Ordinance Amending the City of Santee Municipal Code
to Establish Term Limits for the Mayor and City Council

If adopted by a majority of the voters, this initiative measure would amend the Santee Municipal Code to establish term limits for the Mayor and City Council. Currently, the Santee Municipal Code does not establish term limits for the Mayor or the City Council.

This measure would require that no person shall serve as an “Elected Official,” defined by this measure to include both the offices of the Mayor and Members of the City Council, for more than twelve years, or three terms, with any portion of a term, whether by election or appointment, counting as a full term. This measure therefore applies the twelve-year or three-term limit, as defined in the measure, to any combination of terms of service as either the Mayor or as a Member of the City Council.

The term limits described in this measure would apply to terms of office beginning on or after the general election held on November 6, 2018.

This measure, if adopted, could be amended or repealed only by a simple majority of the voters at a City election.