



City of Emeryville

CALIFORNIA

MEMORANDUM

DATE: March 16, 2021
TO: Christine Daniel, City Manager
FROM: Sheri Hartz, City Clerk
SUBJECT: Resolution Of The City Council Of The City Of Emeryville In Support Of Senate Bill 271 (Wiener)

RECOMMENDATION

This report offers the City Council the opportunity to consider adoption of a Resolution supporting SB 271 concerning eligibility requirements for the office of County Sheriff.

BACKGROUND

At the March 2, 2021 regular City Council meeting Councilmembers Medina and Bauters requested that items be added to the March 16, 2021 City Council meeting for the City Council to consider adopting Resolutions of support for pending state legislation. This report addresses SB 271.

DISCUSSION

Councilmember Medina requested that the City Council consider supporting AB 271 (Wiener). The Legislative Counsel's Digest includes the following regarding this bill:

"The California Constitution requires the Legislature to provide for an elected county sheriff in each county. Existing statutory law specifies that a person is not eligible to become a candidate for the office of sheriff in a county unless the person has an advanced certificate issued by the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training or meets a combination of certain educational degree and full-time, salaried law enforcement experience requirements, as specified. Existing law deems a person holding the office of sheriff on January 1, 1989, to have met those qualifications.

This bill would repeal those eligibility provisions, and would make other conforming changes."

FISCAL IMPACT

There are no direct fiscal impacts to the City from the adoption of this Resolution.

STAFF COMMUNICATION WITH THE PUBLIC

This item was requested by City Councilmembers at their March 2, 2021 meeting

CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Not applicable

CONCLUSION

Staff recommends the City Council consider adoption of a Resolution supporting SB271.

PREPARED BY: Sheri Hartz, City Clerk

**APPROVED AND FORWARDED TO THE
CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EMERYVILLE:**



Christine Daniel, City Manager

ATTACHMENTS

- Draft Resolution Supporting SB 271