

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE “V”

I think for Lassen County, this is one of the most important ballot measures in generations for our Public Safety personnel! This 1% added sales tax will be dedicated to the public safety organizations in Lassen County. This is not a tax that only Lassen residents bear, but those who visit our county pay as well! Passing this measure will not be an easy task since it requires 66 2/3% of the vote to pass. This sales tax measure **DOES NOT ADD** any further tax in the **City of Susanville!** Every person in the City of Susanville should say **YES** to this measure since you already pay 8.25% in Susanville and the City Public Safety is benefiting. What this measure does is make the sales tax in Lassen County the same across the entire County, so 8.25% across Lassen County! This tax will bring in about \$1.5 million dollars of greatly needed revenue for the County’s Public Safety Budgets. Men and women that work in Public Safety in Lassen County, including Sheriff, Fire, OES, Probation, District Attorney and Code Enforcement, are dedicated to the work they do for each and every one of us. The well-being of City and County residents during times of crisis, or calls for mutual aid, are often answered by our county’s public safety personnel. Through this new revenue source, we would ensure that resources are available in times of greatest need. Your **YES** vote is a showing of your support for local Public Safety. Let’s back these brave men and women by voting **YES** on **MEASURE “V”!** Let’s make it a **VICTORY** for Public Safety and Lassen County!

Chris Gallagher, District 1 Supervisor and Gary Bridges District 2 Supervisor

**COUNTY OF LASSEN
VOTER REGISTRATION AND ELECTIONS**

Argument / Rebuttal Signature Statement Form

The Lassen County Voter Registration and 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 County Voter Information Guide.

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- Board of Supervisors or any member(s) of the Board
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- Argument in Favor of
- Argument Against
- Rebuttal to the Argument in Favor of
- Rebuttal to the Argument Against

Ballot measure letter V, to be voted on at the (Primary or General) election to be held on NOV 5, 2024 in the County of Lassen, 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
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