

ORDINANCE NO. 08-24

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORANGE AMENDING SECTION 2.10.050 OF THE ORANGE MUNICIPAL CODE TO INCREASE CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION LIMITS.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORANGE DOES HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I:

Section 2.10.050 of the Orange Municipal Code, "Contribution Limitations," is hereby amended to read as follows:

2.10.050 – Contribution Limitations.

- A. No person shall make, and no City Candidate or treasurer of a controlled committee of a City Candidate shall solicit or accept any contribution aggregating more than: (1) ~~\$1,000.00~~1,500.00 per mayoral election cycle; (2) ~~\$1,000.00~~1,500.00 per City Council, City Clerk, or City Treasurer election cycle; (3) ~~\$500.00~~1,500.00 per recall election cycle; or (4) ~~\$1,000.00~~1,500.00 per special election cycle.
- B. The contribution limitations set forth in Section 2.10.050(A) shall also apply to any committee which is formed for the purpose of making expenditures in support of or opposition to the recall of an Elective City Officer, and to contributions received by such Elective City Officer, during a recall election cycle as defined in Section 2.10.070(C) of this chapter.
- C. The contribution limitations of this section shall not apply to a City Candidate's contribution of his or her separate or community property funds to his or her own City Candidate Committee or campaign. Contributions by a spouse from separate property shall be subject to the limitations set forth in this section.

SECTION II:

If any section, subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance. The City Council hereby declares that it would have passed this Ordinance, and each section, subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one (or more) section, subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase had been declared invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION III:

The City Clerk is hereby directed to certify the adoption of this Ordinance and cause the same to be published as required by law. This Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days from and after the date of its final passage.

ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2024.

Daniel R. Slater, Mayor, City of Orange

ATTEST:

Pamela Coleman, City Clerk, City of Orange

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Mike Vigliotta, City Attorney

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF ORANGE)
CITY OF ORANGE)

I, PAMELA COLEMAN, City Clerk of the City of Orange, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was introduced at the regular meeting of the City Council held on the ___ day of _____, 2024, and thereafter at the regular meeting of said City Council duly held on the ___ day of _____, 2024 was duly passed and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

AYES: COUNCILMEMBERS:
NOES: COUNCILMEMBERS:
ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBERS:
ABSTAIN: COUNCILMEMBERS:

Pamela Coleman, City Clerk, City of Orange