

DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF SACRAMENTO COUNTY

CENTRAL COMMITTEE RESOLUTION

8/13/2020 – DPSC Zoom

RESOLUTION 2020-04

Opposing the Strong Mayor Initiative

WHEREAS, The Sacramento City Council has agendized a strong mayor initiative on the ballot in November, which it is calling the Sacramento Mayoral Accountability and Community Equity Act of 2020; and

WHEREAS, The Democratic Party of Sacramento County, over the last decade, has been at the forefront in promoting transparency and good government, and has successfully opposed three previous strong mayor initiatives because each was bad policy done behind closed doors;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Democratic Party of Sacramento County remains opposed to a strong mayor initiative being placed on the November 2020 ballot, during the worst pandemic in more than 100 years, without any details being vetted through either a Charter Review Commission or through anyone other than elected officials and insiders.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Democratic Party of Sacramento County will use the full force of its grassroots advocacy to oppose the strong mayor initiative.