

RESOLUTION NO. 16-28,897

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BURBANK
ESTABLISHING THE COST OF CANDIDATE STATEMENT FEES FOR
THE 2017 MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BURBANK RESOLVES:

1. Pursuant to Section 2-3-1206 of the Burbank Municipal Code, each candidate for a City of Burbank elective office may prepare a candidate's statement and submit it to the City Clerk.

2. The City shall pay a three hundred (\$300) dollar subsidy for each candidate's statement submitted to the City Clerk. Pursuant to the Federal Voting Rights Act, the City is required to print a multilingual Voter Information Pamphlet (English, Spanish, Korean, Tagalog and Thai). The City will therefore translate and print all candidate statements in Spanish, Korean, Tagalog, and Thai at no cost to the candidates. A candidate who desires to have their statement in any language other than the above required languages will have to pay for the entire cost including printing, translation and taxes. The City Clerk shall estimate the total cost of printing, handling, translating and mailing the candidates' statements, including any requested language translations, and shall require each candidate filing a statement, as a condition of having his or her statement included in the Voter Information Pamphlet, to pay in advance an estimate of his or her pro rata share.

Within thirty (30) days of the election, the City Clerk shall bill each candidate for any cost in excess of the deposit or shall refund any unused portion of the deposit. No statement will be included in the Voter Information Pamphlet where the payment for the pro rata cost has not been made timely. However, if, pursuant to Burbank Municipal Code Section 2-3-1207, a candidate is determined to be indigent, the City Clerk shall print and mail the statement without requiring the indigent candidate to pay the fee in advance.

3. The City Clerk shall provide each candidate or the candidate's representative a copy of Burbank Municipal Code Sections 2-3-1206 and 2-3-1207 and this Resolution at the time nominating petitions are issued.

4. All previous resolutions establishing Council policy on the payment for candidates' statements are hereby repealed.

5. This resolution shall apply to the 2017 Municipal Elections to be held on February 28, 2017, and April 11, 2017, and shall have no further force or effect after conclusion and collection of the cost of candidate statements for said election as provided herein.

PASSED and ADOPTED this 18th day of October, 2016.

s/Jess A. Talamantes
Jess A. Talamantes
Mayor

Attest:

s/Zizette Mullins
Zizette Mullins, MMC
City Clerk

Approved as to Form and Legal Content

s/Amy Albano
By: Amy Albano, City Attorney

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES) ss.
CITY OF BURBANK)

I, Zizette Mullins, MMC, City Clerk, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly and regularly passed and adopted by the Council of the City of Burbank at its regular meeting held on the 18th day of October, 2016, by the following vote:

AYES: Gabel-Luddy, Rogers and Talamantes

NOES: None.

ABSENT: None.

ABSTAIN: Frutos and Gordon.

s/Zizette Mullins
Zizette Mullins, MMC
City Clerk