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Good day:

I question the need for an Election Advisory Committee and strongly oppose Gorrell and Long's Resolution to Establish a Ventura County Elections Advisory Committee.

We have a Voting Access Advisory Committee that works with the election personnel to field any questions and feedback with the public. What would be the purpose of this Election Advisory Committee except to add another layer that brings NO added value to an existing secure and transparent election process.

I have been a poll worker and I find Ventura County has taken many steps to ensure the safety and transparency of their elections. The training is thorough and many checks are in place to ensure no discrepancy or fraud can occur.

The creation of yet another committee is redundant and undermines the integrity of our election system.

I vehemently oppose Gorrell and Long's Resolution to Establish a Ventura County Elections Advisory Committee.

Thank you for your time,
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