RE: Certification of Report of Registration to SOS

Hall, Jennifer <jhall@santa-ana.org>

Fri 4/7/2023 3:16 PM

To:Nielsen, Marcia < Marcia.Nielsen@ocvote.gov>

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Yes, I have approved the two petitions



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From: Nielsen, Marcia <Marcia.Nielsen@ocvote.gov>
Sent: Friday, April 7, 2023 3:15 PM
To: Hall, Jennifer <jhall@santa-ana.org>
Subject: RE: Certification of Report of Registration to SOS

Thank you so much! This is very helpful.

To confirm – have you approved the petition for circulation?

Thanks.

Marcia Nielsen | Candidate and Voter Services Manager | Orange County Registrar of Voters 1300 S Grand Avenue, Bldg C | Santa Ana, California 92705 Marcia.Nielsen@ocvote.gov



From: Hall, Jennifer <jhall@santa-ana.org>
Sent: Friday, April 7, 2023 2:59 PM
To: Nielsen, Marcia <<u>Marcia.Nielsen@ocvote.gov</u>>
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Thank you, Marcia.

Here is the information about dates that I've compiled so far - there are a lot of moving pieces.

With approval of petitions today, it starts a 120-day time period for the proponents to collect signatures. The deadline for them to submit signed petitions to my office is August 7, 2023. Then, I would conduct my prima facie review, followed by requesting your office to verify signatures (30 business days). Based on my estimates, it

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would appear that, if enough signatures qualify, the certification would be presented to City Council on October 3 or 17. They have 14 days after that to order/call the election, or can be done at the same meeting. To allow for the 88 days, it pushes to the very end of December/beginning of January 2024, with the 125 days ending early/mid February.

There are limited options for the actual Election Day due to holidays (New Years, MLK Jr. Day), although the second provision of the Code also allows consolidation with a regularly scheduled election within 180 days, which the March 5 Primary fits in.

I will keep you posted as this moves along. Please let me know if you have any questions or need anything else.



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From: Nielsen, Marcia <<u>Marcia.Nielsen@ocvote.gov</u>
Sent: Friday, April 7, 2023 8:30 AM
To: Hall, Jennifer <<u>jhall@santa-ana.org</u>>
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Good morning Jennifer,

Here is the Statement of Registration Certification filed with the Secretary of State's office for the February 10, 2023 Odd-Year Report.

Will you be preparing an election calendar when the draft petitions are approved? Some cities do this; others do not. I will start to work on one, but since you have a better idea of meeting dates, etc. – I just thought I would ask.

Thanks.

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From: Hall, Jennifer <jhall@santa-ana.org>
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To: Nielsen, Marcia <<u>Marcia.Nielsen@ocvote.gov</u>>
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Marcia,

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Can you please provide me the Certification from your office of the Current Report of Registration to Secretary of State? I see the one online was submitted on 2/10/2023; PDF printed on 2/24/2023.

Please let me know if you have any questions:

or

Thank you,



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