

**The Academy of Alameda Board of Directors**  
**Resolution Towards Measure Z**  
**Resolution # 10.22.20.2**

CONCERNING POSSIBLE CHANGES TO THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ALAMEDA

WHEREAS, The Academy of Alameda operates The Academy of Alameda Charter Elementary & Middle Schools (collectively “The Academy”) within the City of Alameda; and

WHEREAS, California charter schools are free public schools open to enrollment by all California resident students; and

WHEREAS, the student body of The Academy has historically and consistently been ranked among the most diverse in the State of California; and

WHEREAS, The Academy values and draws strength from the diversity of its school community; and

WHEREAS, the diversity of The Academy community includes a rich spectrum of families of varying backgrounds and economic means; and

WHEREAS, the availability of affordable housing within Alameda has strong effects on the diversity of Alameda’s population; and

WHEREAS, Alameda Measure Z, *Shall the measure amending the City Charter to repeal the prohibition against the building of multi-family housing in Alameda and amending the City Charter and the General Plan to repeal the citywide density limitation of one housing unit per 2,000 square feet of land be adopted*, has the potential to affect the availability of rental housing and the diverse character of neighborhoods in Alameda.;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE Board of Directors of The Academy proclaims the following:

1. The Academy of Alameda strongly encourages AoA families to inform themselves about the potential impact of Measure Z, to discuss those impacts with their students and to practice good citizenship by voting in the upcoming Nov. 3, 2020 general election.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of The Academy on this 22nd day of October, 2020.

AYES:  
NOES:  
ABSTAIN:  
ABSENT:

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The Academy of Alameda Board President  
David Forbes