

RESOLUTION NO 2166

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOLEDAD
 CALLING FOR AN ELECTION TO DETERMINE WHETHER TO
 CONVERT THE POSITION OF CITY CLERK FROM
 ELECTED POSITION TO APPOINTIVE
 POSITION

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Soledad finds and declares that the City Clerk position require a particularized expertise, and

WHEREAS, the position of City Clerk is currently an elected position which has no formal qualification requirements other than that the individual be a resident of the City and registered to vote; and

WHEREAS, many cities in California of a size comparable to the City of Soledad or larger have gone to a system whereby the City Clerk is appointed by the City Council on the recommendation of the City Manager, which has had a beneficial effect on the administration of the City, and

WHEREAS, such a change in the organization of the City of Soledad can be accomplished only by going to a vote of the people of the City.

NOW THEREFORE, the Council hereby resolves as follows:

1. To call for and does hereby call an election on the issued of whether the position of City Clerk of the City of Soledad shall be appointive rather than elective;
2. Staff is directed to contact the appropriate officials in the administration of the County of Monterey and arrange for this issue to be presented to the voters of the City of Soledad in the general election currently scheduled to occur in November, 1992.
3. The question which shall appear on this November ballot shall be substantially in the following form: "Shall the office of City Clerk of the City of Soledad be appointive?", followed by the word "yes" and the word "no", so that the voters may express their choice.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Soledad at a regular meeting duly held on the 8th day of June, 1992, by the following vote.

AYES, and in favor thereof, Councilmembers. Fabian Barrera, Ben Jimenez, Jr , Mayor Pro Tem John Holguin, Mayor Joe Ledesma

NOES, Councilmembers: None

ABSENT, Councilmembers Fred Ledesma

Lee C. Kellomaki
MAYOR OF THE CITY OF SOLEDAD

ATTEST:

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CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF SOLEDAD

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