



# County of Santa Clara Office of the Registrar of Voters

## Ballot Measure Rebuttal Argument Consent Form

<b>Office Use Only</b>
<p>The author of a primary argument may sign the rebuttal argument or may authorize in writing any other person to author/sign the rebuttal argument. This signed Consent Form is required to authorize a person to author/sign the rebuttal argument who was not an author of the primary argument. The County of Santa Clara allows for electronic submission of documents as long as the image is clear and readable. You may send your completed form and attach a copy of the argument to <a href="mailto:candidateservices@rov.sccgov.org">candidateservices@rov.sccgov.org</a>.</p> <p>Because anyone listed as an author should have the opportunity to review the rebuttal argument, the full text of the rebuttal argument should be attached to all Consent Forms.</p>
Time/Date Stamp

### SECTION 1: ARGUMENT INFORMATION

Measure Letter _____ (if available)	Date of Election _____
Jurisdiction _____	
<b>Proponent:</b>	<b>Opponent:</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Rebuttal Argument to Primary Argument Against	<input type="checkbox"/> Rebuttal Argument to Primary Argument in Favor

### SECTION 2: REQUIRED CONSENT

Under penalty of perjury, I attest and verify that I have read the complete text of the ballot measure rebuttal argument above and authorize that my name or the name of my Organization or Bona Fide Association of Citizens, which I am an authorized representative of, may be printed, exactly as it appears in the text of the rebuttal argument in the County Voter Information Guide.

As an author of the Primary Argument in  Support /  Opposition to Measure \_\_\_\_\_ (assigned letter), I authorize \_\_\_\_\_ (new Rebuttal Argument Signer) to sign the rebuttal argument.

Full Name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Organization or Bona Fide Association of Citizens \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable)

**SIGNATURE** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

### SECTION 3: ARGUMENT TEXT

#### **PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF YOUR REBUTTAL ARGUMENT TO THIS FORM.**

The text of your rebuttal argument will be printed exactly as submitted. Type your rebuttal argument with the desired formatting. Ensure that your rebuttal argument meets the legal word limit. You may request that specific rebuttal argument text is printed in bold, italic, or bold italic font type.

The County of Santa Clara Office of the Registrar of Voters uses standard typefaces, font sizes, headers and bullets in all measure related documents. In addition, measure related documents use the following formatting standards: 1) indent increments will be set at 0.25"; 2) spacing will be standardized to language-appropriate number of spaces following periods, colons, commas, and semicolons; 3) tabs will be used for numbered and/or bulleted indented text; and 4) signers will be formatted as conformed signatures with titles below the name. All measure related documents submitted to the Office of the Registrar of Voters will be formatted to the prescribed standards.

**PLEASE NOTE:** If rebuttal argument is handwritten or a revision is unclear, the County of Santa Clara Registrar of Voters staff will interpret the handwritten information to the best of their abilities. That interpretation is final.