

**CITY OF LANCASTER
NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION
MEASURE TO BE VOTED ON**

NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN that the following measure is to be voted on at the Special Municipal Election to be held in the City of Lancaster on **Tuesday, November 5, 2024**.

City of Lancaster	
Lancaster Essential Services Protection Measure Shall an ordinance protecting Lancaster’s financial stability; maintaining essential services; maintaining 911 response; retaining businesses; maintaining veterans, senior, mental health, and homelessness community programs; by amending the city’s sales and use tax ordinance to provide automatic increase to the sales and use tax rate to the maximum permitted – whether because another tax expires, the Legislature increases the statutory maximum use tax for the City, or otherwise – be adopted?	YES
	NO

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that arguments for or against the ballot measure may be submitted to the City Clerk of Lancaster, CA by electronic submittal at cityclerk@cityoflanasterca.gov or in person at Lancaster City Hall, 44933 Fern Ave., Lancaster, CA 93534. Arguments are due no later than **5:00 p.m. on Friday, August 16, 2024**. The City Council, any individual voter who is eligible to vote on the measure, or a bona fide association of citizens, or a combination of such voters and associations may file a written argument for or against the Measure. No argument shall exceed three hundred (300) words. Please visit our city website at <https://www.cityoflanasterca.org/our-city/departments-services/city-clerk/election-information-informacion-de-eleccion> for formatting specifications.

The City of Lancaster shall make the arguments available for public examination during business hours for a period of 10-calendar days starting on **August 17, 2024**, and ending on **August 26, 2024**, immediately following the filing deadline for submission of arguments.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that all active registered voters will automatically be mailed a Vote by Mail ballot package by **October 7, 2024**, the vote centers for said election will be open starting on **October 26, 2024** through **November 5, 2024**. Please visit lavote.gov for voter center hours of operation and locations.

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Lancaster, CA
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