

NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL ELECTION CHALLENGE FORM

I hereby submit my challenge for the Silver Lake

Neighborhood Council Election held on 04/12/2014

I affirm that I am a stakeholder in this Neighborhood Council and that I have personal knowledge of the following challenge. check here

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REASON FOR CHALLENGE: Campaign Material Issues

Please state the facts for your challenge.
(max 500 words)

Candidate Teresa Sitz used the City of Los Angeles Seal and NC Logo on her campaign materials. This pattern of use was repeated on materials used in March and April during the time she was a candidate for the Silver Lake Neighborhood Council. The Department of Neighborhood Empowerment 2014 Neighborhood Council Elections Candidate Guidelines Item 3 specifically states "You shall not use the City of Los Angeles Seal or Letterhead, the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment (Department) Logo, the Office of the City Clerk Logo, the NC Logo, or any other official NC designation created by the Department." To my dismay, Ms. Sitz has a clear and repeated pattern of violating the candidate guidelines.

Please state your desired remedy. (max 100 words)

Ms. Sitz should be disqualified as a candidate. This is a clear violation of the candidate guidelines by which all candidates abide. Condoning election violations compromises the integrity of the entire electoral process. Ms. Sitz' use of these official logos implied City and NC endorsement and may have harmed the candidacy of all candidates.

Attach all supporting documentation: [Sitz Facebook.zip](#)

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