

**DRAFT PROPOSITIONS FOR 2025/26 CHARTER AMENDMENTS:**

**PROPOSITION NO. A**



*Shall Charter Section 3.02 (Number, Selection, Terms of Office and Elections) be amended to adjust the Mayor's current two (2) year term to a three (3) year term?*

**PROPOSITION NO. B**



*Shall Charter Section 3.02 (Number, Selection, Terms of Office and Elections) be amended to limit the Mayor and Council Members to three (3) consecutive terms in office, with a three-year sit-out period following the conclusion of three (3) consecutive terms, beginning in 2026 for all positions, except the Mayor and Council Members Places 5 and 6, for whom term limits shall begin in 2027 after their current terms end?*

**PROPOSITION NO. C**



*Shall Charter Section 3.07 (Code of Ethics) be amended to clarify that the code of ethics shall apply to elected and appointed members of Town Boards and Commissions, Town officials, and employees?*

**PROPOSITION NO. D**



*Shall Charter Section 3.07 (Code of Ethics) be amended to require the Mayor, Council Members, and appointees of any Town Board or Commission to complete at least 8 hours of governance and/or ethics training for each term served by the individual?*

**PROPOSITION NO. E**



*Shall Charter Section 3.07 (Code of Ethics) be amended to require Town Council to adopt ordinances imposing penalties for willful or grossly negligent violations of the code of ethics by elected and appointed Town officials?*

**PROPOSITION NO. F**



*Shall Charter Section 3.08 (Prohibitions) be amended to increase the sit-out period from one year to three years for a Mayor or a Council Member before holding a compensated appointed position or employment with the Town? <--I can see arguments on both sides for this one.*

*Vote however you feel*

**PROPOSITION NO. G**



*Shall Charter Section 3.09 (Meetings and Procedures) be amended to allow the Mayor or any single Council Member to place an item on the Town Council meeting agenda?*

**IF YOU VOTE YES ON PROP H, YOU SHOULD ALSO VOTE YES ON PROP !!!!**

**PROPOSITION NO. H**



*Shall Charter Section 3.14 (Council Investigations) be amended so that Town Council has the ability to investigate, at their discretion, conduct of appointed boards, officers, or appointed board members as opposed to official conduct of any department, agency, appointed boards, office, officers, employees, or appointed board members of the Town?*

**PROPOSITION NO. I**



*Shall Charter Section 3.14 (Council Investigations) be amended to require a two-thirds supermajority of Town Council to approve an investigation of the conduct of Town departments, agencies, appointed boards, officers, employees, or appointed board members?*

**PROPOSITION NO. J**



*Shall Charter Section 5.01 (Town Manager) be amended to change the mandatory requirement that the Town Manager reside in the Town of Sunnyvale, to be a requirement at the discretion of Town Council?*

**PROPOSITION NO. K**



*Shall Charter Section 5.01 (Town Manager) be amended to add enforcing the Town's code of ethics to the duties of Town Manager?*

**PROPOSITION NO. L**



*Shall Charter Section 5.02 (Town Secretary) be amended to allow the Town Council to appoint and remove the Town Secretary without requiring a recommendation from the Town Manager?*

**PROPOSITION NO. M**



*Shall Charter Section 5.03 (Town Attorney) be amended to allow the Town Council to appoint and remove the Town Attorney without requiring a recommendation from the Town Manager?*

**PROPOSITION NO. N**



*Shall Charter Section 6.04 (Council Action of Budget) be amended to change the deadline to adopt a budget from September 20 to September 30, to align with State law? <--Doesn't actually matter. Truth in Taxation law already requires special meeting for second reading of the budget*

**PROPOSITION NO. O**



*Shall Charter Article VII (Boards and Commissions) be amended to require the Town Council to establish a Library Board?*

**PROPOSITION NO. P**



*Shall Charter Article VII (Boards and Commissions) be amended to require the Town Council to establish a Parks and Recreation Board?*

**PROPOSITION NO. Q**



*Shall Charter Section 10.01 (Nepotism) be amended for clarify that family members of the Mayor, a Council Member, or the Town Manager - up to the 3rd degree by blood or 2nd degree by marriage - may not serve on Town boards or commissions or employment positions, except for volunteer, internship, or seasonal positions, or if the individual has been employed by the Town for a continuous period, as defined by State Law, before the related official took office?*

**PROPOSITION NO. R**



*Shall Article XI (Review and Amendment of Charter) be amended to require all Charter Review meetings be open to the public?*

**PROPOSITION NO. S**



*Shall Article XI (Review and Amendment of Charter) be amended to require that notice of date, time, and place for all Charter Review meetings be posted at least 72 hours prior to such meetings?*

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