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FPPC -

I am very disappointed on the short notice for changing the electronic filing systems to mandating using the FPPC Electronic System as of January 2025 for 87200 filers. I am surprised that this change wasn't brought to our attention when it was being considered during the legislative session.

When using our own systems, we make expanded filings to cover additional City positions, i.e. meeting as our Libraries Facilities Corporation and our Community Foundation. In the past, we were unable to add these positions into the FPPC system. Has this been considered? If not, then you are now asking the elected officials to file in your system, and they will also need to file with the City for the other positions they hold as a result of being an elected official. This is going to make our public portal not very transparent as it will NOT include all positions.

Also, are you allowing other groups to use your system, i.e., SCAG, Clean Power Alliance, and if yes, will these accounts be tied together with the 87200 position? If not, then you are asking the Elected Officials to log into your system multiple times to complete these multiple filings. For those with schedules, you are making the process very labor intensive for them.

When notifications are sent to our City Councilmembers and other 87200 positions, will

the City Clerk as the coordinators for the City also receive the notifications, to ensure your emails are received and to allow us to add an additional reminder to file their Form 700's to our list. Once they file, we will receive a notification to allow us to download the form and have available for our auditors? The auditors have enjoyed using our public portal to view the forms, looks like I will need to go back to maintaining a paper copy of the 87200's forms for them. Just when we thought we were working towards being a little "paperless" AB 1170 will actually create more paperwork for me to manage.

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