## REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE Q

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The Politicians and Proponents are Misleading us...that's enough to Vote No on Measure Q.

Get the Facts

## No Accountability:

If you read the legal fine print, there's No Mention of "accountability," "audits," or "transparency" and No independent oversight committee.

# No Funding Issues:

Ontario has a balanced budget and continuous revenue. The city's budget predicts sales tax growth this year without Tax Doubling Measure Q because, as Ontario grows with more people and businesses, so will tax revenue. That covers any expanding needs as it is designed to do.

### No Danger to Police, Fire & Paramedic Service:

Our existing taxes pay for the best equipped and staffed public safety services in San Bernardino County to the envy of others. Ontario will have no problem maintaining its high-quality public safety services in the future if money is managed properly.

#### No Increase Needed:

Measure Q's funds are not earmarked but go into the city's general fund for politicians' pet projects. Without question, we already pay for street repairs, youth programs, and an entire crime prevention bureau in the police department. The independent Ontario Municipal Utilities Company has responsibility for water improvements, that's why we pay our water bill. Lastly, developers pay for infrastructure improvements, not taxpayers.

We've built a large and growing coalition of bipartisan residents, nonprofit and community organizations, faith leaders, and business owners,

Join us in Voting No on Measure Q...keep our city strong into the future and money in your pocket.

- s/ Chris Robles, Chair, FairOntario.com
- s/ Sam Crowe, President, West End Democratic Club
- s/ Melissa May, Founder & President, Ontario LULAC #3296
- s/ Stephen May, President, Greater Ontario Democratic Club
- s/ Randy Bekendam, Ontario Farmer, Resident, and Local Businessman