

Ballot Argument Signature Statement

The Butte County Elections Office requires this statement be completed and submitted with the argument. Names and titles listed will be printed in the order provided, and will appear as indicated. In addition, no more than 5 names may be printed following the written argument statement in the Sample Ballot Voter Information Booklet.

Argument/Rebuttal Filed by (Check any of the following that apply)

- Board of Supervisors or any member(s) of the Board
- Individual voter who is eligible to vote on the measure
- Bona Fide Association of Citizens

City of Oroville

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Ballot Argument Contact:

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The undersigned author(s) of the:

- Argument in Favor of
- Argument Against
- Rebuttal to the Argument in Favor of
- Rebuttal to the Argument Against

Ballot measure letter R, to be voted on at the (Primary or General) election to be held on Nov 8, 2016 in the County of Butte, and hereby state that this argument is true and correct to the best of his/her/their knowledge and belief.

Each person must clearly print and sign as indicated below. Printing will be in the order as submitted.

	Print Name clearly	Print Title and Name of Organization	Signature	Date
1	Linda Dahlmeier	Mayor, City of Oroville	<i>Linda Dahlmeier</i>	8/25/16
2	Bill Labrone	DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY	<i>Bill Labrone</i>	8/25/16
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Rebuttal to Argument Against Measure R

The City of Oroville has for many years been addressing a budget deficit. The deficit exist due to the disillusion of the Redevelopment Agency, increasing cost in the Public Employee Retirement System, the increasing cost of Health Insurance and other inflationary cost of business. At the same time revenues of the City have not kept up with inflation.

A person purchasing \$1,000.00 of taxable items will spend an extra \$10.00 due to Measure R. Measure R will not increase the cost of Rent, Utilities or Groceries. Measure R will not cause people to leave Oroville to make vehicle purchases in other communities. Sales Tax on a vehicle is based on your zip code, not the physical location you purchase the vehicle.

Measure R requires an Oversight Committee. The Oversight Committee is the Citizens opportunity to ensure this revenue will be used for the stated purpose. The Oversight Committee will hold quarterly meetings to ensure the proper expenditure of monies, and will be the gatekeeper of the revenues and report to the Community.

Measure R brings the sales tax rate in Oroville to the State average. Measure R is our opportunity to enhance the quality of life for all the residence of the City of Oroville. Oroville is our home and our community. Let's all work together to support our City and our Community!

I ask you to vote YES on Measure R on November 8, 2016.

Mayor Linda Dahlmeier
Director of Public Safety Bill LaGrone

The image shows two handwritten signatures in black ink. The top signature is 'Linda Dahlmeier' and the bottom signature is 'Bill LaGrone'. Both are written in a cursive, flowing style.