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ORDINANCE NO. 05-1247

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH, CALIFORNIA,
AMENDING THE CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION PROVISIONS AND
AMENDING THE HERMOSA BEACH MUNICIPAL CODE**

The City Council of the City of Hermosa Beach does ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 2.08.020 of Title 2, Chapter 2.08 of the Hermosa Beach Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

2.08.020 Campaign contribution limitations.

A. No person shall make a contribution to any candidate for elective office or to any such candidate's committee, nor shall any candidate for elective office or his or her committee accept, any contribution in aid of the election of a candidate to an elective office which will cause the total given by such person with respect to a single election to exceed the sum of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00). This section shall not apply to amounts given by a candidate to his or her own campaign.

B. No person shall make to any independent committee that expressly advocates support of or opposition to any candidate or candidates for elective office, nor shall any independent committee that expressly advocates support of or opposition to any candidate or candidates for elective office accept, any contribution in connection with a single election in excess of the sum of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00).

C. Contributions by a husband and wife shall be treated as separate contributions and shall not be aggregated. Contributions by children under eighteen (18) years of age shall be treated as contributions attributed equally to each parent or guardian.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall become effective and be in full force and effect from and after thirty (30) days of its final passage and adoption.

SECTION 3. Prior to the expiration of fifteen (15) days after the date of its adoption, the City Clerk shall cause this ordinance to be published in the Easy Reader, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published and circulated, in the City of Hermosa Beach in the manner provided by law.

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SECTION 4. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this ordinance, shall enter the same in the book of original ordinances of said city, and shall make minutes of the passage and adoption thereof in the records of the proceedings of the City Council at which the same is passed and adopted.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this 3rd of March 2005 by the following vote:

- AYES:
- NOES:
- ABSENT:
- ABSTAIN:

PRESIDENT of the City Council and **MAYOR** of the City of Hermosa Beach, California

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Clerk

City Attorney

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