

September 1, 2026

Board of Supervisors
Kern County Administrative Center
1115 Truxtun Avenue
Bakersfield, CA 93301

CITY OF SHAFTER
Fiscal Impact: None

Attached is resolution 3088 from the City of Shafter requesting the Elections Official to conduct their General Municipal Election to be held on November 3, 2026.

Therefore, IT IS RECOMMENDED that your Board authorize the Elections Division to conduct the election as requested.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Aimee X. Espinoza".

Aimee X. Espinoza
Auditor-Controller-County Clerk

AXE/jj

Attachment

cc: County Administrative Office

RESOLUTION NO. 3088

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SHAFTER, CALIFORNIA, REQUESTING THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF KERN TO CONSOLIDATE A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 3, 2026, WITH THE STATEWIDE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON THE DATE PURSUANT TO SECTION 10403 OF THE ELECTIONS CODE

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Shafter called a General Municipal Election to be held on November 3, 2026, for the purpose of the election of two (2) Members of the City Council for a full term of office for four (4) years.

WHEREAS, it is desirable that the General Municipal Election be consolidated with the Statewide General election to be held on the same date and that within the City the precincts, polling places and election officers of the two elections be the same, and that the county election department of the County of Kern canvass the returns of the General Municipal Election and that the election be held in all respects as if there were only one election;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SHAFTER DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That pursuant to the requirements of Section 10403 of the Elections Code, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Kern is hereby requested to consent and agree to the consolidation of a General Municipal Election with the Statewide General election on Tuesday, November 3, 2026, for the purpose of the election of two (2) members of the City Council for a term of office for four (4) years.

SECTION 2. That the county election department is authorized to canvass the returns of the General Municipal Election. The election shall be held in all respects as if there were only one election, and only one form of ballot shall be used. The election will be held and conducted in accordance with the provisions of law regulating the statewide election.

SECTION 3. That the Board of Supervisors is requested to issue instructions to the county election department to take any and all steps necessary for the holding of the consolidated election.

SECTION 4. That the City of Shafter recognizes that additional costs will be incurred by the County by reason of this consolidation and agrees to reimburse the County for any costs.

SECTION 5. That the City Clerk is hereby directed to file a certified copy of this resolution with the Board of Supervisors and the county election department of the County of Kern.

SECTION 6. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this resolution and enter it into the book of original resolutions.

CERTIFICATE OF GOVERNING BODY'S ACTION

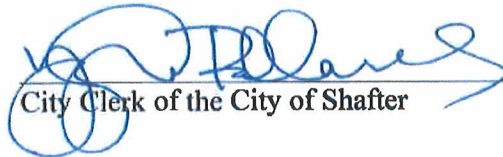
STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF KERN)

I, Yazmina Pallares, City Clerk of the City of Shafter, California, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the above Resolution 3088, a Resolution of the City Council of the City of Shafter, was duly passed and adopted at a Regular Meeting held on the 16th day of June, 2026, by the following vote:

AYES: Alvarado, Espinoza, Olvera, and Prout.
NOES: None.
ABSENT: Givens.
ABSTAINING: None.

DATED: June 16, 2026

(SEAL)



City Clerk of the City of Shafter

CERTIFICATE OF GOVERNING BODY'S ACTION AS CERTIFIED BY THE DEPUTY CITY CLERK

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF KERN)

I, Yazmina Pallares, City Clerk of the City of Shafter, California, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of **Resolution No. 3088** duly passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Shafter at a regular meeting held on the 16th day of June, 2026, by the following vote:

AYES: Alvarado, Espinoza, Olvera, and Prout.
NOES: None.
ABSENT: Givens.
ABSTAINING: None.

I further certify that I have carefully compared the same with the original minutes of said meeting on file and of record in my office; that the foregoing **Resolution No. 3088** is a full, true and correct copy of the original resolution adopted at said meeting and entered in said minutes; and that said resolution has not been amended, modified or rescinded since the date of its adoption, and the same is now in full force and effect.

DATED: June 17, 2026

(SEAL)



City Clerk of the City of Shafter