# City of Alameda

## Staff Report

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City Council

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Review and Discuss Charter Amendment Timeline and Issues Proposed by the Council Subcommittee. [Continued from March 19, 2019 to April 2, 2019]
**Potential Charter issues for community discussion**

**Elections (Methods)**

- Districts
- Ranked Choice Voting
- Direct elect Mayor

**Elected Office (Regulation)**

- Revised term limits
- Paid signature gatherer rules
- No charter ballot initiatives (is this possible)?
- Campaign finance

**City Governance**

- Remove housing restrictions, move language to municipal code
- Board / Commission appointments
- Boards / Commission additions/removal
    - Current: Public Utilities Board; Civil Service Board; City Planning Board; Social Service, Human Relations Board; Library Board; Historical Advisory Board,
    - Add new: OGC, other?

**Organization**

- Clarify Council Interference language
- Look at the removal of Auditor/Treasurer as elected positions
- Council pay
- Council remote meeting rules to accommodate for new parenthood