

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE _ FOR THE CITY OF TWENTYNINE PALMS

Vote YES on Measure _ to protect essential public services and preserve our quality of life in Twentynine Palms.

Twentynine Palms is a proud desert community, and we believe every resident deserves safe streets, reliable emergency and 9-1-1 response, and effective public safety.

Measure _ is critical to ensure our road maintenance, public safety, emergency preparedness, animal shelter, and other local services remain functional for the benefit of all Twentynine Palms residents.

Twentynine Palms is one of the few communities in our region without a local sales tax, and Measure _ will ensure that Twentynine Palms visitors and tourists pay their fair share. This means non-residents will help pay for our streets, police, and other services.

Voting YES will keep this one-cent sales tax revenue here in Twentynine Palms, and generate \$2 million annually to safeguard the services that protect our quality of life.

Vote Yes on Measure _ for:

- **REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING** city streets
- **PROVIDING** effective public safety, police officers, patrols, and rapid 911 response times
- **PREPARING** the City for emergencies (including flooding, fire, earthquakes, and traffic accidents)
- **MAINTAINING** animal control services and ensuring the animal shelter meets basic health and safety standards
- **PRESERVING** parks, trails, and open spaces

Measure _ requires strict fiscal accountability, transparency, and local control:

- ALL funds stay in Twentynine Palms. The State cannot touch one penny.
- Oversight, independent financial audits and yearly reports to the community are required

Measure _ will protect local families. Groceries and prescription medications WON'T be taxed, so residents can support needed improvements to City services without increasing the cost of basic necessities.

Join public safety personnel, parents, civic leaders, and residents across Twentynine Palms. Vote YES on Measure _ to keep our streets safe, our shelter healthy, and our tax dollars right here in Twentynine Palms.