## YES ON MEASURE H REBUTTAL ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE H 242 Word Count

By now, most of us are well aware that our economy and revenue from property tax are not sufficient to pay for our existing services and meet the needs to improve our infrastructure, like our roads. In fact, all of the residential property tax in Benicia doesn't even cover the cost to pay for our police and fire services!

In order to meet the service needs of today and tomorrow we need to do things differently. Measure H is just part of a comprehensive solution our City leaders have put in motion to address our fiscal challenges.

How does Measure H work?

When you sell your real property, a transferred tax is assessed. Family members are not assessed this tax. If you sell a home for \$800,000 the tax rate is 0.4% meaning the total tax is \$3,200. The payment of the tax can be paid either the seller, buyer or split between both parties.

We understand that increasing taxes makes living in Benicia even more costly. But what is the cost of not taking action?

What will be the impact on the value of your home when you go to sell, and a potential buyer drives past a park in decline on a road in disrepair? This is not a scare tactic. Many residents are living that reality now. Let's take the necessary action to fix these conditions.

Let's invest in Benicia. Please join Us in Voting Yes on Measure H.

s/ Eric Hoglund,



Measure H



## SIGNATURE STATEMENT PAGE (Elections Code Section 9065, 9600) ebuttal arguments concerning measures shall be accompanied by this form to be signed by coch subsets.

All arguments/rebuttal arguments concerning measures shall be accompanied by this form to be signed by each author(s). Author(s) harries and titles listed will be listed and printed in the Voter Information Guide in the order provided below and will appear as indicated below.
The undersigned author(s) of the:
ARGUMENT IN FAVOR  REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT IN FAVOR  250 WORDS
ARGUMENT AGAINST   REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT AGAINST   250 WORDS  REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT AGAINST   250 WORDS
Ballot measure letter H at the GENERAL MUNICIPAL SIECTION
Election for the CITY OF BENICIA
to be held on November 5, 2024 hereby state that such argument
is true and correct-to-the best of his/her/their knowledge and belief.
1) Residence address (for vernication purposes) Date
Print Name  Are you signing on behalf of association or governing board? YES or NO
FORMER CITY COUNCINGENBER If yes complete page 2 Please circle oneA
2) Residence address (for verification purposes) Date
ROD SHERRY
Print Name  Are you signing on behalf of association or governing board? YES or NO  Print Name  Are you signing on behalf of association or governing board? YES or NO
Business Owner If yes complete page 2 Please circle one A
20_2\frac{2\frac{2\frac{2}{2}}{2\text{Date}}}
Print Name  Are you signing on behalf of association or governing board? YES or NO
CITIZEN BURGET TASK FORCE If yes complete page 2 Please circle oneA
(Optional) Title  4) Date
Print Name  Are you signing on behalf of association or governing board? YES of NO
Refixed Teacher If yes complete page 2 Please circle one A
(Optional) Title
vote vote
Frint Name  Are you signing on behalf of association or governing board? YES or NO
Leave to the second sec
(Optional) Title
IF SIGNING ON BEHALF OF A GOVERING BOARD OR BONA FIDE ASSOCIATION OF CITIZENS YOU MUST COMPLETE PAGE 2
CONTACT PERSON NAME & PHONE # EPIC P. HOGLUND (107) 246-2942