# Fw: Illegals Voting

# City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>

Thu 5/5/2022 3:05 PM

To: Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov >; Rules and Open Government Committee Agendas <rulescommitteeagenda@sanjoseca.gov>

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From: LuRhe Streb <

Sent: Thursday, May 5, 2022 2:15 PM To: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>

Subject: Illegals Voting

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I oppose anyone not a citizen to be allowed to vote in any election!



# Fw: Addressing the city councils initiative to allow noncitizens, legal or otherwise to vote in the municipal elections

# Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov>

Mon 5/9/2022 9:06 AM

To: Rules and Open Government Committee Agendas <rulescommitteeagenda@sanjoseca.gov>

From: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>

Sent: Monday, May 9, 2022 8:55 AM

To: Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov>

Subject: FW: Addressing the city councils initiative to allow noncitizens, legal or otherwise to vote in the

municipal elections

----Original Message----

From: Lavonne <

Sent: Friday, May 06, 2022 12:02 PM

To: City Clerk < city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>

Subject: Addressing the city councils initiative to allow noncitizens, legal or otherwise to vote in the

municipal elections

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#### Dear City Clerk,

- > The citizens of the United States have the privilege of voting. Noncitizens legal or otherwise do not have this privilege.
- > I wish to register my Sincere disappointment that we would even consider allowing a non-citizen or illegal to vote in the municipal elections!
- > Stop the initiative.
- > I am a resident of San Jose.
- > My address is



> LaVonne Carrick

Fw: Do not vote yes on allowing noncitizens to vote.

# Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov >

Mon 5/9/2022 8:23 AM

To: Rules and Open Government Committee Agendas <rulescommitteeagenda@sanjoseca.gov>

From: Kevin <

Sent: Saturday, May 7, 2022 8:15 AM

To: Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov>; Jones, Chappie < Chappie.Jones@sanjoseca.gov>

**Subject:** Do not vote yes on allowing noncitizens to vote.

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I can't believe you guys are possibly considering allowing noncitizens to vote this is atrocious.

You guys are trying to say we don't have a country anymore you shouldn't even be elected to office and you should renounce your position because you obviously have not upheld your oath to the Constitution of the United States.

Kevin DeBella San Jose California 4th generation San Josen

#### Fw: Non citizens able to vote

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To: Rules and Open Government Committee Agendas <rulescommitteeagenda@sanjoseca.gov>

From: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>

Sent: Monday, May 9, 2022 8:49 AM

To: Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov>

Subject: FW: Non citizens able to vote

From: Richard Pottenger <

**Sent:** Saturday, May 07, 2022 11:02 AM To: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>

Subject: Non citizens able to vote

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I am a registered resident US citizen in San Jose and DO NOT want any regulation or order to be passed by the city or county that would allow non citizens to vote. Thank you for listening and recording my email. Sincerely

Richard Pottenger

## Fw: initiative to allow non citizens the right to vote

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Although purists will argue that one cannot find the EXPLICIT text indicated in the U.S. Constitution where CITIZENS of the United States have been granted the right to vote, the right to vote has always been granted as a privilege to TAXPAYERS and PROPERTY OWNERS. Voting is a privilege, not a right. Arbitrarily speaking, race needs to be left out of this topic of discussion in the 21<sup>st</sup> century. The perpetuation of race and ethnic division doesn't make people feel part of a larger community, it makes them feel separate.

If you are a TAXPAYER and you exhibit PROFICIENCY in the English language, then one could aspire to the opportunity to vote if one could also demonstrate civic aspiration. Plain and simple. Live, work and vote in America, then live, work and vote in English. Aspire to be an informed citizen and we are equally demanding that you, San Jose Council, be an informed people's advocate. This is how democracy prevails when people can aspire to be an informed and participating citizen.

Voting is a privilege that should be earned with working towards a collective civic goal and with proficiency in the English language, demonstrated proof of taxpayer participation and through civic aspiration! Thank you.

Ingrid Campos (first generation, daughter of legal immigrants into this beautiful country, USA)



# Fw: Non citizens booting

# Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov >

Tue 5/10/2022 8:34 AM

To: Rules and Open Government Committee Agendas <rulescommitteeagenda@sanjoseca.gov>

From: Magda Januszkiewicz <

Sent: Tuesday, May 10, 2022 5:47 AM To: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>

Subject: Non citizens booting

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Hello;

Please don't pass the bill letting none citizens to vote. Voting in USA always allows only US citizens to vote and this should remain indefinitely.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sent from my iPhone

#### Fw: Initiative to allow non-citizens to vote

# Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov>

Tue 5/10/2022 10:04 AM

To: Rules and Open Government Committee Agendas <rulescommitteeagenda@sanjoseca.gov>

From: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov> Sent: Tuesday, May 10, 2022 10:03 AM

To: Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov > Subject: FW: Initiative to allow non-citizens to vote

From: Diana Loop <

**Sent:** Tuesday, May 10, 2022 9:45 AM Cc: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>

Subject: Fwd: Initiative to allow non-citizens to vote

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Begin forwarded message:

From: Diana Loop <

Subject: Initiative to allow non-citizens to vote

Date: May 10, 2022 at 9:40:00 AM PDT

To: District7@sanjoseca.gov

Ms. Esparza,

I can't believe that you would be a part of something so un-American as to let people that are not citizens of the United States vote. Should we let Russians vote? Should we let Chinese Communists vote? What is wrong with your thinking? All countries are represented in the illegal people in this country. They are not all victims and do not know our laws, nor do they all have our love of this country. I will never contribute or vote for any of you if you pass this stupid initiative!!!

San Jose Resident

#### Fw: VOTING FOR ALL

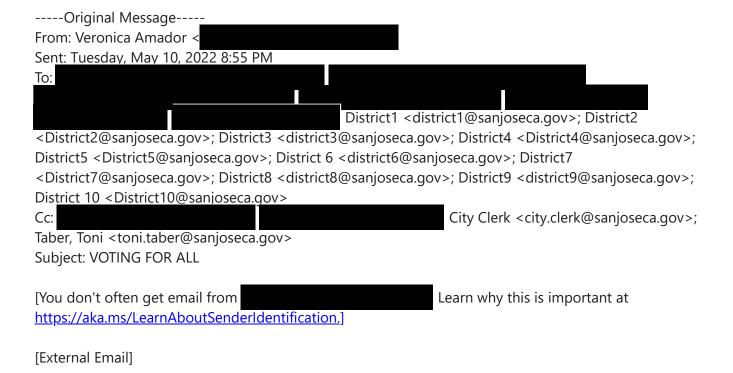
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Wed 5/11/2022 8:58 AM

To: Rules and Open Government Committee Agendas <rulescommitteeagenda@sanjoseca.gov>

From: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov> Sent: Wednesday, May 11, 2022 7:49 AM To: Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov>

Subject: FW: VOTING FOR ALL



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#### Fw: Non-citizens should not be allowed to vote in elections

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Wed 5/11/2022 8:57 AM

To: Rules and Open Government Committee Agendas <rulescommitteeagenda@sanjoseca.gov>

From: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov> Sent: Wednesday, May 11, 2022 7:49 AM To: Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov >

Subject: FW: Non-citizens should not be allowed to vote in elections

----Original Message----

From: Teresa Lesieutre <

Sent: Tuesday, May 10, 2022 9:06 PM To: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>

Subject: Non-citizens should not be allowed to vote in elections

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Hello,

Non-citizens SHOULD NOT BE ALLOWED to vote in elections.

Requirements: He/she must be a US citizen, registered to vote, and be 18 years old. VALID ID MUST BE

SHOWN WHEN VOTING! Thank you, Teresa Lesieutre

Sent from my iPhone

# Fw: SJ council on deciding whether non-citizens vote, read before May 17th

### Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov >

Wed 5/11/2022 1:19 PM

To: Rules and Open Government Committee Agendas <rulescommitteeagenda@sanjoseca.gov>

From: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov> Sent: Wednesday, May 11, 2022 11:32 AM To: Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov >

Subject: FW: SJ council on deciding whether non-citizens vote, read before May 17th

From: TinaUSAITA <

Sent: Wednesday, May 11, 2022 11:27 AM To: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>

Subject: SJ council on deciding whether non-citizens vote, read before May 17th

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Dear City Clerk of SJ,

May I ask a sincere and serious question?

Would you be ok for me to come into your home, make decisions on how to run your household, take from your home, profit off of your living expenses and hang out at your place for my pleasure?

You pay your taxes, utility bills, decorate to your style and like how everything runs to your liking. Then I come to knock on your door to tell you what I want, what I need and how you must change to suit me and pay for it.

Are you cool with that set up?

If not, that's great. Because neither am I.

That's what it's like on a personal level when YOU allow NON registered citizens to vote for REGISTERED citizens and allow them to make decisions on HOW I live in my home, my town, my city, and my state where I AM a RESPONSIBLE REGISTERED citizen paying outrageous taxes upon taxes, services and all! They TOO, CAN easily REGISTER and become LEGAL citizens as did my IMMIGRANT parents and husband! Anyone who wants to make decisions on policies, taxes, laws, my life, etc... must be a REGISTERED citizen to UNDERSTAND what it takes through the experience of BEING a REGISTERED citizen. They must first walk in my shoes!

For those who do not want to become REGISTERED citizens, ask yourself: Why? What are they hiding? Why don't they want to contribute? It's no shame to be a non-citizen AS LONG AS they then take the process to becoming a citizen. It's NEVER ok to mooch/take/abuse anyone for anything. I work hard for what I want with what little is left after paying taxes. They can work too as they become registered citizens. To become a citizen is to show responsibility, ownership,

accountability and contribute to society by HELPING to PAY for services, instead of constantly dipping into the pot of money, aka 'registered citizen taxpayers money'.

Is that what you want? Because if that's what you want, then you have NO PLACE in remaining in your position to tell us REGISTERED citizens on how to function and live. Don't allow illegal, non-citizens to vote for those who CHOSE to do the right thing and contribute to society instead of taking.

Anyone who wants to drive, must be a REGISTERED citizen.

Anyone who wants to vote, must be a REGISTERED citizen.

Anyone who wants to go in politics, must be a REGISTERED citizen.

Anyone who wants to go in medical, must be a REGISTERED citizen.

All equals a Responsible and Accountable adult who is choosing to contribute to society!

Would you take medical advice from a non-registered doctor?

Regards,

Valentina

"Happiness and peace is when your actions, words and thoughts are in line with serving others with a heart of gratitude and love"

Sent with ProtonMail secure email.

# Fw: Urgent Voting Rights Updates and Actions

## Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov >

Wed 5/11/2022 2:41 PM

To: Rules and Open Government Committee Agendas <rulescommitteeagenda@sanjoseca.gov>

From: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov> Sent: Wednesday, May 11, 2022 2:26 PM To: Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov>

Subject: FW: Urgent Voting Rights Updates and Actions



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#### Sent from my iPhone

## FW: Support the Right to Vote in San José

# Roche, Megan

Thu 5/12/2022 3:51 PM

To: Rules and Open Government Committee Agendas <rulescommitteeagenda@sanjoseca.gov>

From: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov> Sent: Thursday, May 12, 2022 3:50 PM

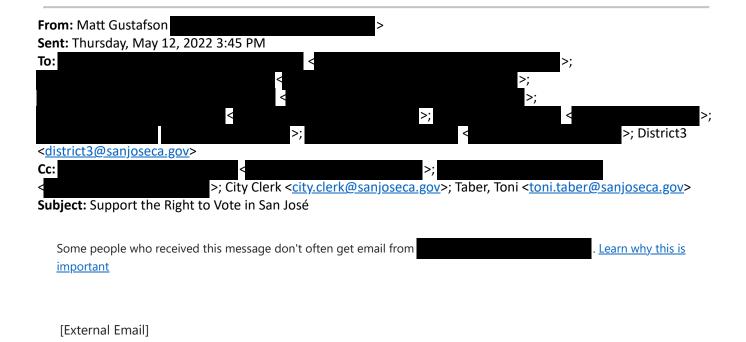
To: Roche, Megan <megan.roche@sanjoseca.gov> Subject: Fw: Support the Right to Vote in San José

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Thank you,

Matt Gustafson San José District 3 resident

## Fw: Right to vote

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Fri 5/13/2022 7:54 AM

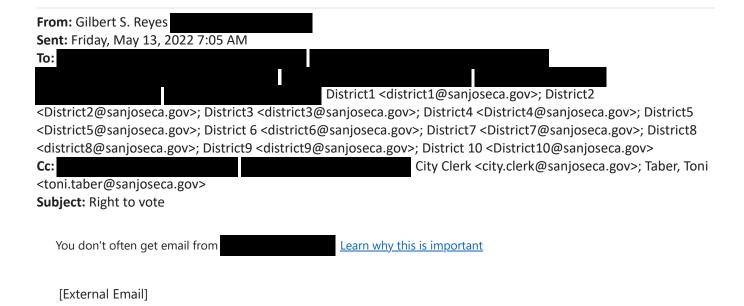
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From: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>

Sent: Friday, May 13, 2022 7:35 AM

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Subject: FW: Study session now

----Original Message----From: Dilza Gonzalez <

Sent: Thursday, May 12, 2022 11:25 PM

To: District1 < district1@sanjoseca.gov>; District2 < District2@sanjoseca.gov>;

District3 < district3@sanjoseca.gov>; District4 < District4@sanjoseca.gov>; District5

<District5@sanjoseca.gov>; District 6 <district6@sanjoseca.gov>; District7 <District7@sanjoseca.gov>;

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#### Dilza Gonzalez

Resident and taxpayer of San José Ca

## Fw: Stop the delay!

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Fri 5/13/2022 9:38 AM

To: Rules and Open Government Committee Agendas <rulescommitteeagenda@sanjoseca.gov>

From: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>

Sent: Friday, May 13, 2022 9:36 AM

To: Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov >

Subject: Fw: Stop the delay!

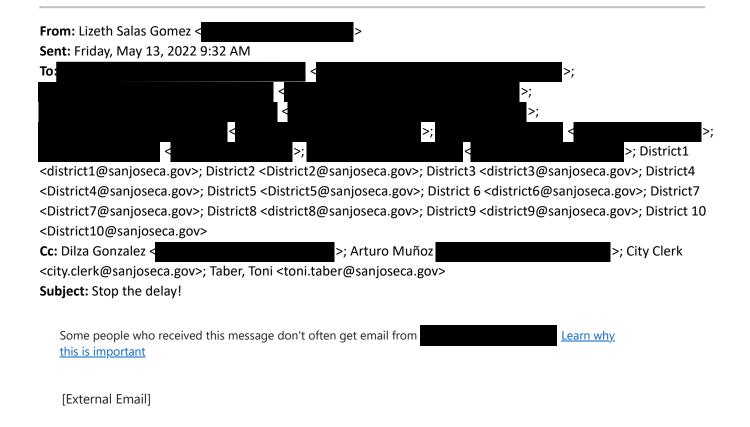
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Dear decision-maker,

How is our service? Please take our short survey.



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- 3. No waiting time for elections. We should not have to wait to register to vote.
- 4. Create protections process for undocumented communities during the registration process;
- 5. Must be part of the November 2022 election!!

In solidarity,



Liz Salas (She/Her/Hers) Parent Child+ Early Learning Specialist

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Gracias a la Vida is October 7, 2022! Get your tickets here.

#### Fw: STOP THE DELAY!

## Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov >

Mon 5/16/2022 9:03 AM

To: Rules and Open Government Committee Agendas <rulescommitteeagenda@sanjoseca.gov>



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# Fw: Ban non-Citizens from voting

# Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov>

Mon 5/16/2022 8:58 AM

To: Rules and Open Government Committee Agendas <rulescommitteeagenda@sanjoseca.gov>

From: Diane Duke <

**Sent:** Sunday, May 15, 2022 4:52 PM To: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov> Subject: Ban non-Citizens from voting

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Please do what you can to prevent non-citizens from being able to vote. It is not legal.

Thank you. Diane Duke

# Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

# Fw: Extend municipal voting rights to all residents of the City of San José Measure

### Agendadesk < Agendadesk@sanjoseca.gov >

Mon 5/16/2022 1:09 PM

To: Rules and Open Government Committee Agendas <rulescommitteeagenda@sanjoseca.gov>

From: Maryam Pirayou <

Sent: Monday, May 16, 2022 12:46 PM

To: City Clerk <city.clerk@sanjoseca.gov>; Reed, Jim <Jim.Reed@sanjoseca.gov>; Gomez, David <david.gomez@sanjoseca.gov>; Sandoval, Vanessa <vanessa.sandoval@sanjoseca.gov>; Ramos, Christina M <christina.m.ramos@sanjoseca.gov>; Brown, Stacey <Stacey.Brown@sanjoseca.gov>; Lupercio, Adan <adan.Lupercio@sanjoseca.gov>; Groen, Mary Anne <maryanne.groen@sanjoseca.gov>; District7

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#### Greetings,

My name is Maryam Pirayo and I am a long time resident of San Jose. I came to the US as an immigrant, but I did not become a citizen immediately after I was eligible. Even though I studied computer science at UC Berkeley, I did not learn much about how America was founded, its constitution, cost of liberty, responsibility of the citizens, and etc. I believe the laws that enabled me to migrate to this country providing freedoms that I did not have in my native land are too important to be taken lightly. Attainting citizenship will enable residents to become informed voters while deciding on issues that enabled them to become residents of this country in the first place. Please vote NO on this measure.

Best Regards, Maryam Pirayo