RESOLUTION NO. 2012-13

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS
CALLING AND GIVING NOTICE OF A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION
TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2012, FOR THE ELECTION OF
CERTAIN OFFICERS AS REQUIRED BY THE PROVISIONS OF THE LAWS
OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA RELATING TO GENERAL LAW CITIES,
AND REQUESTING THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF
SANTA CLARA TO CONSOLIDATE SAID ELECTION PURSUANT TO
SECTION 10403 OF THE ELECTIONS CODE

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the laws relating to general law cities in the State of California, a General Municipal Election shall be held on November 6, 2012, for the election of Municipal Officers; and

WHEREAS, it is desirable that the General Municipal Election be consolidated with the Statewide General Election to be held on the same date and that within the City the precincts, polling places and election officers of the two elections be the same, and that the Registrar of Voters of the County of Santa Clara canvass the returns of the General Municipal Election and that the election be held in all respects as if there were only one election.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Los Altos as follows:

SECTION 1. That pursuant to the requirements of the Elections Code of the State of California relating to General Law Cities, there is called and ordered to be held in the City of Los Altos, California on Tuesday, November 6, 2012, a General Municipal Election for the purpose of electing three Members of the City Council for the full term of four years (ending November 2016);

SECTION 2. That pursuant to the requirements of Section 10403 of the Elections Code, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Clara is hereby requested to consent and agree to the consolidation of said election with the Statewide General Election on Tuesday, November 6, 2012;

SECTION 3. That the Registrar of Voters is authorized to canvass the returns of the General Municipal 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 4. That the City of Los Altos 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 authorized, instructed and directed to coordinate with the County of Santa Clara Registrar of Voters to procure and furnish any

and all official ballots, notices, printed matter, and all supplies, equipment and paraphernalia that may be necessary in order to properly and lawfully conduct the election;
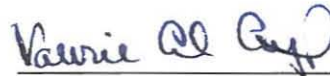
SECTION 6. That the ballots to be used at the election shall be in form and content as required by law. Voters shall vote for a maximum of three candidates;

SECTION 7. That the polls for the election shall be open at 7:00 a.m. of the same day of the election and shall remain open continuously from that time until 8:00 p.m. of the same day except as provided in Section 14401 of the Elections Code of the State of California; and

SECTION 8. That the City Clerk is hereby directed to file a certified copy of this resolution with the Board of Supervisors and the Registrar of Voters of the County of Santa Clara.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a Resolution passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Los Altos at a meeting thereof on the 12th day of June, 2012 by the following vote:

AYES: CASAS, FISHPAW, PACKARD, SATTERLEE, CARPENTER
NOES: NONE
ABSENT: NONE
ABSTAIN: NONE

Valorie Cook Carpenter, MAYOR

Attest:

Jon Maginot, DEPUTY CITY CLERK