

RESOLUTION NO. 07-06-2026- B

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SONORA, CALIFORNIA REQUESTING THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF TUOLUMNE TO CONSOLIDATE A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2026 WITH THE GENERAL ELECTION PURSUANT TO SECTION 10403 OF THE ELECTIONS CODE

WHEREAS, pursuant to Elections Code Section 10002, the governing body of any city may by resolution request the Board of Supervisors of the county to permit the county elections official to render specified services to the City relating to the conduct of an election; and

WHEREAS the resolution of the governing body of the City shall specify the services requested; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Elections Code Section 10400, whenever two or more elections, including bond elections of any legislative or congressional district, public district, county or other political subdivision are called to be held on the same day in the same territory, or in territory that is in part the same, they may be consolidated upon the order of the governing body or bodies or officer or officers calling the elections; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Elections Code Section 10400, such elections for cities may be either completely or partially consolidated; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Elections Code Section 10403, whenever an election called to the right of a City, or other political subdivision for the submission of any question, proposition, or office to be filled is to be consolidated with a statewide election and the question, proposition, or office to be filled is to appear upon the same ballot as that provided for that statewide election the City, or other political subdivision shall, at least 88 days prior to the date of the election, file with the board of supervisors, and a copy with the elections official, a resolution of its governing board requesting the consolidation, and setting forth the exact form of any question proposition, or office to be voted upon at the election, as it is to appear on the ballot. Upon such request, the Board of supervisors may order the consolidation; and

WHEREAS the resolution requesting the consolidation shall be adopted and filed at the same time as the adoption of the ordinance, resolution, or order calling the election; and

WHEREAS, various cities, counties, state and other political subdivision elections may be or have been called to be held on November 3, 2026.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the governing body of the CITY OF SONORA hereby orders an election be called and consolidated with any and all elections also

called to be held on November 3, 2026, insofar as said elections are to be held in the same territory or in territory that is in part the same as the territory of the City, request the Board of Supervisors of the County of Tuolumne to order such consolidation under Elections Code Section 10400; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the governing body of the CITY OF SONORA hereby request to the Board of Supervisors to permit the Tuolumne County Elections Department to provide any all services necessary for conducting the election and shall reimburse the county for the costs incurred by the Tuolumne County Elections Department in conducting he election for the governing City; and

BE IT FURHTER RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the Tuolumne County Elections Department shall conduct the election for the following office(s) on the November 3, 2026, ballot:

Council Member	4-year full term		
Mark Plumber	x		
Andy Merrill	x		

No election will be held if there are an equal or insufficient number of nominees.

The Candidates Statement or Qualifications shall be limited to 200 words, and the estimated cost will be paid for by the Candidate at the time of filing.

Check all that apply:

☒ There have been no changes to the boundaries of said City since the last election held within the district and the map on file with the County of Tuolumne is true and correct.

☐ Changes to the boundaries of said City have occurred since the last election held within the city and an updated map is attached hereto as Exhibit "A".

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED that pursuant to Election code Section 10403, the City Clerk is hereby directed to deliver certified copies of the Resolution and Specifications of the Election Order to the Tuolumne County Board of Supervisors and the Tuolumne County Election Department.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____ 20____ by the following vote:

AYES: _____

NOES: _____

ABSENT: _____

ASTAIN: _____

Ann Segerstrom, Mayor City of Sonora

Attested:

Nicole McCutchen, City Clerk, City of Sonora