

Rebuttal to Argument in FAVOR of Measure

The Pinole City Council is asking voters to allow council members to serve without term limits. They believe they know what's best for Pinole.

In November 2008 73% of voters decided term limits were the right way to inject new ideas and thoughts into the decision-making process.

Pinole's voters aren't shortsighted; they currently allow elected officials to serve for 3 terms or 12 years. But that isn't enough for them, they want to continue to play musical chairs and stay in office without term limits.

Proponent's arguments are speculative, not true and based on the City Council's desire to control the current and future political environment.

There is no evidence that "term limits" make any city better or worse.

Some Pinole City Council members have been in office since 1992. During their tenure, "longevity in office", has not made Pinole a better place to live.

Pinole continues to suffer from ongoing cuts to public services like public safety, libraries, parks, recreation and infrastructure. Yet, their decision to remove term limits by placing it on the June 5 ballot will cost taxpayers \$30,000. It is the latest battle by incumbent politicians to modify, if not overcome, the will of the voters.

The proponents of Measure P believe they can sway the minds of Pinole voters with the same meaningless arguments that were soundly rejected in 2008.

Tell them that they are Still Wrong and that \$30,000 is an irresponsible way to spend badly needed public funds.

Vote NO on Measure P



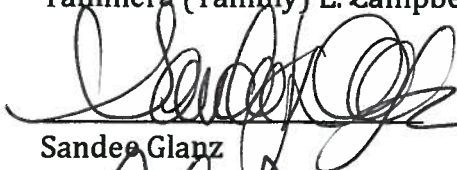
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