

County Counsel Impartial Analysis of Measure P, Board of Supervisors Term Limit Ordinance No. 1024

This measure was placed on the ballot by the Board of Supervisors of San Benito County. Currently, there is no limitation on how many terms an individual may serve as a member of the San Benito County Board of Supervisors.

If approved, the ordinance would establish a life-time limit of three four-year terms for any member of the Board of Supervisors commencing with any term that begins on or after January 1, 2023. If a supervisor has not served a term previously and is starting a term on or after January 1, 2023, they will be able to serve up to three terms of four years each. If an individual has served as a supervisor in either an elected or appointed capacity and is subsequently starting a term on or after January 1, 2023, they will be limited to two additional terms in office as a supervisor. If any supervisor serves 365 days or more of a full four-year term, that partial term would be considered a full four-year term.

The ordinance would apply starting January 1, 2023 upon approval of a simple majority of the voters voting on the measure at the November 8, 2022 election.

A "Yes" vote on this measure will be a vote in favor of term limits.

A "No" vote on this measure will be a vote against term limits.

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Ordinance No. 1024 submitted for approval by the voters as Measure P. If you desire a copy of the ordinance or measure, please call the election official's office at (831) 636-4016 and a copy will be mailed at no cost to you. You may also access the full text of the measure on the County Web site at the following Web site address, <https://sbcvote.us/registrar-of-voters/local-measures/>

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