

ARGUMENT AND REBUTTAL FORM

ELECTION DATE: November 8, 2016

MEASURE I.D. (if any): Measure CA

JURISDICTION: City of Culver City

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	☐ Argument Against ☑ Rebuttal to Argument in Favor			

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Measure CA would not make the city safer in an emergency. Under existing law, the City Manager is already the City's Director of Emergency Services. In the event of a local emergency, the City Manager has wide-ranging authority to control and direct the City's emergency response without advance permission from City Council. The City Manager's emergency power already includes the power to direct city staff and "resolve questions of authority and responsibility." Measure CA has nothing to do with clarifying who is in charge in an emergency.

Measure CA would reduce City Council's oversight of the Police and Fire Chiefs. Currently, City Council has sole decision-making power over the hiring, firing, and compensation of the Police and Fire Chiefs. Measure CA would take all of these supervisory powers from City Council and give them to the unelected City Manager. City Council would lose direct oversight.

Measure CA **ignores the partnership** between our first responders and our community. We expect our first responders to protect and serve our community's safe and peaceful existence, while applying our most treasured democratic values equally to all. Measure CA does not advance this mission. Measure CA seeks small gains in managerial efficiency by eliminating citizen participation.

VOTE **NO** ON MEASURE CA.

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