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Chronology of Elections

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JANUARY 10, 1956

Special and General Municipal Election
7,481 registered voters 5,341 voted 71.4% voter turnout

Incorporation:

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	3,488	65.3	Passed
No	1,853	34.7	

Council-Manager Form of Municipal Government:

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	3,424	76.3	Passed
No	1,061	23.7	

City Council Election - 17 Candidates, 5 Positions

Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Jack Stevenson (Mayor)	2,593	Elected
Bruce Michael	2,593	Elected
Michael Overacker	2,337	Elected
Winifred Bendel	2,162	Elected
Wallace Pond	1,873	Elected
John A. Parry	1,693	Not Elected
Charles Dubuque	1,458	Not Elected
Edward Rose	1,368	Not Elected
Joseph Nunes	1,259	Not Elected
Ray O. Dean	981	Not Elected
Charles Russell	952	Not Elected
Willis Simpson	582	Not Elected
B. J. Bunting	520	Not Elected
Robert O'Flaherty	396	Not Elected
Harvey Jarvis	380	Not Elected
Edward Nelson	367	Not Elected
Robert Furrer	251	Not Elected

APRIL 10, 1956

General Municipal Election
7,636 registered voters 997 voted 13.1% voter turnout

City Council Election - 3 Candidates, 3 Positions

Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Michael Overacker	926	Elected
Wallace Pond	904	Elected
Winifred Bendel	824	Elected

APRIL 8, 1958

General and Special Municipal Election
11,227 registered voters 6,657 voted 59.3% voter turnout

City Council Election - 8 Candidates, 2 positions

Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Kenneth Steadman	3,624	Elected
Rollin Cunningham	3,056	Elected
John Stevenson	2,701	Not Elected
Bruce Michael	2,227	Not Elected
Martin Brossill	721	Not Elected
Alan Gemeiner	294	Not Elected
John Buemer	1	Not Elected
James Nunes	1	Not Elected

Shall the City purchase 12.3 acres for Civic Center development?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	2,074	32.9	
No	4,236	67.1	Failed

Shall the City set aside $125,000 of Capital Improvement Funds for 60 acres for Civic Center development?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	2,066	33.1	
No	4,180	66.9	Failed

FEBRUARY 3, 1959

Recall and General Municipal Election
11,255 registered voters 6,932 voted 61.6% voter turnout

Shall Councilwoman Winifred Bendel be recalled?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	3,748	54.1	Passed
No	3,184	45.9	

City Council Election -10 Candidates, 1 position

Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Carl Flegal	3,623	Elected
Melvin Souza	3	Not Elected
Arvin Ishaw	1	Not Elected
George Malone	1	Not Elected
Jim Meyer	1	Not Elected
Bruce Michael	1	Not Elected
Pocho Prezes	1	Not Elected
Harry Von Querner	1	Not Elected
Jack Warren	1	Not Elected
Warren Willson	1	Not Elected

APRIL 12, 1960

General Municipal Election
12,648 registered voters 7,050 voted 55.7% voter turnout

City Council Election - 16 Candidates, 3 positions

Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Jack Stevenson	2,844	Elected
Jack Parry	2,624	Elected
Carl Flegal	2,563	Elected
Fred Duvall	2,434	Not Elected
Dr. Walter Dang	1,972	Not Elected
Leland Moore	1,851	Not Elected
Walter Papazian	1,731	Not Elected
Francis Winkel	1,621	Not Elected
Anthony Smith	477	Not Elected
William Richmond	473	Not Elected
Abraham Hochler	383	Not Elected
Chauncey Giles	91	Not Elected
Norm Freed	1	Not Elected
Joe Pine	1	Not Elected
Homer Dorsey	1	Not Elected

JUNE 7, 1960

Special Municipal Bond Election (Consolidated Primary)
14,207 registered voters 8,722 voted 61.4% voter turnout

Measure voted on:	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
$1,100,000 Civic Center Building	Yes - 3,987 No - 4,735	45.7 54.3	Failed
$2,800,000 in Street Improvements	Yes - 4,341 No - 4,266	50.4 49.6	Failed
$2,100,000 in Park Acquisition and Improvement	Yes - 3,674 No - 4,944	42.6 57.4	Failed
$150,000 in Building a Corporation Yard	Yes - 3,440 No - 5,086	40.3 59.7	Failed
$400,000 for Building an Airport	Yes - 2,713 No - 5,760	32.0 68.0	Failed
$1,000,000 for Upgrading Storm Drainage	Yes - 4,370 No - 4,225	50.8 49.2	Failed
$450,000 for Building a Library	Yes - 3,455 No - 5,031	40.7 59.3	Failed
$325,000 for Upgrading Fire Protection	Yes - 5,244 No - 3,458	60.3 39.7	Failed
Civic Center Location			
Location "A"	Yes - 2,578	38.8	
Location "C"	No - 4,059	61.2	Failed

SEPTEMBER 12, 1961

Special Municipal Election
17,629 registered voters 7,022 voted 39.8% voter turnout

Shall a Board of Freeholders be formed to establish a City Charter?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	2,866	41.6	
No	4,025	58.4	Failed

NOVEMBER 21, 1961

Special Municipal Bond Election
17,754 registered voters — 6,100 voted — 34.4% voter turnout

Measure voted on:	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
$515,000 for Increased Fire Protection	Yes - 4,821 No - 1,238	79.6 20.4	Passed
$205,000 for Traffic Safety Measures	Yes - 4,577 No - 1,455	75.9 24.1	Passed
$140,000 for Building Swimming Pools	Yes - 3,211 No - 2,689	54.4 45.6	Failed
$450,000 for Street Improvements	Yes - 4,329 No - 1,699	71.8 28.2	Passed

APRIL 12, 1962

General Municipal Election
18,196 registered voters — 7,042 voted — 38.7% voter turnout

City Council Election - 9 Candidates, 2 Positions

Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Carl Martineau	3,522	Elected
Donald Dillon	3,299	Elected
Geoffrey Steel	2,893	Not Elected
Rollin Cunningham	2,259	Not Elected
Eldora Charnley	766	Not Elected
Albert Perez	344	Not Elected
Von Riddle	179	Not Elected
Anthony DeCarlo	128	Not Elected

MAY 14, 1963

Special Municipal Bond Election
19,198 registered voters — 7,506 voted — 39.1% voter turnout

Measure voted on:	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
$590,000 for City Hall	Yes - 4,152 No - 3,262	56.0 44.0	Failed
$230,000 Additional Land Purchase	Yes - 4,090 No - 3,220	56.0 44.0	Failed
Referendum Accepting Site	Yes - 4,097 No - 3,303	55.4 44.6	Passed
Initiative: Civic Center Development to Require Vote	Yes - 3,133 No - 4,251	42.4 57.6	Failed

OCTOBER 29, 1963

Special Municipal Bond Election
19,355 registered voters 8,657 voted 44.7% voter turnout

Measure voted on:	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
$8,462,000 in Street Improvements	Yes - 5,169 No - 3,438	60.0 40.0	Failed
$3,201,000 for Parks	Yes - 4,664 No - 3,882	54.6 45.4	Failed
$190,000 for Corporation Yard Site	Yes - 4,446 No - 4,087	52.1 47.9	Failed
$100,000 for New Fire Station Site	Yes - 5,419 No - 3,184	63.0 37.0	Failed

APRIL 14, 1964

General Municipal Election
20,159 registered voters 8,359 voted 41.5% voter turnout

City Council Election - 28 Candidates, 3 Positions

Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Gene Rhodes	4,437	Elected
Geoffrey Steel	4,139	Elected
William Van Doorn	3,131	Elected
James Blawie	2,518	Not Elected
Abraham Hochler	2,288	Not Elected
Richard Irwin	1,343	Not Elected
Melvin Brinkley	1,003	Not Elected
Rich Single	784	Not Elected
Margaret Klatt	772	Not Elected
David Latham	665	Not Elected
Von Riddle	637	Not Elected
William Woods	457	Not Elected
Gerald Todd	374	Not Elected
Glenn Webb	237	Not Elected
Leonard Gahaghan	195	Not Elected
Vernon Kennerson	163	Not Elected
David Baker	135	Not Elected
Jack Parry	5	Not Elected
Bruce Martin	4	Not Elected
Dr. Levey	3	Not Elected
John Mann	3	Not Elected
Dale Lambson	2	Not Elected
Harry Baraunbauch	1	Not Elected
0. Fretag	1	Not Elected
Constantine Kazorenoff	1	Not Elected
Steve Maltz	1	Not Elected
Roy Pucci	1	Not Elected
Ken Steadman	1	Not Elected

APRIL 20, 1965

Special Municipal Election
28,144 registered voters 9,065 voted 32.2% voter turnout

Shall the City lease purchase the City Government Building?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	5,245	58.1	Passed
No	3,776	41.9	

OCTOBER 19, 1965

Special Municipal Bond Election
28,515 registered voters 11,998 voted 42.1% voter turnout

Measures voted on:	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
$6,000,000 for Street Improvements	Yes - 6,056 No - 5,883	50.7 49.3	Failed
$2,000,000 for Police Building	Yes - 6,112 No - 5,802	51.3 48.7	Failed

APRIL 12, 1966

General Municipal Election
29,391 registered voters 14,664 voted 49.9% voter turnout

City Council Election - 15 Candidates, 2 Positions

Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Donald Dillon	6,453	Elected
Hugh Block	5,882	Elected
Carl Martineau	4,794	Not Elected
Charles Bryant	4,775	Not Elected
James Blawie	1,929	Not Elected
William Wilson	1,599	Not Elected
Jim Santos	676	Not Elected
David Latham	611	Not Elected
Lawrence Chichi	2	Not Elected
Batman	2	Not Elected
Anne Medeiros	2	Not Elected
Richard Shaffer	1	Not Elected
Donald Tidd	1	Not Elected
James McFeely	1	Not Elected
Wesley Fretts	1	Not Elected

JUNE 7, 1967

Special Municipal Bond Election
28,449 registered voters 9,130 voted 32.1% voter turnout

Shall the City incur bonded indebtedness in the amount of $1,430,000 for a Police Building?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	7,225	79.1	Passed
No	1,905	20.9	

APRIL 9, 1968

General Municipal and Special Municipal Bond Election
30,279 registered voters 9,444 voted 31.2% voter turnout

Shall the City incur bonded indebtedness in the amount of $2,100,000 for acquisition and development of Central Park ($500,000 for land purchase only?)

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	6,785	74.2	Passed
No	2,354	25.8	

City Council Election - 6 Candidates, 3 Positions

Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Gene Rhodes	6,441	Elected
Geoffrey Steel	6,264	Elected
William Van Doorn	4,992	Elected
Frank Calhoun	3,275	Not Elected
Margaret Montgomery	2,905	Not Elected
James Blawie	2,462	Not Elected

APRIL 14, 1970

General Municipal Election
32,691 registered voters 11,661 voted 35.7% voter turnout

City Council Election - 9 Candidates, 2 Positions

Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Donald Dillon	6,347	Elected
Jack Pimentel	4,091	Elected
Ruth Willet	3,449	Not Elected
Alice Cline	2,627	Not Elected
Arnold Bellini	1,864	Not Elected
Orie Wise	1,702	Not Elected
Orban Wilds	842	Not Elected
Dale Kesinger	635	Not Elected
Theo Delle Mossor	225	Not Elected

APRIL 20, 1971

Special Municipal Election (Consolidated)
31,198 registered voters 10,593 voted 34% voter turnout

Shall the City acquire additional lands for Central Park through special assessment proceedings?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	6,942	68.6	Passed
No	3,184	31.4	

FEBRUARY 29, 1972

Special Initiative Election
34,328 registered voters 8,627 voted 25.1% voter turnout

Shall the members of the City Council be elected from seven councilman districts?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	3,031	35.1	
No	5,596	64.9	Failed

APRIL 11, 1972

General Municipal and Special Municipal Election
35,354 registered voters 15,670 voted 44.3% voter turnout

Shall the City in cooperation with the City of Newark, City of Union City and any other public agency empowered to provide a public transportation system be authorized to take the legal steps required to provide a public transportation system at a cost not to exceed $0.22 on the property tax rate?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	6,336	41.4	
No	8,966	58.6	Failed

City Council Election - 18 Candidates, 3 Positions

Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Arthur Lampert	8,324	Elected
Geoffrey Steel	7,628	Elected
Gene Rhodes	6,952	Elected
James Otto	5,332	Not Elected
David Friend	4,294	Not Elected
Dan Silva	2,530	Not Elected
Rollin Cunningham	1,868	Not Elected
Don Potestio	1,584	Not Elected
Raymond Smith	1,552	Not Elected
Sharon Lamarche	1,079	Not Elected
John Kitta	727	Not Elected
Michael O'Neill	655	Not Elected
Orban Wilds	585	Not Elected
Raymond Frost	507	Not Elected
Theo Mossor	410	Not Elected
Jim Mazoros	334	Not Elected
Clyde Queen	275	Not Elected
Angus Morrison	87	Not Elected

MARCH 5, 1974

General Municipal Election
44,120 registered voters 11,581 voted 26.2% voter turnout

City Council Election - 11 Candidates, 2 Positions

Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Donald Dillon	5,626	Elected
Leon Mezzetti	4,041	Elected
Frank Haggerty	3,524	Not Elected
Jon Fox	3,394	Not Elected
Keith Medeiros	3,169	Not Elected
Thurman Huckaby	906	Not Elected
John Walasek	588	Not Elected
John Van Nauker	498	Not Elected
Paul Carlson	278	Not Elected
Orban Wilds	262	Not Elected
Kenneth Risinger	247	Not Elected

NOVEMBER 5, 1974

Special Municipal Election
46,074 registered voters 28,226 voted 61.3% voter turnout

Shall the City of Fremont be annexed to Alameda-Contra Costa Transit District?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	17,492	62.0	Passed
No	10,734	38.0	

MARCH 2, 1976

General Municipal Election
37,254 registered voters 10,250 voted 27.5% voter turnout

City Council Election - 15 Candidates, 3 Positions

Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Gene Rhodes	5,274	Elected
Arthur Lampert	4,227	Elected
Anthony Azevedo	3,693	Elected
Yoshio Fujiwara	3,672	Not Elected
Angus H. (Gus) Morrison	3,291	Not Elected
Leo B. Duncan	2,314	Not Elected
Emma Vargo	1,459	Not Elected
Ken Klapperich	1,158	Not Elected
Kenneth Risinger	825	Not Elected
Ted Eggerling	744	Not Elected
Linda Bender	633	Not Elected
Frank Russomanno	320	Not Elected
Robert Franklin	238	Not Elected
John Herrera	232	Not Elected
William Mott III	96	Not Elected

NOVEMBER 8, 1977

Special Municipal Election
47,051 registered voters 7,839 voted 16.7% voter turnout

Shall the electors of the City of Fremont elect a Mayor and four Councilmen?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	6,111	78.4	Passed
No	1,683	21.6	

Shall the term of office of Mayor be two years? or Shall the term of office of the Mayor be four years?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Two years	4,865	64.6	Passed
Four years	2,665	35.4	Failed

MARCH 7, 1978

General Municipal Election
47,433 registered voters 11,557 voted 24.4% voter turnout

Mayor Election - 5 Candidates, 1 Position
City Council Election - 3 Candidates, 1 Position

Mayor Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Gene Rhodes	4,857	Elected
Jack Pimentel	3,675	Not Elected
Marilyn Blawie	1,904	Not Elected
Andrew S, J. Pomykalski	544	Not Elected
Vernon Kennerson	313	Not Elected

Council Candidates		
Angus Morrison	5,471	Elected
Leon J. Mezzetti	4,890	Not Elected
Mark Champ	948	Not Elected

JUNE 6, 1978

Special Municipal Election
50,934 registered voters 34,364 voted 67.5% voter turnout

City Council Election - 8 Candidates, 1 Position

Council Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Yoshio Fujiwara	7,455	Elected
Jack A. Pimentel	6,281	Not Elected
Jan Stillwell	5,614	Not Elected
Lee Magnuson	2,787	Not Elected
John Baker	2,768	Not Elected
Dan Archer	2,253	Not Elected
Art Alfaro	2,242	Not Elected
Julia Spray	1,662	Not Elected

APRIL 8, 1980

General Municipal Election
53,444 registered voters 16,846 voted 31.5% voter turnout

Mayor Election - 4 candidates, 1 position
City Council Election - 10 candidates, 3 positions

Mayor Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Leon J. Mezzetti	8,680	Elected
Angus Morrison	5,526	Not Elected
Vince Cue	1,489	Not Elected
Gertrude Turner	779	Not Elected

Council Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Yoshio Fujiwara	8,988	Elected
Bob Reeder	8,962	Elected
Jan Stillwell	7,414	Elected*
Art Lampert	5,355	Not Elected
Anthony Azevedo	4,147	Not Elected
Judy Zlatnik	3,965	Not Elected
Tom Jansen	3,613	Not Elected
Emmett Nannery	1,635	Not Elected
Art Alfaro	1,598	Not Elected
Jim Schuett	1,366	Not Elected

* The election of the first directly-elected mayor in 1978 eliminated one of the two council seats leaving only one council office to be filled and creating an uneven number of council office terms expiring every two years. To remedy this situation, Council adopted a resolution in 1978 providing for the candidate receiving the third highest number of votes in the 1980 election to serve a two year term until 1982. (See 12/19/78 agenda report for details.)

NOVEMBER 3, 1981

Special Municipal Election
(Consolidated with School District Election)
59,237 registered voters 14,468 voted 24.4%, voter turnout

Measure A

Shall the initiative ordinance amending the General Plan for the Hill Area to establish (1) a general density limit of one residence for five acres of land where there is less than a 30% slope, except for lands presently designated “residential” which would retain their current densities, (2) a density range on the Hill Face and Ridgeline of one residence on five to ten acres, depending upon access and visibility, and (3) a development reserve overlay district for lands above the water service elevation which would limit development to one residence for twenty acres until there are adequate public services be adopted?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	7,976	55.1	Passed
No	6,492	44.9	

APRIL 13, 1982

General Municipal Election
61,461 registered voters 15,161 voted 24.7% voter turnout

Mayor Election - 4 candidates - 1 position
City Council Election - 7 candidates - 2 positions

Mayor Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Jack A. Pimentel	4,759	Not Elected
Leon J. Mezzetti	7,164	Elected
Orbia Camacho	1,531	Not Elected
Jan Stillwell	1,316	Not Elected
Council Candidates		
Clint Gregg	208	Not Elected
Gus Morrison	7,341	Elected
John McMorrow	2,303	Not Elected
John Dutra	5,668	Not Elected
William "Bill" Ball	6,189	Elected
John Baker	5,267	Not Elected
Russ Simpson	745	Not Elected

Measures Submitted to the Vote of the Voters

Measure B

Shall the date of the General Municipal Election held to elect members of the City Council of the City of Fremont, be held on: (1) the same day of School District elections (under existing law this is the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November in each odd-numbered year) or (2) the same day as previously held for general municipal elections (the second Tuesday in April in each even-numbered year)?

	No. of voters	% of voters	Vote preference
School District Election Date (November, odd numbered years)	9,220	67.0	Preferred
Existing General Municipal Election Date (April, even numbered years)	4,548	33.0	Not Preferred

Measure C

Shall the monthly compensation paid to members of the City Council as salary be increased from $300 to the following amounts: (1) ($565.00) per month for each councilmember holding the office of councilman, and (2) ($1,000.00) per month for the Mayor?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	5,152	36.1	Failed
No	9,109	63.9	Passed

NOVEMBER 8, 1983

Special Municipal Election
(Consolidated with Governing Board Member Election)
59,515 registered voters 9,106 voted 15.3% voter turnout

Measure A

Shall Ordinance No. 1552, adopted by the City Council of the City of Fremont on April 12, 1983, to abolish the Historical Architectural Review Board and to reassign its duties and powers be repealed?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	4,610	58.7	Passed
No	3,238	41.3	

NOVEMBER 6, 1984

Special Municipal Election
(Consolidated with General Election)
61,615 registered voters 51,112 voted 83% voter turnout

Measure K

Shall the City of Fremont impose a utility users tax at a rate of not to exceed two percent (2%) as adopted by Ordinance No. 1617 for the purpose of financing the construction of the Main Library, such tax to terminate not later than ten years after it is first imposed?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	21,074	41.7	Failed
No	29,523	58.3	

Measure L

Shall the initiative ordinance, providing for residential rent stabilization and establishing a rent dispute resolution process, be adopted?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	19,118	37.8	Failed
No	31,488	62.2	

NOVEMBER 5, 1985

General Municipal Election
(Consolidated with the Governing Board Member Election)
73,405 registered voters 20,790 voted 28.3% voter turnout

Mayor Election - 3 candidates - 1 position
City Council Election - 8 candidates - 2 positions

Mayor Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Gus Morrison	9,666	Elected
Leon J. Mezzetti	7,020	Not Elected
Yoshio Y. Fujiwara	3,740	Not Elected
Council Candidates		
Gary J. Mello	8,582	Elected
John Baker	8,480	Elected
John Dutra	8,018	Not Elected
Bob Reeder	7,689	Not Elected
Harry C. Heyen	2,297	Not Elected
William K. Sweeney	1,538	Not Elected
Frances M. De la Rosa	1,201	Not Elected
Larry Bunnell	597	Not Elected

APRIL 8, 1986

Special Municipal Election
69,165 registered voters 14,438 voted 20.9% voter turnout

City Council Election - 8 candidates - 1 position

Council Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
John Dutra	3,844	Elected
Nate Meeks	3,664	Not Elected
James Miller	3,556	Not Elected
John Kitta	1,296	Not Elected
Harry C. Heyen	846	Not Elected
Bill Cameron	568	Not Elected
David Bahem	262	Not Elected
Tom Marcinko	169	Not Elected

NOVEMBER 3, 1987

General Municipal Election
(Consolidated with County Election)
74,870 registered voters 17,506 voted 23.4% voter turnout

Mayor Election - 3 candidates - 1 position
City Council Election - 6 candidates - 2 positions

Mayor Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Gus Morrison	11,289	Elected
Joan Myrick	4,798	Not Elected
Brenda Barao	809	Not Elected

Council Candidates		
William "Bill" Ball	10,308	Elected
John Dutra	9,495	Elected
Bill Armor	4.774	Not Elected
Kate Ann Scholz	3,833	Not Elected
Bill Whitfield	2,288	Not Elected
Gene McBurney	929	Not Elected

NOVEMBER 8, 1988

Consolidated Special Municipal Election
85,593 registered voters 61,422 voted 71.8% voter turnout

Measure P

Shall the amendment of Section 2-6302 of the Uniform Transient Occupancy Tax (Article 3, Chapter 6, Title II of the Fremont Municipal Code) which increased the rate of tax from six and one-half percent (6.5%) to seven percent (7%) on hotel occupants in the City of Fremont be approved to remain in effect?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	35,885	70.2	Passed
No	15,218	29.8	

Measure Q

Shall the City of Fremont approve a General Plan amendment to change the land use designation for a 696 acre area located between Durham Road and Fremont Boulevard southwesterly of Interstate 880 from industrial to a planned development, approximately as follows: Low density residential allowing no more than 2,345 residential dwelling units at an average of 5 dwelling units per acre, including 200 dwelling units for low and moderate income seniors; plus 200 dwelling units for first time home buyers; 126 acres of office, research and development; a 75 acre new car auto mall; 25 acres of retail commercial uses including a high quality hotel; 36 acres for a lake and neighborhood park; 10 acres for a sports center; an elementary school; 26 acres to be maintained as wetlands; said amendment to appreciably assure acceptable peak hour traffic impacts in the vicinity and secure 28 million dollars in fees to be earmarked for the new Fremont Performing Arts Center?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	28,326	51.4	Passed
No	26,799	48.6	

JUNE 6, 1989

Special Municipal Election
81,255 registered voters 16,961 voted 20.9% voter turnout

Measure A

Shall the people of the City of Fremont revise the Business Tax Ordinance of the City of Fremont (Chapter 1, Title V of the Fremont Municipal Code) so as to simplify the several classes of taxes and maintain the total proceeds of said business taxes at a revenue neutral level?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	10,209	60.2	Passed
No	5,781	34.0	

Measure B

Do you approve the following special taxes the proceeds of which will be set aside in a special fund and used exclusively for support of child care facilities and services?

1. A residential unit tax of up to $12.00 per year for each residential dwelling unit which will be paid by the legal owner (or a mobile home park owner) or the real property.
2. A twenty percent (20%) across the board business tax surcharge calculated on the annual business tax liability of each business in the City of Fremont. These two taxes shall expire June 6, 2004.

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	3,678	22.4	Failed
No	12,716	77.6	

NOVEMBER 7, 1989

General Municipal Election
(Consolidated with County Election)
82,238 registered voters 24,073 voted 29.3% voter turnout

Mayor Election - 5 candidates - 1 position
City Council Election - 10 candidates - 2 positions

Mayor Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
William "Bill" Ball	10,868	Elected
Gus Morrison	10,436	Not Elected
Jack Pimentel	1,170	Not Elected
Tim Rollisson	822	Not Elected
Linda Susoev	444	Not Elected

Council Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Gary J. Mello	10,481	Elected
Alane Loisel	9,589	Elected
John Baker	9,173	Not Elected
James Miller	8,799	Not Elected
John Baker	1,976	Not Elected
Gloria Olson	1,827	Not Elected
Jim Fallon	1,196	Not Elected
Dale G. Wilder	1,189	Not Elected
Lindy Batara	1,065	Not Elected
Donald Joseph Taylor	500	Not Elected

NOVEMBER 5, 1991

General Municipal Election
(Consolidated with County Election)
81,291 registered voters 29,332 voted 36% voter turnout

Mayor Election - 4 candidates -1 position
City Council Election - 8 candidates - 2 positions

Mayor Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
William "Bill" Ball	16,539	Elected
Bob Hall	7,908	Not Elected
Lindy G. Batara	2,771	Not Elected
Linda Susoev	1,133	Not Elected

Council Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
John Dutra	15,430	Elected
Gus Morrison	14,423	Elected
Yoshio Y. Fujiwara	7,321	Not Elected
Teri J. Persson	6,022	Not Elected
David W. Weikel	4,753	Not Elected
Robert O'Connor	2,765	Not Elected
Frank L. Kahl	1,723	Not Elected
David Smith	890	Not Elected

Measure C

Shall the date of the General Municipal Election, held to elect members of the City Council of the City of Fremont, be changed from its present date in November of odd-numbered years to the same day as the Statewide General Election in November of even-numbered years, commencing in November 1994?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	13,956	50.8	Passed
No	13,502	49.2	

FEBRUARY 25, 1992

Special Municipal Election
79,330 registered voters 18,350 voted 23.1% voter turnout

RECALL OF GARY MELLO	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	12,067	65.7	Passed
No	6,018	32.7	

RECALL OF ALANE LOISEL			
Yes	11,534	62.8	Passed
No	6,533	35.6	

FILL RECALL VACANCY			
By Appointment	4,772	26.0	Failed
By Election	12,226	66.6	Passed

JUNE 2, 1992

Special Municipal Election
(Consolidated with County Election)
83,636 registered voters 32,507 voted 38.9% voter turnout

City Council Election - 12 candidates - 2 positions

Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Robert "Bob" Wasserman	14,147	Elected
Judy Zlatnik	12,069	Elected
Yoshio Y. Fujiwara	10,156	Not Elected
Frank L. Kahl	4,897	Not Elected
Bruce Hoyt	4,022	Not Elected
Teri J. Persson	3,727	Not Elected
Herman Suryoutomo	3,123	Not Elected
Paul Schechter	2,786	Not Elected
Linda Susoev	2,482	Not Elected
Robert F. O'Connor	2,293	Not Elected
Dieter Weber	2,052	Not Elected
John P. Jarrett	1,975	Not Elected

NOVEMBER 8, 1994

General Municipal Election
(Consolidated with County Election)
88,751 registered voters 52,419 voted 59% voter turnout

Mayor Election - 3 candidates - 1 position
City Council Election - 3 candidates - 2 positions

Mayor Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Gus Morrison	22,456	Elected
William "Bill" Ball	22,005	Not Elected
Linda Susoev	3,660	Not Elected

Council Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Robert "Bob" Wasserman	28,330	Elected
Judy Zlatnik	25,358	Elected
Philip Chantri	13,892	Not Elected

Measures Submitted to the Vote of the Voters

Measure P

Shall the City of Fremont be authorized to issue general obligation bonds in the principal amount of not to exceed thirty-one million dollars ($31,000,000) for the purpose of permanently funding the cost of its new police facility, as described in Ordinance No. 2079, thereby making available other City Funds to improve public safety services throughout the City, such as hiring additional police officers and firefighters and providing an improved emergency response system.

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	19,240	43.2	Failed
No	25,279	56.8	

JUNE 6, 1995

Special Municipal Election
85,950 registered voters 10,896 voted 12.7% voter turnout

City Council Election - 4 candidates - 1 position

Council Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
JoNelle Joan Zager	4,903	Elected
Dan Wilkowsky	3,954	Not Elected
James P. Petersen	1,485	Not Elected
Lindy G. Batara	411	Not Elected

NOVEMBER 5, 1996

General Municipal Election
(consolidated with County Election)
96,465 registered voters 61,600 voted 63.9% voter turnout

Mayor Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Gus Morrison	29,502	Elected
Robert Wasserman	26,064	Not Elected

Council Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Bill Pease	30,494	Elected
JoNelle Joan Zager	30,178	Elected
Mark Cohen	19,783	Not Elected

Write-In Council Candidate	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Linda Susoev	16	Not Elected

Measures Submitted to the Vote of the Voters

Measure AA

Shall the people of Fremont adopt an ordinance limiting both the mayor and city councilmembers to eight (8) consecutive years of service as mayor or city councilmember and reestablishing eligibility to serve after a break in service?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	40,574	76.3	Passed
No	12,629	23.7	

Measure BB

Shall the existing 2 year term of office for the mayor be made a 4 year term, consistent with that of City Councilmembers?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	34,864	67.9	Passed
No	16,516	32.1	

JUNE 3, 1997

Special Municipal Election
(consolidated with County Election)
87,693 registered voters 11,471 voted 13.1% voter turnout

Measure F

Shall the City of Fremont levy an annual paramedic program special tax in the annual amount of $10.88 per benefit unit, adjusted according to the Consumer Price Index, with the special tax not to exceed a maximum of $15.00, in accordance with Resolution No. 9101, a copy of which is in the Voter Information Pamphlet?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	9,763	86.5	Passed
No	1,524	13.5	

NOVEMBER 3, 1998

General Municipal Election
(consolidated with County Election)
87,455 registered voters 48,536 voted 55.5% voter turnout

City Council Election – 8 candidates – 2 positions

Council Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Robert "Bob" Wasserman	25,296	Elected
Judy Zlatnik	16,776	Elected
Robert Wieckowski	8,915	Not Elected
Matt Edwards	8,049	Not Elected
Steven Ornellas	7,763	Not Elected
Richard Vicente	3,176	Not Elected
Linda Susoev	2,321	Not Elected
Adnan Shahab	1,676	Not Elected

Measures Submitted to the Vote of the Voters

Measure N

Since 1994, the Hotel/Motel Tax rate has been eight percent (8%). Shall this rate continue?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	30,719	73.7	Passed
No	10,937	26.3	

Measure O

Shall the Hotel/Motel Tax rate be increased to ten percent (10%), effective December 15, 1998, and the ordinance amended?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	12,537	30.5	Failed
No	28,579	69.5	

Measure P

Shall the City of Fremont adopt the City Charter proposed by the City Council?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	18,933	49.0	Failed
No	19,737	51.0	

NOVEMBER 7, 2000

General Municipal Election
(consolidated with County Election)
82,561 registered voters 61,463 voted 74.4% voter turnout

Mayor Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Gus Morrison	32,162	Elected
Matt Edwards	20,531	Not Elected
Linda Susoev	3,144	Not Elected

Council Candidates (2 seats)	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Bill Pease	21,352	Elected
Steve Cho	21,184	Elected
Bob Wieckowski	18,791	Not Elected
Pauline Weaver	17,669	Not Elected
William “Bill” Harrison	12,236	Not Elected

NOVEMBER 5, 2002

General Municipal Election
(consolidated with County Election)
80,892 registered voters 41,505 voted 51.3% voter turnout

Council Candidates (2 seats)	No. of votes Received	Elected or not elected
Robert "Bob" Wasserman	16,831	Elected
Dominic D. Dutra	11,720	Elected
Henry Yin	10,482	Not Elected
Pauline A. Weaver	8,970	Not Elected
Matt Edwards	8,173	Not Elected
L K Mathur	4,161	Not Elected
Diana Rodriguez	3,450	Not Elected
Shyam Chetal	1,581	Not Elected
Linda Susoev	1,378	Not Elected
Write-in	59	

Measures Submitted to the Voters

Measure R

To improve Fremont's fire safety and emergency response capability by replacing three small, substandard fire stations; strengthening the remaining seven fire stations to better withstand earthquakes and serve the community after an emergency; and building a public safety training center, shall the City of Fremont issue $51 million in general obligation bonds at the lowest interest rates possible, with the moneys deposited in a special account to be used only for these projects?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	28,603	74.4	Passed
No	9,856	25.6	

Measure S

Shall an ordinance be adopted that increases the salary of each member of the City Council from $1,407 per month to $2,083 per month and increases the salary of the Mayor from $2,211 per month to $2,916 per month?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	13,215	35.2	Failed
No	24,298	64.8	

Measure T

Shall the voters of the City of Fremont adopt the Hill Area Initiative of 2002?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	21,749	57.6	Passed
No	16,012	42.4	

NOVEMBER 2, 2004

General Municipal Election
(consolidated with County Election)

90,514 registered voters	69,383 voted	76.7% voter turnout

Mayor Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Bob Wasserman	32,034	Elected
Bill Pease	28,773	Not Elected

Council Candidates (2 seats)	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Steve Cho	31,463	Elected
Bob Wieckowski	24,498	Elected
Dirk Lorenz	22,683	Not Elected
Rakesh Sharma	13,602	Not Elected
John M. Fulghum	4,036	Not Elected
Robert Walker II	3,869	Not Elected
Write-in votes	112	Not Elected

Measure Submitted to the Voters

Measure V

To help preserve the safety and character of Fremont, with a priority on funding essential services such as police, fire and street and park maintenance (as well as other general city services), shall an ordinance be adopted to establish a utility users tax that cannot ever exceed 6%, and establish an independent Fremont taxpayers committee to oversee the expenditure of these funds and advise the City Council as reductions become possible?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	27,708	44.7	Failed
No	34,254	55.3	

NOVEMBER 7, 2006

General Municipal Election
(consolidated with County Election)
83,930 registered voters 48,131 voted 57.35% voter turnout

Council Candidates (2 seats)	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Bill Harrison	28,642	Elected
Anu Natarajan	23,492	Elected
Alan Stirling	8,207	Not Elected
Linda Susoev	5,251	Not Elected

Measures Submitted to the Voters

Measure K

Shall the voters of the City of Fremont adopt the Initiative to Change the Open Space and Restricted Industrial General Plan Designations for a Portion of Fremont's Northern Plain Planning Area to Agriculture?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	14,977	34.18%	Failed
No	28,844	65.82%	

Measure L

To help preserve the safety and character of Fremont and maintain essential general fund services such as police, fire and street and park maintenance, shall an ordinance be adopted establishing a gas and electric utility users tax of four percent, limited to six years and subject to independent annual financial audits, and establishing an independent Fremont taxpayers' committee to review expenditures?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	18,579	42.66%	Failed
No	24,976	57.34%	

NOVEMBER 4, 2008

General Municipal Election
(consolidated with County Election)
97,523 registered voters — 75,670 voted — 77.59% voter turnout

Mayor Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Bob Wasserman	28,461	Elected
Steve Cho	22,474	Not Elected
Gus Morrison	14,167	Not Elected
Paul Reeder	2,633	Not Elected

Council Candidates (2 seats)	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Bob Wieckowski	31,037	Elected
Suzanne Chan	24,571	Elected
Vinnie Bacon	17,794	Not Elected
Trisha Tahmasbi	16,802	Not Elected
Hou Leong	5,806	Not Elected
Larry Montgomery	5,265	Not Elected
Linda Susoev	4,041	Not Elected
Charles Bartlett	3,039	Not Elected
Fazlur Khan	2,588	Not Elected
Alan Stirling	2,538	Not Elected

Measure Submitted to the Voters

Measure MM

Shall the Fremont Municipal Code be amended to increase the transient occupancy tax (commonly called the “hotel tax”) which is charged only to persons who occupy hotel or motel rooms in the City of 30 days of less, from the current 8% to 10%, in order to help maintain basic City services such as public safety and street and park maintenance?

	No. of votes	% of votes	Passed or failed
Yes	45,574	66.45%	Passed
No	23,014	33.55%	

NOVEMBER 2, 2010

General Municipal Election
(consolidated with County Election)
94,734 registered voters — 54,781 voted — 57.83% voter turnout

Council Candidates (2 seats)	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Anu Natarajan	18,835	Elected
Bill Harrison	17,800	Elected
Vinnie Bacon	16,964	Not Elected
Kathy Rhyu McDonald	11,046	Not Elected
J. Timothy Herndon	3,974	Not Elected
Vladimir Rodriguez	3,807	Not Elected
Fazlur Khan	3,126	Not Elected
Kristen Briggs	2,848	Not Elected
Linda Susoev	2,545	Not Elected
Carl Flynn	2,223	Not Elected

NOVEMBER 6, 2012

General Municipal Election
(consolidated with County Election)
100,345 registered voters — 71,676 voted — 71.43% voter turnout

Mayor Candidates	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Bill Harrison	22,121	Elected
Steve Cho	20,709	Not Elected
Anu Natarajan	16,995	Not Elected
Aziz Akbari	3,677	Not Elected
Linda Susoev	1,408	Not Elected

Council Candidates (2 seats)	No. of votes received	Elected or not elected
Vinnie Bacon	26,589	Elected
Suzanne Chan	24,313	Elected
John Dutra	18,971	Not Elected
Rick Jones	18,665	Not Elected
Rakesh Sharma	12,303	Not Elected
Mark Wadley	3,902	Not Elected