

NOTICE OF ELECTIONS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Brisbane School District and Menlo Park City Elementary School District Parcel Tax Special Mail Ballot Election shall be held on Tuesday, May 3, 2016.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following measures will be voted upon by the qualified voters of the Brisbane School District and the Menlo Park City Elementary School District on Tuesday, May 3, 2016.

SCHOOL DISTRICT MEASURES

BRISBANE SCHOOL DISTRICT PARCEL TAX (2/3 APPROVAL REQUIRED)

"Shall Brisbane School District renew its current parcel tax with an inflation increase by levying a special tax of not more than \$131 annually per parcel, an estimated \$425,000, to provide teachers/instructional aides for reading, music, and art; providing exemptions for senior citizens? Shall the annual appropriation limit be raised between 7/1/2016 to 6/30/2022 in an amount equal to levy of said tax, with funds spent exclusively on Brisbane School District and not used for any other purposes?"

Yes _____ No _____

MENLO PARK CITY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT PARCEL TAX (2/3 APPROVAL REQUIRED)

"To maintain our community commitment to existing small class sizes, high quality teachers and comprehensive academic programs, and renew the expiring educational special tax, shall the Menlo Park City Elementary School District continue to levy at the current annual rate of \$201.38 per parcel, spent only on teachers and educational programs, beginning July 1, 2016, adjusted annually for inflation, with an exemption available to individuals 65 and over?"

Yes _____ No _____

MENLO PARK CITY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT PARCEL TAX (2/3 APPROVAL REQUIRED)

"To prepare for future student enrollment increases beyond the current 2,938 students and maintain our community commitment to existing small class sizes, high quality teachers and comprehensive programs, shall the Menlo Park City Elementary School District levy a supplemental special tax of \$2.20 per parcel for each additional student, to a maximum of 213 students, spent only on teachers and educational programs, beginning July 1, 2016, adjusted annually for inflation, with an exemption available to individuals 65 and over?"

Yes _____ No _____

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that **primary arguments** in favor of or against the above measures may be submitted in writing to the Registration & Elections Division, 40 Tower Road, San Mateo, CA 94402, for printing and distribution to the voters, pursuant to provisions of the California Elections Code, by **5:00 P.M. on February 16, 2016**. **Rebuttal arguments** by

authors of said primary arguments may be filed in like manner by **5:00 P.M. on February 26, 2016.**

Printed arguments submitted to voters shall be titled either "Argument in Favor of Measure ____" or "Argument Against Measure ____", and "Rebuttal to Argument in Favor of Measure ____" or "Rebuttal to Argument Against Measure ____" respectively.

All arguments concerning the above measures must be accompanied by the following form statement to be signed by each author and proponent, if different, of the argument:

The undersigned proponent(s) or author(s) of the _____ (primary/rebuttal) argument _____ (in favor of/against) Ballot Measure ____ at the _____ (title of election) for the _____ (name of jurisdiction) to be held on _____ (date of election), hereby state that such argument is true and correct to the best of _____ (his/her/their) knowledge and belief.

Signed

Date

No primary argument shall exceed 300 words in length. Only one argument in favor of and one argument against each measure will be selected for printing and distribution to the voters. No more than five signatures shall appear with any argument.

The authors of the primary arguments in favor of or against each measure may prepare and submit rebuttal arguments not exceeding 250 words. The authors may authorize in writing any other person or persons to prepare, submit, or sign the rebuttal argument. No more than five signatures shall appear with any rebuttal argument.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that there shall be set a 10-calendar day examination period for public review of said arguments. During this time, any registered voter, eligible to vote on the measure, or the elections official, may seek a writ of mandate or an injunction requiring any or all of the materials to be amended or deleted. The review period for primary arguments in favor of or against ballot measures shall commence at **5:00 P.M. on February 16, 2016** and shall end at **5:00 P.M. on February 26, 2016**. The review period for rebuttals to primary arguments in favor of or against ballot measures shall commence at **5:00 P.M. on February 26, 2016** and shall end at **5:00 P.M. on March 7, 2016**.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that voted Vote by Mail ballots for the Special Mail Ballot Election held on Tuesday, May 3, 2016, shall be tallied at the location given below:

County of San Mateo
Registration & Elections Division
40 Tower Road
San Mateo, CA 94402

Dated: February 11, 2016

/s/

Mark Church
Chief Elections Officer &
Assessor-County Clerk-Recorder