

RESOLUTION NO. 20-1118

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOLVANG, CALIFORNIA, REQUESTING THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA TO RENDER SPECIFIED SERVICES TO THE CITY RELATING TO THE CONDUCT OF A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2020 FOR SUBMISSION OF THE QUESTION OF THE RECALL OF CERTAIN OFFICERS AND THE ELECTION OF CANDIDATE TO FILL THE VACANCY IF THE RECALL PREVAILS

WHEREAS, a General Municipal Election is to be held in the City of Solvang, California, (the “City”) on Tuesday, November 3, 2020; and

WHEREAS, in the course of conduct of the Election, it is necessary for the City to request services of the County; and

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Solvang, California, desires to submit to the voters of the City at a General Municipal Election, the question of the recall of Niels Chris Djernaes and the election of candidate to fill the vacancy if the recall prevails; and

WHEREAS, the City Council is authorized and directed by statute to submit the proposed question of the recall to the voters and election of candidate to fill the vacancy if the recall prevails; and

WHEREAS, It is desirable that the recall election be consolidated with the City of Solvang’s General Municipal Election with the Santa Barbara County and State of California Statewide Election to be held on the same date and that within the City, the precincts, polling places and election officers of the elections be the same, and that County Elections Department of the County of Santa Barbara canvass the returns of the recall election and that the Election be held in all respects as if there were only one Election.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOLVANG, CALIFORNIA, DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That pursuant to the requirements of 11242 of the Elections Code, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara is hereby requested to consent and agree to the consolidation of a recall election with the City of Solvang’s General Municipal Election with the Santa Barbara County and State of California Statewide Election to be held on Tuesday, November 3, 2020, to determine whether or not Niels Chris Djernaes shall be recalled; and for the purpose of the election of one (1) Member of the City Council for the remainder of the term ending in December 2022 if the recall of Niels Chris Djernaes prevails.

SECTION 2. That the County Elections Department is authorized to canvass the returns of the recall election. The election shall be held in all respects as if there were only one election, and only one form of ballot shall be used.

SECTION 3. That the County Elections Department is requested to take any and all steps necessary for the holding of the consolidated election.

SECTION 4. That the City of Solvang, recognizes that additional costs will be incurred by the County by reason of this consolidation and agrees to reimburse the County for any costs.

SECTION 5. That the City Clerk is hereby directed to file a certified copy of this resolution with the Board of Supervisors and the County Elections Department of the County of Santa Barbara.

SECTION 6. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this resolution and enter it into the book of original resolutions.

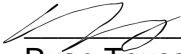
PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED this 27th day of July 2020 by the following roll call vote:

AYES: Mayor Toussaint, Council Members Clarke, & Waite

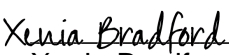
NOES: Council Member Johnson

ABSTAIN: Council Member Djernaes

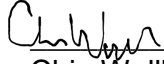
ABSENT: None

DocuSigned by:

Ryan Toussaint, Mayor

ATTEST:

DocuSigned by:

Xenia Bradford,
City Manager/City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Chip Wulbrandt, City Attorney