RESOLUTION 22-095

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES CALLING FOR THE SUBMISSION TO THE VOTERS OF A QUESTION RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF CITY TREASURER

WHEREAS, currently the position of city treasurer of the City of El Paso de Robles is elective; and

WHEREAS, Government Code Sections 36508-36510 provide that the position of city treasurer may be made appointive rather than elective upon approval of the voters at a regular or special election; and

WHEREAS, the City's next general municipal election will be held on November 8, 2022, and the City wishes to submit to the voters, at that election, the question of whether the city treasurer should be made an appointive position.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1.</u> All of the above recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein by reference.

<u>Section 2.</u> That the City Council, pursuant to its right and authority, does order submitted to the voters at the General Municipal Election the following question/measure, relating to whether the office of City Treasurer shall be appointive:

| MEASURE # : APPOINTIVE CITY TREASURER | Yes |
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| Shall the Office of City Treasurer be Appointive? | No |

<u>Section 3.</u> In the event the proposition receives approval by a majority of the votes cast, the proposition is adopted and the City Council shall appoint such officer at the expiration of the term of the officer then in office, or upon a vacancy in such office. The City Council may by ordinance vest in the City Manager its authority to appoint such officer.

<u>Section 4.</u> That the vote requirement for the measure specified above to pass is a majority (50%+1) of the votes cast.

<u>Section 5.</u> Conduct of Election. The City Clerk is authorized, instructed, and directed to coordinate with the San Luis Obispo County Clerk-Recorder to procure and furnish any and all official ballots, printed matter and all supplies, equipment and paraphernalia that may be necessary in order to properly and lawfully conduct the election. In all particulars not recited in this Resolution, the election shall be held and conducted as provided by law for holding municipal elections.

Section 6. Pursuant to California Elections Code Section 9280, the City Council hereby directs the City Clerk to transmit a copy of the Measure to the City Attorney. The City Attorney shall prepare an impartial analysis of the Measure, not to exceed 500 words in length, showing the effect of the Measure on the existing law and the operation of the Measure, and transmit such impartial analysis to the City Clerk not later than the deadline for submittal of primary arguments for or against the Measure.

<u>Section 7.</u> The impartial analysis shall include a statement indicating whether the Measure was placed on the ballot by a petition signed by the requisite number of voters or by the City Council. In the event the entire text of the Measure is not printed on the ballot, nor in the voter information portion of the

sample ballot, there shall be printed immediately below the impartial analysis, in no less than 10-font bold type, the following: "The above statement is an impartial analysis of Ordinance or Measure _____. If you desire a copy of the ordinance or measure,

Section 8. Placement on the Ballot. The full text of the Measure shall not be printed in the voter information guide, and a statement shall be printed in the ballot pursuant to Elections Code §9223 advising voters that they may obtain a copy of this Resolution and the Measure, at no cost, upon request made to the City Clerk.

Section 9. Filing with County. The City Clerk shall, not later than the 88th day prior to the General Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2022, file with the Board of Supervisors and the San Luis Obispo County Clerk-Recorder, State of California, a certified copy of this Resolution.

Section 10. Public Examination. Pursuant to California Elections Code §9295, this Measure will be available for public examination for no fewer than ten (10) calendar days prior to being submitted for printing in the voter information guide. The City Clerk shall post notice in the Clerk's office of the specific dates that the examination period will run.

Section 11. The City Council hereby finds and determines that the Measure relates to organizational or administrative activities of governments that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment, and therefore is not a project within the meaning of the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") and the State CEQA Guidelines, section 15378(b)(5).

Section 12. Severability. The provisions of this Resolution are severable and if any provision of this Resolution is held invalid, that provision shall be severed from the Resolution and the remainder of this Resolution shall continue in full force and effect, and not be affected by such invalidity.

Section 13. This Resolution shall become effective upon its adoption.

Section 14. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this Resolution.

APPROVED this 21st day of June, 2022 by the following vote:

AYES: Gregory, Strong, Garcia, Hamon, Martin

Steven W. Martin, Mayor

ATTEST: