ORDINANCE NO. 2581

AN URGENCY ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF CHULA VISTA AMENDING SECTION 2.52.050 OF THE CHULA VISTA MUNICIPAL CODE TO RESTORE THE ELEVEN MONTH CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIPT PERIOD FOR COUNCIL AND MAYOR CANDIDATES

The City Council of the City of Chula Vista does ordain as follows:

SECTION I. That Section 2.52.050 of the Chula Vista Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2.52.050 Limitation on Contributions from Persons.

- A. No person shall make to any candidate for City elective offices, and no such candidate shall accept from any person, a contribution sooner than eleven months preceding the election for which the contribution is made or intended.
- В. No person shall make to any candidate for City elective office, and no such candidate shall accept from any person, a contribution or contributions totalling more than \$250 in any single election period. To the extent federal law prohibits limitations on expneditures, this ordinance is meant to be consistent with federal law.
- C. Notwithstanding subsection B, when a candidate is running for reelection or the office of mayor or the mayor is running for a council office, he or she may accept contributions of up to \$250 from contributors to his or her candidacy.
- D. Notwithstanding subsection A, where a special election is called to fill a vacancy, contributions shall be permitted from the date the vacancy is declared by the City Council to the date of the election.

SECTION II. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force upon its first reading and adoption if adopted by the affirmative vote of four members of the City Council in that it is necessary to allow sufficient time for the candidates to solicit and receive campaign contributions for the newly created June Primary election.

Presented and Approved as to form by

Bruce M. Boogaard

City Attorney

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Chula Vista, California, this 16th day of November, 1993, by the following vote:

AYES: Co

Councilmembers:

Fox, Horton, Moore, Rindone, Nader

NOES:

Councilmembers:

None

ABSENT:

Councilmembers:

None

ABSTAIN:

Councilmembers:

None

Tim Nader, Mayor

ATTEST:

Beverly M. Authelet, City Clerk

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO) ss
CITY OF CHULA VISTA)

I, Beverly A. Authelet, City Clerk of the City of Chula Vista, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance No. 2581 had its urgency reading and adoption at a regular meeting of said City Council held on the 16th day of November, 1993.

Executed this 16th day of November, 1993.

Beverly A. Authelet, City Clerk