Rebuttal to Argument against Measure F:

Opponents contend that Measure F “would saddle residents with the full cost” of construction. What nonsense!! Read Measure F for yourself. You’ll see that it simply requires voter approval before a demolition or major expansion of the bridge. That’s it!!

Opponents also contend that Measure F requires complete closure and fails to address safety concerns. Where do they come up with this nonsense? Measure F simply requires voter approval before demolition or expansion. Nothing more, nothing less.

The City Council has flatly refused to test the bridge. As a result, caring citizens had to hire our own engineering firm to do the work that the City Engineer and his firm should have already done.

The City Council has chosen a path that endangers every business on Main Street. One frustrated citizen after another has stood before the council to voice their objections. Long petitions have been presented to the Council, and yet the Council still willfully ignores every one of us.

This is why your fellow citizens have lost faith within the City Council on this issue.

Everyone wants a safe, convenient and cost-effective solution for the bridge’s issues. And Measure F allows the City to explore all options, up to and including demolition and replacement.

What Measure F also does is require the City to listen to us, the voters, before taking dramatic action or spending a ton of money.

That’s why they can’t afford to tell the truth.

It’s that simple.

Please vote YES On Measure F!!

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