



Request for Ballot Title & Summary

June 19, 2017

Donna Schwartz, City Clerk
City of Huntington Park
6550 Miles Ave.
Huntington Park, CA 90255

Dear Ms. Schwartz:

Enclosed you will find our notice of intention to circulate a petition and the text of the proposed measure to be submitted to the voters of the City of Huntington Park. Please forward a copy to your city attorney, or any other appropriate official, so that a ballot title and summary may be prepared.

Please mail the ballot title and summary to the proponents listed below in c/o American Children First at the following address:

4733 Torrance Blvd., #712
Torrance, CA 90503

Thank you.

PROPONENTS:


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Notice of Intention to Circulate Petition


Notice is hereby given of the intention of the persons whose names appear hereon of their intention to circulate the petition within the City of Huntington Park for the purpose of repealing in its entirety the utility user tax. A statement of the reasons for the proposed action as contemplated in the petition is as follows:

The working class people of Huntington Park are taxed too much and deserve to keep more of their earnings for themselves. Residents currently pay anywhere from 9-9.75% on various utility bills, including cell phones, water, gas, and electricity. Several nearby cities do not have utility user taxes and the ones that do are significantly lower than the excessive and punitive taxes levied on Huntington Park residents.

The people seek to take control of their community back from government employees who earn excessive salaries, health benefits, and pension benefits. These compensation packages dwarf those provided in the private sector to the average hardworking resident of Huntington Park who desperately tries to make ends meet while struggling to provide their children with a better future.

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PROPOSED LANGUAGE AND CONTENT FOR THE INITIATIVE

The City Attorney for the City of Huntington Park has prepared the following circulating title and summary of the chief purpose and points of the proposed measure:

[Title and Summary]

Stop the Utility Users' Tax ("UUT")

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF HUNTINGTON PARK DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Findings and Declarations

WHEREAS, the people of the City of Huntington Park find and declare that federal, state and local taxation has reached confiscatory levels; that unrestrained spending and regulation at all levels of government, are excessive, improvident, contrary to our rights as a free people and are thereby destructive of Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent and purpose of this initiative that the current City of Huntington Park utility user taxes be repealed.

Section 2. Name of Measure and Effective Date.

This measure shall be known as the Stop the Utility Users' Tax and shall become effective as provided by law.

Section 3. Repeal of Utility Tax.

The existing Utility User Tax as set forth in Title 3, Chapter 9 of the Huntington Park Municipal Code is repealed in its entirety.

Section 4. Severability

The provisions of this initiative are severable. If any provision of this measure or application thereof is held invalid, that invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications if they can be given effect without the invalid provision or application.