ORDINANCE NO. 10365 (New Series)

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA, ORDERING, CALLING, PROVIDING FOR AND GIVING NOTICE OF A SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY ON NOVEMBER 3, 1970, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY TWO PROPOSITIONS AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO, AND CONSOLIDATING SUCH ELECTION WITH THE STATEWIDE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON THE SAME DATE.

WHEREAS, at a meeting held on August 18, 1970, the City Council of The City of San Diego adopted Resolution No.

200571 requesting the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Diego to order the consolidation of a special municipal election to be held on November 3, 1970, with the Statewide General Election to be held on the same date; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Diego is expected to grant the request and order the consolidation of the two elections; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, California, as follows:

Section 1. A special municipal election is hereby called and ordered to be held in the City of San Diego, California, on November 3, 1970; and, pursuant to the provisions of Section 223 of the Charter of The City of San Diego and the provisions of Section 8 of Article XI of the Constitution of the State of California, the Council of The City of San Diego being the legislative body thereof, hereby proposes and submits to the qualified voters of the City at such special municipal election, the following two propositions amending the Charter of The City of San Diego:

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Amend Section 12 of Article III and Section 24 of Article
IV of the Charter of The City of San Diego to read as follows:

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Section 12. THE COUNCIL.

The Council shall be composed of nine (9)

Councilmen, including the Mayor, and shall be the

legislative body of the City, each of the members

of which, including the Mayor, shall have the right

to vote upon all questions before it.

Councilmen, including the Mayor, shall be elected at a general municipal election held in the odd-numbered years and, except as hereinafter provided, shall hold office for the term of four years from and after 10 a.m. the first Monday after the first day of December next succeeding their election and until their successors are elected and qualified. Upon any redistricting pursuant to the provisions of this Charter, incumbent councilmen will continue to represent the district in which they reside, unless as a result of such redistricting more than one incumbent councilman resides within any one district, in which case the City Council may determine by lot which councilman shall represent each district. At the next municipal primary and general elections following a redistricting, councilmen shall be elected from those districts not represented and from those districts represented by incumbent councilmen whose terms expire as of the general election in said year. If as a result of any redistricting more than a simple majority of the City Council as redistricted shall be elected at the general election next following any such redistricting, the City Council prior to any such election shall designate one or more

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new districts for which the initial councilmanic term shall be two (2) years in order to retain staggered terms for councilmen.

The one-year district residency requirement of Section 7 of this Charter shall not apply to a person, herein called "prospective candidate," who seeks to be a candidate for election or appointment to the office of councilman and is otherwise eligible for the office, if all of the following conditions apply: a redistricting has occurred less than one year before prospective candidate, if elected or appointed, would take office; as a result of the redistricting, the district of prospective candidate's residence has changed to a district in which no councilmanic election will be held at the next succeeding municipal election; prior to filing his candidacy for election or appointment, prospective candidate moves his residence into a district bordering upon the district into which prospective candidate's residence has been placed by the redistricting.

Any vacancy occurring in the Council shall be filled from the District in which the vacancy occurs by appointment by the remaining Councilmen; but in the event that said remaining Councilmen fail to fill such vacancy by appointment within thirty (30) days after the vacancy occurs, they must immediately cause an election to be held to fill such vacancy; provided, however, that any person appointed to fill such vacancy shall hold office only until the next regular municipal election, at which date a person shall be elected to serve for the remainder of such unexpired

term.

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It is the duty of councilmen to attend all Council meetings. The Council shall vacate the seat of any councilman who is absent from eight (8) consecutive meetings or fifty percent (50%) of any scheduled meetings within a month unless the absence thereof is excused by resolution of the Council.

The rate of pay of each Councilman shall be Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$750.00) per month.

No Councilman shall engage in any business or transaction or have a financial or other personal interest, direct or indirect, which is incompatible with the proper discharge of his duties or which would tend to impair his independence of judgment or action in the performance of such duties.

No Councilman shall be eligible during the term for which he was appointed or elected to hold any other office or employment with the City, except as Mayor and a member of any Board, Commission or Committee thereof, of which he is constituted such a member by general law or by this Charter.

Section 24. MAYOR.

The Mayor shall preside at the meetings of the Council and perform such other duties as may be prescribed by this Charter or as may be imposed by the Council, consistent with the duties of his office. He shall have no power of veto, but shall have a vote as a member of the Council. He shall be recognized as the official head of the City for all ceremonial purposes, by the courts for the purpose of serving civil process, for the signing of all legal instruments and documents, and by the Governor for military





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purposes. On or before the 15th day of January of each year, he shall communicate by message to the City Council a statement of the conditions and affairs of the City, and make recommendations on such matters as he may deem expedient and proper. In time of public danger or emergency, he may, with the consent of the Council, take command of the police, maintain order and enforce the law.

The rate of pay of the Mayor shall be Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1500.00) per month.

The Mayor shall not engage in any business or transaction or have a financial or other personal interest, direct or indirect, which is incompatible with the proper discharge of his duties or which would tend to impair his independence of judgment or action in the performance of such duties.

In the event of a vacancy occurring in the office of the Mayor, existing by reason of any cause, the Council shall have authority to fill such vacancy, provided, however, that if the Council shall fail to fill such vacancy by appointment within thirty (30) days after the vacancy, the Council must immediately cause an election to be held to fill such vacancy. Any person appointed to fill such vacancy shall hold office only until the next regular municipal election, at which date a person shall be elected to serve for the remainder of such unexpired term.

Amend Section 70 of Article VII and Section 130 of Article VIII of the Charter of The City of San Diego to read as follows:

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Section 70. POWER TO FIX SALARIES.

The Council shall have the power to fix salaries of all officers under its jurisdiction. All members of Commissions shall serve without compensation except where otherwise provided by State law or this Charter. Except as otherwise provided by law the City Manager and other departmental heads outside of the departments under control of the City Manager shall have power to recommend salaries and wages subject to the personnel classification fixed by the Civil Service Commission, of all other officers and employees within the total amount contained in the Annual Appropriation Ordinance for personal service in each of the several departments of the City Government. Increases and decreases of salary or wages of officers and employees shall be determined at the time of the preparation and adoption of the budget; provided, however, that during any fiscal year, the Council may revise the schedule of salaries and wages fixed for such fiscal year if sufficient funds are available and budgeted. Any revision of such schedule of salaries and wages shall not be retroactive to a time prior to the beginning of the current fiscal year, nor shall any retroactive revision be applicable to any officer or employee not in City service on the effective date of the amending ordinance.

Section 130. COMPENSATION ESTABLISHED.

The Council shall by ordinance, prior to the beginning of each fiscal year, establish a schedule of

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compensation for officers and employees in the Classified Service, which shall provide uniform compensation for like service. An increase in compensation, within the limits provided for any grade, may be granted at any time by the City Manager or other appointing authority upon the basis of efficiency and seniority record if funds are available and budgeted.

Section 2. These propositions shall be presented and printed upon the ballot and submitted to the voters in the manner and form set out in Section 4 of this ordinance.

Section 3. The polls for this special municipal election shall be open at 7 a.m. (local time) on November 3, 1970, and shall remain open continuously until 8 p.m. (local time) on the same day at which time the polls shall be closed, except as provided in Section 14436 of the Elections Code of the State of California.

Section 4. Since this election is being consolidated with the Statewide General Election; and since the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Diego is hereby authorized to canvass returns of this election; and since only one form of ballot is authorized, the method of voting upon these propositions shall be as provided in the Elections Code of the State of California; and, on the ballots to be used at this special municipal election, in addition to any other matters required by law, there shall be printed substantially the following:

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PROPOSITION . CITY OF SAN DIEGO CHARTER AMENDMENTS. AMEND SECTIONS 12 AND 24 OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO. Amend Sections 12 and 24 to provide that the Mayor and Councilmen shall not engage in any business or trans- action or have a financial or other personal interest, direct or indirect,	YES	
which is incompatible with the proper discharge of their duties or which would tend to impair their independence of judgment or action in the performance of such duties, and that the rate of pay for the Mayor shall be Fifteen Hundred Dollars per month, and the rate of pay for each additional councilman shall be Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars per month.	NO	

PROPOSITION . CITY OF SAN DIEGO CHARTER AMENDMENTS. AMEND SECTIONS 70 AND 130 OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO.

Amend Section 70 to allow the City Council to revise salaries of City employees at any time during the fiscal year provided sufficient funds are available and budgeted by deleting certain restrictive language and unnecessary reference to specific officials; and amend Section 130 by deleting language making it mandatory that the Civil Service Commission furnish salary recommendations to the City Council prior to the adoption of the Annual Salary Ordinance.

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Section 5. The special municipal election called for November 3, 1970, in the City of San Diego is hereby ordered consolidated with the Statewide General Election to be held on the same date. Within the City of San Diego the precincts, polling places and officers of the election for the special municipal election shall be the same as those provided for in the Statewide General Election.

Section 6. The Board of Supervisors of the County of San Diego is hereby authorized to canvass the returns of the special municipal election and these elections shall be held in all respects as if there were only one election, and within the City only one form of ballot shall be used. The Board of Supervisors shall certify the results of the canvass of the returns of this special municipal election to the Council of The City of San Diego which shall then declare the results of the election.

Section 7. Each of the propositions submitted by this ordinance shall be designated on the ballot by a letter printed on the left margin of the square containing the description of the measure as provided in Section 10231 of the Elections Code of the State of California.

Section 8. Except as otherwise provided in this ordinance, the special municipal election shall be conducted as provided by law for other municipal elections of the City.

Section 9. The City Clerk shall cause this ordinance to be published once in the official newspaper not less than

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40 nor more than 60 days before the date of the election. No other notice of the election need be given.

Section 10. This ordinance shall take effect on August 18, 1970, being the day of its introduction and passage.

JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

Deputy City Attorney

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* CITY OF SAN DIEGO 202 C Street Community Concourse San Diego, California 92101

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

No.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA, ORDERING, CALLING, PROVIDING FOR AND GIVING NOTICE OF A SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY ON NOVEMBER 3, 1970 FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBITTING TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY TWO PROPOSITIONS AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO, AND CONSOLIDATING SUCH ELECTION WITH THE STATEWIDE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON THE SAME DATE.

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SAN DIEGO, CALIF.

I, Patricia M. Applestill hereby certify that The Daily Transcript is a daily newspaper of general circulation within the provisions of the Government Code of the State of California, printed and published in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California; that I am the principal clerk of the printer of said newspaper; that the

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to a true and correct copy of which this certificate is annexed was published in said newspaper on

September 10, 1970

I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct, at San Diego, California, on

September 10, 1970

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WHEREAS, at a meeting held on August 18, 1970, the City of San Diego adopted Resolution No. 200371 requesting the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Diego to order the consolidation of a special municipal election to be held on November 3, 1970, with the Statewide General Election to be held on November 3, 1970, with the Statewide General Election to be held on The City of San Diego, California, or of the County of San Diego, California, or of the County of San Diego, California, or November 3, 1970, with the Statewide General Election to be held on the same date; and WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Diego, California, or November 3, 1970; and, pursuant to the provisions of Sections; NOW, THEREFORE.

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, California, on November 3, 1970; and, pursuant to the provisions of Section 223 of the Charter of The City of San Diego, California to the provisions of Section 23 of the Charter of The City of San Diego and the provisions of Section 8 of Article XI of the Council of The City of San Diego in the Heighstative body thereof, hereby proposes and submits to the qualified voters of the City at such special municipal election. The following two propositions amending the Charter of The City of San Diego:

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The one-year district residency requirement of Section 7 of this Charter shall not apply to a person, here in called "prospective candidate," who seeks to be a candidate for election or appointment to the office of councilman and is otherwise eligible for the office, if all of the following conditions apply: a redistricting has occurred less than one year before prospective candidate, if elected or appointed, would take office; as a result of the redistriction the district of prospective candidate in which no councilmanic election will be held at the next succeeding municipal election: prior to dilling his candidacy for election or appointment, prospective candidate moves his residence into a district bordering upon the district into which prospective candidate's residence has been placed by the redistricting.

Any vacancy occurring in the Council shall be filled from the District in which the vacancy occurs by appointment that said remaining Councilmen fall to fill such vacancy; provided, however, that say person shall hold office only until the next resular municipal election, at which date a person shall he elected to serve for the remainder of such unexpired term.

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Amend Section 70 to allow the City Council to revise salaries of City employees at any time during the fiscal year provided sufficient funds are available and budgeted by deleting certain restrictive language and unnecessary reference to specific officials: and amend Section 130 by deleting language making it mandatory that the Civil Service Commission furnish salary recommendations to the City Council prior to the adoption of the Annual Salary Ordinance.

Section 5. The special municipal election called for November 3, 1870, in the City of San Diego is hereby ordered consolidated with the State-wide General Election to be held on the same date. Within the City of San Diego the precincts, polling places and officers of the election for the special municipal election shall be the same as those provided for in the Statewide General Election.

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Section 9. The City Cierk shall cause this ordinance to be published once in the official newspaper not less than 40 nor more than 60 days before the date of the election. No other notice of the election, need be given.

Section 10. This ordinance shall take effect on August 18, 1970, being the Published Sept. 10, 1879.

By ELFA F. HAMEL.

(Seal)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foreroing ordinance was passed on the
day of its introduction, to wit, on
August 18, 1970, said ordinance being
of the kind and character authorized
for passage on its introduction by
Section 16 of the Charter.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that the
reading of said ordinance in full was
dispensed with by a vote of not less
than a maiority of the members ejected to the Council, and that there was
available for the consideration of each
member of the Council and the public
prior to the day of its passage a
written or printed copy of said
ordinance.

JOHN LOCKWOOD.

City Clerk of The City of
San Diego, California.
By ELFA F. HAMEL.
Deputy.

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