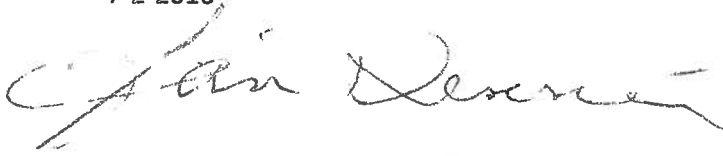


It is rare for a City Council to be given the opportunity to remain in office for an additional period of time beyond their elected term. In this case due to the State Mandated Law SB 415, the City of Manhattan Beach will have the option of having the next City election simultaneously with the State wide elections in June or Federal elections in November of 2017. Regardless of which date is chosen it will save tax payers money.

Should the City Council elect to have the City election in November, the extension would be a wonderful opportunity for the five present Council members, who have been working together for the past several years, to resolve projects that are still on the books. This ability for an extension of time is also important to see that the new two-year City budget is carried out in the terms negotiated by this Council.

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