

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSAL:

What changes of organization are included? What agencies are involved? Etc.

The proposal is to remove Sunset Beach from the sphere of influence of Huntington Beach in order to accomplish the second proposal, the incorporation of Sunset Beach as a city.

Involved agencies are the County of Orange, and the City of Huntington Beach.

STATEMENT OF JUSTIFICATION:

Explain the purpose of each request or change of organization. Explain how the proposal provides more logical boundaries or improves the provision of service.

The purpose of removing Huntington Beach's sphere of influence is so that Sunset Beach can incorporate.

The incorporation of Sunset Beach would improve the provision of service by providing direct local control and direct participation in the local government. Sunset Beach residents would be able to run for city council and attend Council meetings that are held within walking distance of their home or business and have access to Sunset Beach City Hall which is much easier to navigate than the County offices or Huntington Beach offices. Sunset beach would provide services more efficiently with a 100% voting voice of registered voters and more streamlined process of city government. If annexed to Huntington Beach the voters of Sunset Beach would become disenfranchised as their vote would become less than 1/2 of 1% representation.

WHO INITIATED THIS PROPOSAL? Please select one from the drop-down list:

The citizens of Sunset Beach, acting through the Sunset Beach Community Association.

Applications can be initiated by either: (1) a petition signed by five percent of the affected landowners or five percent of the affected registered voters from the annexing area, or (2) a resolution by the legislative body of an affected city, county or special district.

The following is attached to this application form:

Resolution *(please attach)*

Landowner Petition *(please attach)*

Registered Voter Petition *(please attach)* Petitions are attached.