



Ballot Argument Control Sheet A

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

Rebuttal to Opponent Argument F

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

Section 1: Argument Information

Proposition F

Proponent Argument [ ]

Rebuttal to Proponent Argument [ ]

Paid Argument in Favor [ ]

Opponent Argument [ ]

Rebuttal to Opponent Argument [x]

Paid Argument Against [ ]

Section 2: Author Information

Declaration Related to Proponent and Opponent Arguments

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

Individual (or principal officer of Organization) [x]

Full Name (Print) William Scott III

Title (If Applicable) Chief of Police

San Francisco Address (Where you are Registered)

Signature [redacted]

Email

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

Name of Organization (Print)

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 and not of behalf of an organization. [x]

Signature [redacted]

Email

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) Anika Steig

Phone

Mailing Address

Signature [redacted]

Email

## 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:

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

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Full Name (Print) Greg Sahr

Title (If Applicable) Former Chief of Police

San Francisco Address (Where you are Registered) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature

Email \_\_\_\_\_

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Individual (or principal officer of Organization) [ ]

Full Name (Print) Gaetano Acerra

Title (If Applicable) Sergeant at Arms

San Francisco Address (Where you are Registered)

Signature

Email

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John Arntz, Director

## Ballot Argument Assignment Form

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Under certain circumstances, the individual or entity entitled to author a proponent, opponent, or rebuttal argument, may assign the right to author the argument to another individual or entity.

If an eligible author assigns the right to author the proponent, opponent, or rebuttal argument to someone else a completed and signed Assignment Form is required.

Anyone assigned to author an argument must be eligible under SFMEC §545 to author an argument.

For details related to the assignment of the right to submit proponent, opponent, and rebuttal arguments see SFMEC §550(c)(d).

### Section 1: Argument Information

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Opponent Argument

Rebuttal to Opponent Argument

### Section 2: Proponent/Opponent Information

By signing below, I assign the right to submit the ballot argument for Proposition \_\_\_\_ and confirm that I am entitled to assign the right to submit the argument to someone else.

Full Name (Print) MATT DORSEY

Title (If Applicable) SUPERVISOR

San Francisco Address (Where you are Registered) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature

Email \_\_\_\_\_

### Section 3: Assignment Information

By signing below, I accept the assignment to submit the ballot argument for Proposition \_\_\_\_ and confirm that I am an eligible author.

Full Name (Print) William Scott III

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

San Francisco Address (Where you are Registered) \_\_\_\_\_

X Signature

Email \_\_\_\_\_

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