

**Argument in Favor of Measure R
City of Adelanto**

Vote Yes on Measure R to improve essential city services and protect public safety in Adelanto with locally controlled funding that cannot be taken away by the State or County.

The City of Adelanto has been working hard to attract and retain local businesses and industry, provide more job opportunities, and improve public safety services. However, in the past two decades the County has taken millions in local revenue away from our community – even now when we need it most.

Vacant lots, mostly owned by outsiders and corporations, tarnish our neighborhoods and pose a threat to our community. It is time those areas are put to use – for local shopping, building green spaces, providing jobs and helping our city thrive.

That is why we need to take things into our own hands and Vote YES on Measure R.

Seconds count in emergencies. Measure R will help keep the local Sheriff substation open 24 hours a day to support rapid 911 emergency calls.

Vote YES on Measure R:

- Maintain fire, paramedic and 911 emergency response times
- Support crime prevention and neighborhood safety
- Replace aging infrastructure including drinking water pipes
- Improve streets and keep public areas safe and clean
- Attract and retain businesses, industry and increase job opportunities

Strict Fiscal Accountability:

- Mandatory annual audits are required
- By law, San Bernardino County or Sacramento cannot touch a penny of Measure R
- All funds must be spent locally for programs and services in Adelanto
- Measure R does not apply to lots with homes or businesses – only vacant lots
- A hardship exemption is available

Join neighbors, first responders and community leaders – vote YES on Measure R to hold vacant lot owners responsible and ensure Adelanto is a great place to grow up, work and thrive.

STATEMENT BY PROPONENTS/AUTHORS OF ARGUMENTS

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The undersigned proponent(s) or author(s) of the:

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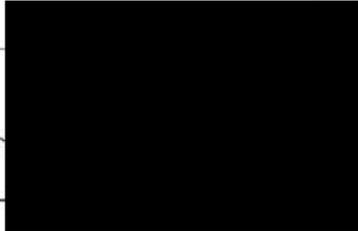
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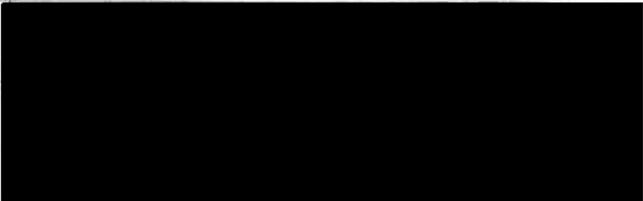
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(Measure Letter) *(Title of Election)*

City of Adelanto to be held on November 3, 2020 hereby state that this
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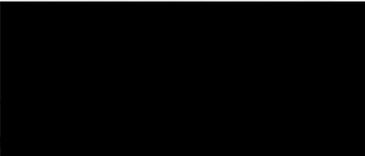
argument is true and correct to the best of Their knowledge and belief.
(his/her/their)

Proponents/Authors:

Print Name <u> Gabriel Reyes </u>	Signature 
Title <u> Mayor </u>	Date <u> </u>

Print Name <u> Joy Jeanette </u>	
Title <u> Councilmember </u>	

Print Name <u>Daniel Ramos</u> Title <u>Planning Commissioner</u>	Signature  Date _____
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Print Name <u>Bartola Del Villar</u> Title <u>President of Adelanto Little League</u>	Signature  Date <u>8/17/2020</u>
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Print Name <u>Ammie Hines</u> Title <u>Founder at Another Level For Women</u>	Signature  Date <u>8/17/2020</u>
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