

## **RESOLUTION NO. 6721**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARDENA REQUESTING THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES TO ORDER THE CONSOLIDATION OF A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON JUNE 2, 2026 WITH THE STATEWIDE DIRECT PRIMARY ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES THE SAME DAY; TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES TO CANVASS THE RETURNS OF SAID GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION; AND TO REQUEST THAT THE REGISTRAR-RECORDER/COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY BE PERMITTED TO RENDER FULL SERVICES TO THE CITY OF GARDENA RELATING TO THE CONDUCT OF SAID GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA ELECTIONS CODE SECTION 10403**

WHEREAS, a General Municipal Election has been called by the City of Gardena, to be held in the City of Gardena on June 2, 2026; and,

WHEREAS, a Statewide Direct Primary Election to be held in the County of Los Angeles has been or will be called to be held on June 2, 2026;

WHEREAS, it is desired, pursuant to the authority found in California Elections Code section 10403, to consolidate said General Municipal Election with said Statewide Direct Primary Election to be held in the County of Los Angeles.

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

SECTION 1. The Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles is hereby respectfully requested to order the consolidation of said General Municipal Election to be held on June 2, 2026, with the Statewide Direct Primary Election to be held in the County of Los Angeles on June 2, 2026.

SECTION 2. The Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles is hereby further respectfully requested to place upon the same ballot as that provided for said Statewide Direct Primary Election to be held in the County of Los Angeles on June 2, 2026, the names of the candidates for the offices of

**Mayor, Full Term  
Councilmember, Full Term  
Councilmember, Full Term**

**City Clerk, Full Term  
City Treasurer, Full Term**

to be submitted to the electors of the City of Gardena at said Statewide Direct Primary Election.

SECTION 3. The City of Gardena acknowledges that the consolidated election will be held and conducted in the manner prescribed in Section 10418 of the California Elections Code.

SECTION 4. The Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles is hereby authorized and respectfully requested to canvass the returns of said Statewide Direct Primary Election.

SECTION 5. The Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles is hereby authorized and respectfully requested to authorize and permit the Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles to:

- a) Print and supply ballots for said City of Gardena's General Municipal Election;
- b) Mail the City's sample ballots and candidate statements of qualifications to the electors of the City of Gardena as part of the same material that will be mailed to the voters of the Statewide Direct Primary Election to be held in the County of Los Angeles;
- c) Perform such other services as may be required for the consolidation and conduct of said City of Gardena's General Municipal Election with said Statewide General Election to be held in the County of Los Angeles.

SECTION 6. The vote centers for the election shall be open as required during the identified voting period pursuant to California Elections Code sections 4007 and 14401.

SECTION 7. The City shall reimburse the County of Los Angeles in full for the services performed on behalf of the City upon the presentation of a bill by the County.

SECTION 8. The City Clerk is hereby directed to deliver a certified copy of this resolution to the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles and to transmit an electronic copy to the Board of Supervisors and the Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution; shall cause the same to be entered among the original Resolutions of said City; and shall make a minute of the passage and adoption thereof

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in the records of the proceedings of the City Council of said City in the minutes of the meeting at which the same is passed and adopted.

Passed, approved, and adopted this 27th day of January, 2026.

Tasha Cerda, Mayor  
TASHA CERDA, Mayor

ATTEST:

Mina Semenza  
MINA SEMENZA, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Carmen Vasquez  
CARMEN VASQUEZ, City Attorney

STATE OF CALIFORNIA            )  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES    ) SS:  
CITY OF GARDENA                )

I, **MINA SEMENZA**, City Clerk of the City of Gardena, do hereby certify that the whole number of members of the City Council of said City is five; that the foregoing Resolution, being **Resolution No. 6721** duly passed and adopted by the City Council of said City of Gardena, approved and signed by the Mayor of said City, and attested by the City Clerk, all at a regular meeting of said City Council held on the **27<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026**, and that the same was so passed and adopted by the following roll call vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS LOVE AND TANAKA, MAYOR CERDA, MAYOR PRO TEM HENDERSON, AND COUNCIL MEMBER FRANCIS

NOES: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

*for* *Becky Romero*  
City Clerk of the City of Gardena, California

