

**RESOLUTION NO. 26-\_\_\_\_\_**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUSA, CALLING AND GIVING NOTICE OF A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2026, FOR THE ELECTION OF TWO CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS AND REQUESTING THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF COLUSA TO CONSOLIDATE THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION WITH THE STATEWIDE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON THE SAME DATE PURSUANT TO SECTION 10403 OF THE ELECTIONS CODE

**WHEREAS**, under the provisions of the laws of the State of California, a General Municipal Election shall be held on November 3, 2026, for the election of Municipal Officers; and

**WHEREAS**, the term of two members of the City of Colusa (“City”) Council is due to expire and the positions must be filled,

**WHEREAS**, the City Council does hereby call for and give notice of the Municipal Election for the election of two (2) Members of the City Council for the full term of four (4) years; 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 department of the County of Colusa 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, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUSA DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1.** That pursuant to the requirements of the laws of the State of California, the City Council hereby calls for a general municipal election in and for the City of Colusa, California on Tuesday November 3, 2026. The purpose of the election is to elect two members of the City Council for the term of four (4) years.

**Section 2.** Pursuant to Elections Code Section 12101, the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to publish a Notice of General Municipal Election, in compliance with State law.

**Section 3.** That pursuant to the requirements of Sections 10400, 10402 and 10403 of the Elections Code, it is in the best interest of the public to consolidate the City of Colusa Election with the Statewide General Election, and the Board of Supervisors of the County of Colusa is hereby requested to consent and agree to the consolidation of a General Municipal Election with the Statewide General election on Tuesday, November 3, 2026.

**Section 4.** That the County Election Department 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 5.** That the Board of Supervisors is requested to issue instructions to the County Election Department to take any steps necessary for the holding of the consolidated election.

**Section 6.** That the City of Colusa recognizes that additional costs will be incurred by the County by reason of this consolidation and, pursuant to Elections Code 10002 the City agrees to reimburse the County for the actual cost incurred in conducting the election upon receipt of a bill stating the amount due as determined by the County Elections Official.

**Section 7.** The City of Colusa determined the following election particulars: The length of the Candidate Statement shall not exceed **200** words, the cost of the Candidate Statement shall be paid by the candidate, and in case of a tie vote, the election shall be determined by lot. If by close of candidate filing, the number of qualified candidates does not exceed the number of seats to be filled in a particular office, the City Council may, in accordance with Election Code Section 10229(a): appoint to the office the person(s) who has been nominated and/or appoint to the office any eligible elector if no one has been nominated or hold the election, if either no one or only one person has been nominated. The City Council shall make that determination by resolution adopted after the City Clerk certifies that no more than two candidates have qualified for the ballot.

**Section 8.** That the City Clerk is hereby directed to file a certified copy of this Resolution, and the Resolution Calling for a Municipal Election, with the County Board of Supervisors and the County Election Department of the County of Colusa.

**Section 9.** That in all particulars not recited in this resolution, the election shall be held and conducted as provided by law for holding municipal elections.

**Section 10.** That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution and enter it into the book of original Resolutions.

**PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED** as a Resolution of the City Council of the City of Colusa at a regular meeting duly held on the 16th day of June 2026. Consolidating the Election

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DENISE CONRADO, MAYOR

ATTEST:

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SHELLY KITTLE, CITY CLERK

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)  
COUNTY OF COLUSA )  
CITY OF COLUSA )

I, Shelly Kittle, City Clerk of the City of Colusa, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. 26-\_\_\_ adopted by the City Council of the City of Colusa, California, at a regular meeting thereof held on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 2026, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

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Shelly Kittle, City Clerk