

RESOLUTION NO. 21-17

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
LANCASTER, CALIFORNIA, RELATING TO CAMPAIGN
CONTRIBUTION LIMITATIONS

WHEREAS, Assembly Bill 571 (“AB 571”), which became effective as of January 1, 2020, amended section 85301 of the Government Code to provide that a person shall not make to a candidate for elective county or city office, and a candidate for elective county or city office shall not accept from a person, a contribution totaling more than the amount set forth in that section per election (“Local Contribution Limitation”); and

WHEREAS, AB 571’s Local Contribution Limitation became operative as of January 1, 2021; and

WHEREAS, AB 571 also added a new section 85702.5 to the Government Code, which expressly authorizes a city, by ordinance or resolution, to establish a limit on contributions to a candidate for elective city office that is different from the Local Contribution Limitation; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that the Local Contribution Limitation imposed by AB 571 should not be applicable to contributions to a candidate for elective city office and by this Resolution the City Council desires to establish a different limit as authorized by section 85702.5 of the Government Code.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LANCASTER AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are true, correct and constitute a substantive part of this Resolution.

Section 2. Pursuant to section 85702.5 of the Government Code, the contribution limit imposed by section 85301 of the Government Code shall be and hereby is inapplicable to a candidate for elective city office. The City Council hereby establishes, as the different limit authorized under section 85702.5 of the Government Code, that a person may make to a candidate for elective city office, and a candidate for elective city office may accept from a person, a contribution totaling any amount.

Section 3. This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon approval by the City Council and remain in full force unless and until expressly repealed. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution, enter it into the book of original resolutions and file a copy of this Resolution with the Fair Political Practices Commission as required by section 81009.5(a) of the Government Code.

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PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED this 27th day of April, 2021, by the following vote:


AYES: Council Members Dorris, Malhi, Mann, Vice Mayor Crist, Mayor Parris

NOES: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: None

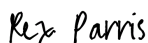
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FOR

ANDREA ALEXANDER
City Clerk
City of Lancaster

APPROVED:

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R. REX PARRIS
Mayor
City of Lancaster

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES) ss
CITY OF LANCASTER)

CERTIFICATION OF RESOLUTION
CITY COUNCIL

I, _____, _____ City of Lancaster, California,
do hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of the original Resolution No. 21-17, for
which the original is on file in my office.

WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF LANCASTER, on this
_____ day of _____, _____.

(seal)
