



CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO DEPARTMENT OF ELECTIONS

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Ballot Argument Control Sheet A

Control Sheet A must be submitted for every ballot argument, with required signatures and author information. If your argument has more than one author, you must also submit Control Sheet B with required signatures and information for all additional authors.

For an argument submitted on behalf of an organization, the "Individual" section must also be completed by a principal officer of the organization who must be a registered San Francisco voter.

If an argument states that an individual or organization other than the author supports or opposes the ballot measure, or agrees with or endorses the argument, a completed and signed Consent Form is required.

Facilitate typesetting, and reduce the possibility of transcription error by sending an electronic 24 hours after submission to the Department at publications@sfgov.org.

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PAID NO C-1

Section 1: Argument Information

Proposition C

Proponent Argument

Rebuttal to Proponent Argument

Paid Argument in Favor

Opponent Argument

Rebuttal to Opponent Argument

Paid Argument Against

Section 2: Author Information

Declaration Related to Proponent and Opponent Arguments

I attest under the penalty of perjury that I am an Author of the **Proponent Argument** for Proposition being submitted and that I am not a Non-supporter of this measure. A Non-supporter is defined as a person who, with respect to a measure:

- Is a treasurer, officer, or member of a committee that has made or plans to make expenditures in opposition to the measure;
- Has received or been promised any compensation or thing of value from such a committee to perform consulting services for that committee; or
- Has authorized their name or likeness to appear on campaign literature or in advertising that advocates for the defeat of the measure.

I attest under the penalty of perjury that I am an Author of the **Opponent Argument** for Proposition C being submitted and that I am not a Supporter of this measure. A Supporter is defined as a person who with respect to a measure:

- Is a treasurer, officer, or member of a committee that has made or plans to make expenditures in support of the measure;
- Has received or been promised any compensation or thing of value from such a committee to perform consulting services for that committee; or
- Has authorized their name or likeness to appear on campaign literature or in advertising that advocates for the adoption of the measure.

Complete the following to indicate whether the Author is an individual or an organization:

Individual (or principal officer of Organization)

Full Name (Print) Jay Donde

Title (If Applicable) President

San Francisco Address (Where you are Registered) [REDACTED]

San Francisco CA 94132

Signature [REDACTED]

Email [REDACTED]

Organization (Entity) (If selected, complete both the Individual Author section and the Organization Section)

Name of Organization (Print) The Briones Society

Who should be listed as an Author for your Organization?

Only the Organization

Both the Officer and the Organization

* Check if the title or identifying information is for identification purposes only, if you are signing as an individual on behalf of an organization.

Signature [REDACTED]

Email [REDACTED]

Section 3: Submitter Information

The submitter is the person who delivers the argument and supporting materials to the Department. If there is a question or issue with a submission, the Department will contact the submitter.

Full Name (Print) Jay Donde

Phone [REDACTED]

Mailing Address [REDACTED]

San Francisco CA 94132

Signature [REDACTED]

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Section 4: Information for Paid Arguments

Paid arguments must include information about the true source of funds for the publication of the argument. It is also required to indicate whether the true source of funds is a recipient committee. This information will be printed below the argument and the author information in the Voter Information Pamphlet.

The true source of funds for the printing fee of this argument:

Jay Donde, Bill Jackson, Nicholas Berg

Is the true source of funds a recipient committee, as defined by CA Gov. Code §82013?

Yes No

If the true source(s) of funds is a recipient committee, list the three largest contributors below:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Section 5: Argument Text

The text of your argument will be printed exactly as submitted. Ensure that your argument meets the legal word limit. You may request that specific argument text be printed in bold, italic, or bold italic type. Type your argument with the desired formatting, or underline the argument text to be formatted and in the left column, mark "B" for bold, "I" for italics, or "BI" for bold italics. Other special formatting is not permitted. **Include author information in argument text.**

Format B, I, BI	← Keep Text Within the Vertical Lines →	# of words per line
	<p>All of the powers afforded to the Inspector General under this proposition already exist within San Francisco government. The Controller's Office includes a City Services Auditor responsible for performance, financial, and compliance auditing. The Board of Supervisors can issue subpoenas, the District Attorney can pursue criminal indictments, the City Attorney can file civil suits, and the Ethics Commission, Civil Grand Jury, and more than 100 other commissions and committees possess oversight powers, too.</p> <p>Each of these has failed to meaningfully reduce corruption because they either have other priorities or, worse, they are not independent. Proposition C replicates this fatal flaw, mandating that the Inspector General's appointment be approved by the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors – the very same officials whose performance should be at the top of any list of targets ripe for an audit. This conflict of interest would and should undermine any trust voters might have in the Inspector General, who is liable to become a mere political attack dog for whichever faction holds momentary sway at City Hall. Voters deserve better – a professional, empowered, and independent oversight official who answers to them, not to politicians, as described here: https://www.sfgate.com/politics-op-eds/article/how-to-fix-sf-government-17430726.php.</p> <p> <u>Vote No on Proposition C.</u></p> <p>Jay Donde – President, The Briones Society Bill Jackson – COO, The Briones Society Nick Berg – Endorsements Committee, The Briones Society</p>	
If handwritten information or a revision is unclear, Department staff will interpret the handwritten information to the best of their abilities; this interpretation is final.		
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