Measure A so we can make progress towards realizing this vision for our community. We thank you for your support.

Peter Bailey and Alexander Tauber
Woodsiders for Outdoor Dining

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