


# AUTHORIZATION FOR ANOTHER PERSON(S) TO SIGN REBUTTAL ARGUMENT

I, DANIEL A. DRUMMOND authorize the following person KEITH WOODS  
(print name of original signer of argument) (print the name of new signer)

to sign the rebuttal to the argument ☒ in favor, or ☐ against Measure V for the 11/3/2020  
(insert election date) (insert letter)

election.

  
(Signature of original signer of argument)

8/21/2020  
Date

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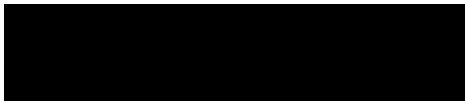
CITY OF SONOMA

August 25<sup>th</sup>, 2020

### To City of Sonoma Officials:

Please let this letter serve as my authorization for the signatures on the attached Statement of Accuracy to be used on the Rebuttal to the Argument In Favor of Measure V.

Thank you. If you have any questions or need further verification, please call me at (707) 799-1177.



**Keith Woods**

Chief Executive Officer  
North Coast Builders Exchange

COUNTY OF SONOMA  
REGISTRAR OF VOTERS OFFICE

(FOR OFFICE USE ONLY)

ELECTION DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTEST ID: \_\_\_\_\_

AUTHOR ELIGIBILITY VERIFIED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

MEASURE LETTER DESIGNATION: \_\_\_\_\_

JURISDICTION: \_\_\_\_\_

**STATEMENT OF ACCURACY**

The undersigned author(s) of the (select one of the following)

☐ ARGUMENT IN FAVOR (300 WORDS)

☒ REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT IN FAVOR (250 WORDS)

☐ ARGUMENT AGAINST (300 WORDS)

☐ REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT AGAINST (250 WORDS)

ballot measure V at the General election for  
(Letter) (Name of Election)  
the City of Sonoma being held on Nov. 3, 2020  
(Jurisdiction) (Date of Election)

hereby state that such argument is true and correct to the best of his/her/their knowledge and belief.

1. [Redacted] 8/16/20 Signature/Date (Principal Officer signing of behalf of an Association? ☒ Yes ☐ No)  
Steve Page  
Print/type your name or Association's name as it should appear on argument  
North Bay Leadership Council  
Title to appear below name on argument (optional-limited to 4 words)
2. [Redacted] 8/17/20 Signature/Date (Principal Officer signing of behalf of an Association? ☒ Yes ☐ No)  
Sonoma County Farm Bureau  
Print/type your name or Association's name as it should appear on argument  
Executive Director  
Title to appear below name on argument (optional-limited to 4 words)
3. [Redacted] 8/17/20 Signature/Date (Principal Officer signing of behalf of an Association? ☒ Yes ☐ No)  
North Coast Builders Exchange  
Print/type your name or Association's name as it should appear on argument  
Chief Executive Officer  
Title to appear below name on argument (optional-limited to 4 words)
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Signature/Date (Principal Officer signing of behalf of an Association? ☐ Yes ☐ No)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Print/type your name or Association's name as it should appear on argument  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Title to appear below name on argument (optional-limited to 4 words)
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Signature/Date (Principal Officer signing of behalf of an Association? ☐ Yes ☐ No)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Print/type your name or Association's name as it should appear on argument  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Title to appear below name on argument (optional-limited to 4 words)

**FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:**

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OPTIONAL TITLES SHOULD NOT EXCEED FOUR (4) WORDS.  
TITLES WHICH DO NOT FIT IN ALLOTTED SPACE WILL BE ABBREVIATED.

A ballot argument or rebuttal argument shall not be accepted unless accompanied by the name or names of the person(s) submitting it, or, if submitted on behalf of an organization, the name of the organization and the name of at least one of its principal officers. **As of May 2020, it is no longer required that signers who are signing as individuals be registered voters in the district.** No more than five signatures shall appear with any argument submitted. Arguments may be changed or withdrawn by their proponents until and including the date fixed by the election official for filing. There is a 10 calendar day review period prior to submitting arguments for printing.  
E.C. §§9164, 9190, 9283, 9295, 9380, 9501, 9600

Text of arguments/rebuttal arguments should either be typewritten (see reverse side of form) on the reverse side of this form or a typewritten or computer generated statement may be attached to this form. Statements are electronically scanned for typesetting, therefore handwritten arguments will not be accepted for filing.



## **Rebuttal to Argument in Favor of Measure V**

Join us in telling Sonoma city officials: "No, Not Now!" to this forever tax in this time of uncertainty and chaos, especially ones like this that will never end. Vote No on Measure V.

Don't they realize that people who have lost their jobs, businesses that have closed, farmers struggling to survive, seniors, and students all need help, especially financially? They don't need this tax.

The pandemic and recession have caused record high unemployment, and tens of thousands of Sonoma County residents can barely pay their monthly living expenses. We taxpayers have to live within our means and so should Sonoma.

Local governments need to tighten their belts, adjust their spending like the rest of us, and not ask for new or extended taxes this year. 2020 is clearly the wrong time to ask voters for more money.

Any new taxes or extensions of existing ones should only be considered when people are back to work and businesses have re-opened. We are united and stand strong in our opposition to taxes like Measure V that will push people into poverty and cause more businesses and non-profits to close forever, creating more job losses and higher unemployment.

When we say "No, Not Now," we hear strong agreement from others in the community who want relief for those most impacted by COVID-19. They don't want additional future financial burdens brought on by tax measures that extend existing ones.

Send city officials a clear, strong message: Vote No on Measure V on November 3<sup>rd</sup>.