ORDINANCE NO. 2016-05

(Online Filing of Campaign Disclosures)

The Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors ordains as follows (omitting the parenthetical footnotes from the official text of the enacted or amended provisions of the County Ordinance Code):

SECTION I. SUMMARY. This ordinance establishes requirements for the online filing of statements, reports, and other documents with the County Clerk - Elections Division, as authorized by Government Code section 84615.

SECTION II. FINDING. The County Clerk - Elections Division has identified an online filing system that will allow for the online filing of campaign disclosures. The Board of Supervisors finds that the online filing system identified for use by the County Clerk - Elections Division will facilitate and streamline the filing process, will operate securely and effectively, and will not unduly burden persons or entities that are required to file statements, reports, or other documents with the County Clerk - Elections Division pursuant to Chapter 4 of Title 9 of the Government Code, or pursuant to Chapter 530-2 of the Ordinance Code.

SECTION III. Section 530-2.808 is hereby added to Chapter 530-2 of this Code, to read:

530-2.808 Online filing required.

- (a) Except as otherwise provided in this section, an elected officer, candidate, committee, or other person who is required to file a statement, report, or other document with the County Clerk Elections Division pursuant to Chapter 4 of Title 9 of the Government Code, or pursuant to this chapter, shall file the statement, report, or other document with the County Clerk Elections Division by using the online filing system designated by the County Clerk Elections Division. The requirements of this section apply to the elected officer, candidate, committee, or other person until the person or committee files a termination statement in accordance with Government Code section 84214, or unless the person or committee is exempt from filing under subsection (b) of this section.
- (b) An elected officer, candidate, committee, or other person is not required to file online under this section in a calendar year if the person or committee is not required to file a statement, report, or other document with the County Clerk Elections Division pursuant to Chapter 4 of Title 9 of the Government Code, or pursuant to this chapter, in that calendar year. (Ord. 2016-05, § 3.)

SECTION IV. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance becomes effective thirty (30) days after passage, and within fifteen (15) days after passage, this ordinance shall be published once with the names of the supervisors voting for or against it in the Contra Costa Times, a newspaper published in this County.

PASSED on March 15, 2016, by the following vote:

AYES: Gioia, Andersen, Piepho, Mitchoff, Glover

NOES: None ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

ATTEST: DAVID J. TWA

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

and County Administrator

Board Chair

By:

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