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**RESOLUTION NUMBER 9943 (CCS)
(City Council Series)**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF SANTA MONICA REQUESTING THE BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES TO
CONSOLIDATE A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION OF THE CITY
OF SANTA MONICA TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 2, 2004, WITH THE
STATEWIDE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON SAID
DATE PURSUANT TO ELECTIONS CODE SECTION 10403**

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Santa Monica has called a General Municipal Election in the City of Santa Monica to be held on November 2, 2004, for the purpose of electing officers of the City of Santa Monica, the Santa Monica Rent Control Board, and the Santa Monica Community College District Board, Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District Board of Education and the placing before the voters of initiatives and referendum; and

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

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA MONICA
DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Pursuant to Elections Code Section 10403, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles is hereby requested to consent and agree to the consolidation of a General Municipal Election with the statewide General Election on Tuesday, November 2, 2004, for the purpose of electing officers of the City of Santa Monica, the Santa Monica Rent Control Board, the Santa Monica Community College District Board, the Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District Board of Education and the placing before the voters of qualified initiatives and referendum.

SECTION 2. The Registrar of Voters is hereby authorized to canvass the returns of the General Municipal Election which it is hereby requested to consolidate with the statewide General Election and said 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. The Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles is hereby requested to issue instructions to the Registrar of Voters to take any and all steps necessary for the holding of the consolidated election.

SECTION 4. The City of Santa Monica recognizes that additional costs shall be incurred by the County of Los Angeles by reason of this consolidation and agrees to reimburse the County of Los Angeles for any such costs.

SECTION 5. The City Clerk is directed to transmit and file a certified copy of this Resolution with the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles and with the Registrar of Voters.

SECTION 6. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this Resolution, and thenceforth and thereafter the same shall be in full force and effect.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


MARSHA JONES MOUTRIE
City Attorney

Adopted and approved this 8th day of June, 2004.



Richard Bloom, Mayor

I, Maria Stewart, City Clerk of the City of Santa Monica, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 9943 (CCS) was duly adopted at a meeting of the Santa Monica City Council held on the 8th day of June, 2004, by the following vote:

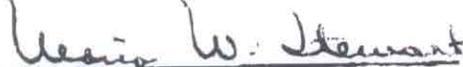
Ayes: Council members: Mayor Bloom, Mayor Pro Tem McKeown, Genser, Feinstein, Katz, Holbrook, O'Connor

Noes: Council members: None

Abstain: Council members: None

Absent: Council members: None

ATTEST:



Maria M. Stewart, City Clerk