# County of Sacramento Voter Registration and Elections

Candidate Guide Statewide Direct Primary Election June 7, 2022





The 2022 Candidate's Guide for the Statewide Direct Primary Election is intended to provide general information for candidates and committees, and does not have the force or effect of law, regulation or rule. It is distributed with the understanding that the Voter Registration and Elections office of the County of Sacramento is not rendering legal advice. Therefore, the guide is not a substitute for legal counsel for the individual, organization or candidate using it.

The Voter Registration and Elections office strongly recommends that any prospective candidate obtain legal advice to assist in complying with applicable California laws, including the California Elections Code and California Government Code.

This guide is intended to help you understand your responsibilities and resources. We recommend that you review this guide for valuable information on how to complete the required forms.

In addition to this candidate guide our website contains useful information which includes an election calendar, fillable forms including the ballot designation worksheet and candidate statement worksheet along with information on how to request voter file.

You may access our website at <a href="www.elections.saccounty.gov">www.elections.saccounty.gov</a>. You may also contact the candidate filing division where our friendly staff is ready to answer your questions and provide assistance at (916) 875-6276.



The Department of Voter Registration and Elections is part of the Administrative Services Agency. The Registrar is appointed by the Board of Supervisors.

The Registrar is responsible for:

- Registering voters and maintaining current and accurate voter files
- Conducting Federal, State, County and City elections within Sacramento County
- Checking the adequacy and certification of recall, referendum, and initiative petitions
- Administering the local provisions of campaign reporting and financing
- Reviewing, analyzing and monitoring the impact of legislation on the election process

### **MISSION**

#### Our mission is to:

- Provide the opportunity and the means for participation in the election process
- Be effective, efficient and responsive to customer needs through continuous improvement
- Achieve open communication through teamwork and a spirit of goodwill
- Support educational and training opportunities to produce quality work
- Ensure legal requirements are met and applied consistently
- Work together to pursue and achieve excellence

#### **VALUES**

We demonstrate and support the following values:

- Integrity
- Responsibility
- Accuracy
- Efficiency
- Respect for all
- Ethical conduct
- Commitment to Customer Service

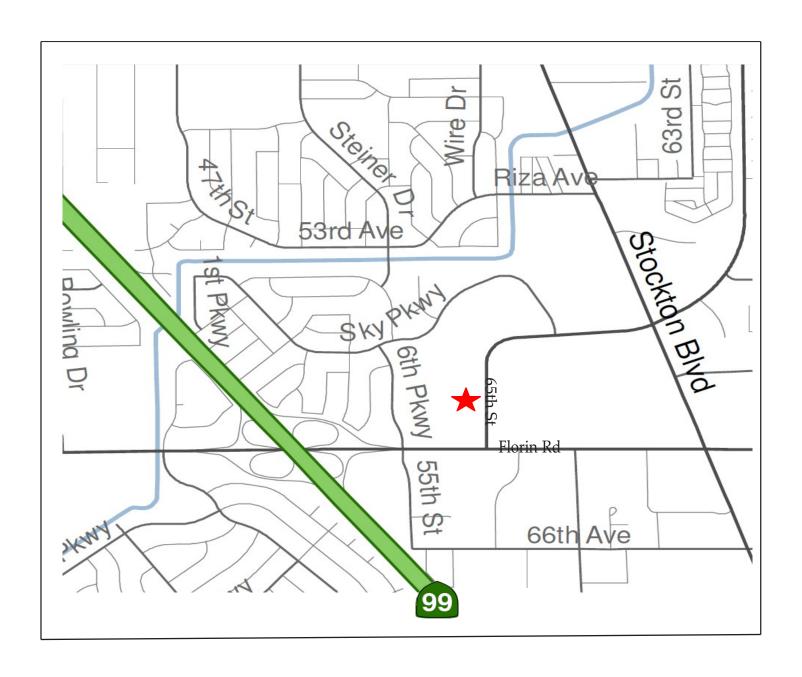
### **DIRECTIONS**

### Sacramento County Voter Registration and Elections 7000 65th Street, Suite A Sacramento, CA 95823

From CA-99 North:

Follow CA-99 N to Florin Rd Take exit 293A for Florin Rd East Turn left onto 65th Street Turn left into parking lot From CA-99 South:

Follow CA-99 S to Florin Rd Take exit 293A for Florin Rd East Turn left onto 65th Street Turn left into parking lot



### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

Address: 7000 65<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite A

Sacramento, CA 95823

**Email:** <u>voters-campaignservices@saccounty.net</u>

Website: <a href="https://www.elections.saccounty.gov">www.elections.saccounty.gov</a>

**Telephone Numbers:** Candidate Filing (916) 875-6276

General Information (916) 875-6451

Vote-by-Mail Information (916) 875-6155

Election Officers (916) 875-6100

Mapping Information (916) 875-6248

Obtaining Election Night Returns (916) 875-6451

California Relay Service Text 1-866-660-4288

California Relay Service Voice 1-866-461-4288

Toll Free Number 1-800-762-8019

Additional Information: Campaign Disclosure Online Filing (916) 875-6276

and Viewing

https://ssl.netfile.com/static/agency/sco/index.html

Fair Political Practices Commission (916) 322-5660

<u>www.fppc.ca.gov</u> (866) 275-3772

Federal Elections Commission (800) 424-9530

www.fec.gov

California Secretary of State (916) 653-6814

www.sos.ca.gov

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### WHAT'S NEW

#### UNITED STATES SENATOR SPECIAL PRIMARY VACANCY ELECTION

United States Senator Special Primary Vacancy Election will be consolidated with the regularly scheduled Statewide Direct Primary Election to be held on June 7, 2022, and the regularly scheduled General Election to be held on November 8, 2022. Elections Code § 10720(b)

This special vacancy election is for the remainder of the unexpired term in the United States Senate, which ends on January 3, 2023.

Candidates may choose to run for the partial and/or full- term seat. If a candidate chooses to run for both seats, then two separate filing fees will be required. For further information please visit the Secretary of State's website at <a href="https://www.sos.ca.gov/elections/upcoming-elections/statewide-direct-primary-election-june-7-2022/qualifications">https://www.sos.ca.gov/elections/upcoming-elections/statewide-direct-primary-election-june-7-2022/qualifications</a>

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS**

There are two U.S. Senate contests on June 7, 2022, Statewide Direct Primary Election Ballot.

The first contest is the regular election for the full 6-year term ending January 3, 2029. The second contest is a special vacancy election (the current officeholder is temporarily filling a vacancy) for the remainder of the current term ending January 3, 2023.

You may vote for both contests.

### **APPOINTMENTS**

Schedule a candidate filling appointment by using our new online appointment system or by calling our office at (916) 875-6276. We strongly recommend that you schedule an appointment to complete the candidate filling process. This will ensure that we receive and review all original documents prior to the close of the nomination period.

Any candidate who fails to timely submit the candidate documents with the original signatures by the close of the nomination period will not be included on the ballot for that office.

#### **CANDIDATE FILING FORMS**

Candidate filing forms and the Candidate Filing PowerPoint presentation, which includes instructions on how to complete your candidate filling packet are available for download at <a href="https://www.elections.saccounty.gov">www.elections.saccounty.gov</a>.

#### **BALLOT DESIGNATION WORKSHEET**

For translation purposes we ask that all candidates complete the Gender section of the Candidate Information portion on the Ballot Designation Worksheet. If this section is left blank it may default to male for gendered languages such as Spanish.

#### **BALLOT DESIGNATIONS- STATE OFFICES**

Candidates for the office of Representative in Congress, Member of the State Board of Equalization, State Senator, or Member of the Assembly shall not choose the word "incumbent" as a designation to appear on the ballot. Senate Bill 594

### WHAT'S NEW

#### PREFERRED TRANSLITERATION

At the request of a candidate who has completed the proper form, the elections office will publish a translation or transliteration of a candidate's name in Chinese characters. Candidates with character-based names by birth, or who identify with a character-based name, may use that name on the ballot in addition to a phonetic transliteration (English text).

#### **CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS**

Previously, Sacramento County enacted contribution limits which only applied to the Board of Supervisors. Currently the state has enacted contribution limits that will apply by default to the offices of District Attorney and Sheriff. (Title 2, Divisional, Section 85301(d))

Pursuant to Assembly Bill 571 (Stats. 2019, Ch. 556, AB 571 Mullin), beginning January 1, 2021 state campaign contribution limits will by default apply to city and county candidates when the city or county has not already enacted a contribution limit.

### **CURRENT STATE CONTRIBUTION LIMITS**

The contribution limit that will now apply to city and county candidates pursuant to AB 571 is updated biennially for inflation. Contribution limits can be found in Regulation 1845(a)2 and on the FPPC website at https://www.fppc.ca.gov/learn/campaign-rules/state-contribution-limits.html

The default limit for contributions to city and county candidates, subject to AB 571 for 2021-2022, is set at \$4,900 per election and **does not apply to Board of Supervisors, schools, and special districts.** 

For more information you may visit the FPPC website at www.fppc.ca.gov or call 1 (866) 275-3772.

#### REDISTRICTING

Every ten years districts are redrawn using U.S Census data. Redistricting is the process of drawing electoral district maps which, then, determine what neighborhoods and communities are grouped together. For most elected offices voters in each district elect representatives from those districts. Incumbents and candidates may be required to live in their district and, due to boundary line changes, may no longer reside in those districts. Please remain flexible in case of delays or new information from the state.

Candidates or Incumbents who have questions regarding which districts they reside in may contact our office at (916) 875-6276.





### COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO VOTER REGISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Candidate Election Calendar June 7, 2022 Statewide Direct Primary Election

12/24/21	County Holiday The Registrar of Voters office will be closed.	SCC	§	2.78.710
12/31/21	County Holiday The Registrar of Voters office will be closed.	SCC	§	2.78.710
01/03/22 - 02/09/22 E-155 - E-118 (All candidates except Board of Supervisors)	Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee Petitions (contests requiring a filing fee) During this period, petition forms may be obtained to secure Signatures In-Lieu of all or a portion of the filing fee. Valid signatures submitted on the in-lieu petitions may also be applied to the signature requirements for that office. Candidates will be notified of any deficiency within 10 days of filing the petition.  SIL petition forms will be available January 3 for all offices except County Supervisor.	EC	§§ SB	8061 8105 8106 594
01/04/22 - 02/09/22 E-154 - E-118 (Board of Supervisors)	Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee Petitions (Board of Supervisors only) During this period, petition forms may be obtained to secure Signatures In-Lieu of all or a portion of the filing fee. Valid signatures submitted on the in-lieu petitions may also be applied to the signature requirements for that office. Candidates will be notified of any deficiency within 10 days of filing the petition. Pursuant to SB594 and EC 21501 the start date for SIL's has changed for BOS, and dependent on the date of the final adoption of the boundaries map of county supervisorial districts.	EC	§§ SB	21501 21501(a)(2) 594
01/17/22	County Holiday The Registrar of Voters office will be closed.	SCC	§	2.78.710
01/31/22 – 02/09/22 E-127 – E-118	Declaration of Intention (Judicial Offices)  During this period, candidates for judicial offices must file a Declaration of Intention to become a candidate. The filing fee must be paid at this time. Signatures In-Lieu of filing fee will not be accepted after the Declaration of Intention is filed. The filing fee is nonrefundable.	EC	§§	8023 8105(b)
01/31/22 Fixed Date	Campaign Disclosure Statements  Last day to file Semi-Annual campaign statement.	GOV	§	84200
2/10/22 – 02/14/22 E-117 – E-113	Declaration of Intention Extension Period (Judicial Offices)  During this period, if an incumbent fails to file Declaration of Intention papers by February 9 <sup>th</sup> for their office, there will be a 5-Calendar day extension period during which any qualified person other than the incumbent may file a Declaration of Intention no later than the first day for filing nomination papers.	EC	§	8023 (b)
02/11/22	County Holiday The Registrar of Voters office will be closed.	SCC	§	2.78.710

<sup>\*</sup>Start date, End date or Deadline falls on a weekend or holiday. The date listed is the next business day.

03/14/22 E-85

03/14/22\* - 3/16/22 E-87 - E-83

03/14/22\* - 03/21/22 E-87 - E-78

> 03/17/22 E-82

June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022 Statewide Direct Primary Election 02/14/22 - 03/11/22 **Nomination Period** EC 8020 §§ E-113 - E-88 8028 During this period, candidates must file a Declaration of Candidacy and 8061 nomination papers. Filing fees if required must be paid at the time the 8062 nomination papers are obtained from the Voter Registration and 8100 Elections office. This fee is nonrefundable. Signatures In-Lieu of filing 8105 fee can be counted toward the number of signatures required for the 8106 10407 candidate's nomination papers. If the candidate's Signatures In-Lieu of filing fee petition contains the requisite number of valid signatures required for their nomination papers, the county elections office shall EC Ş not require the candidate to circulate nomination papers. 13307 A candidate may prepare a candidate statement on the appropriate form provided by the elections official. The statement may include the name, age, and occupation of the candidate, and a brief description of the candidate's education and qualifications expressed by the candidate. The statement shall be filed in the election's office at the time the candidate's nomination papers are returned/filed. Candidates for judicial offices must file a Declaration of Candidacy and nomination papers during this period 02/21/22 2.78.710 SCC **County Holiday** The Registrar of Voters office will be closed. 03/11/22 **Candidate Withdrawal** EC 8800 10224 E-88 No candidate who has filed a Declaration of Candidacy for the primary 10603 election may withdraw as a candidate, except candidates for a municipal office or school district office are permitted to withdraw up to and

including the deadline to file a Declaration of Candidacy.

	Candidate Statement Withdrawal Last day for a candidate to withdraw their Candidate Statement. This must be done in writing. This deadline does not pertain to any offices that are in extension.	EC	§	13307(3)	
	Nomination Extension Period  During this period, if an incumbent fails to file nomination papers by March 11 <sup>th</sup> for their office, there will be a 5-Calendar day extension period during which any qualified person other than the incumbent may file. The nomination extension is not applicable where there is no incumbent to be elected or an incumbent has served the maximum number of terms as permitted by the California Constitution.	EC	<b>§§</b>	8022 8024 8204 10407(b)	
	Public Examination Period  10-Calendar day review period for Candidate Statements submitted by March 11 <sup>th</sup> (E-88). This review period does not pertain to any offices that are in extension. During this 10-Calendar day review period, any person may seek a Writ of Mandate or injunction requiring any or all of the material in the candidate statement to be amended or deleted. All Writs of Mandate must be filed no later than the end of the 10-Calendar day public examination period.	EC	§	13313	
	Randomized Alphabet Drawing Randomized Alphabet Drawing to be held by Secretary of State and Counties to determine the order of candidates on the ballot. This is held at 11:00 a.m.	EC	§§	13111(i) 13112	
*	Start data. End data as Deadline falls on a weekend as heliday. The data listed is the ne	vt business	day	_	

<sup>\*</sup>Start date, End date or Deadline falls on a weekend or holiday. The date listed is the next business day.

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03/17/22 – 03/26/22 E-82 – E-73	Public Examination for Extension Period  10-Calendar day review period for Candidate Statements submitted during the extension period. During this 10-Calendar day review period, any person may seek a Writ of Mandate or injunction requiring any or all of the material in the Candidate Statement to be amended or deleted. All Writs of Mandate must be filed no later than the end of the 10-Calendar day public examination period.	EC	§	13313
03/31/22 E-68	Last Day to Challenge Ballot Designation / Certified List of Candidates  Last Day to challenge ballot designations.  Last day for the Secretary of State to prepare and send to the election's office a certified list of candidates.	EC	§	8120
03/31/22	County Holiday The Registrar of Voters office will be closed.	SCC	§	2.78.710
04/11/22 – 05/24/22 E-57 – E-14	Write-In Period  A name written on a ballot will not be counted unless the person has filed during this period a statement of write-in candidacy and sponsor signatures, if applicable, stating that they are a write-in candidate for the election.	EC	§§	8600 8601
04/28/22 E-40	Campaign Disclosure Statements Last day to file 1st Pre-election campaign statement.	GOV	§§	84200.5 84200.8
04/28/22 – 05/28/22 E-40 – E-10	County Voter Information Guide Mailings During this period a County Voter Information Guide will be mailed to every registered voter and to the chairperson of the county council/central committee of that party unless the voter has opted to receive the guide electronically via email or by access of the county's internet website.	EC	<b>§</b> §	13300 13302 13303
05/09/22 E-29	Vote-by-Mail Voting Ballots are mailed to all voters.	EC	§	4005(a)(8)(A)
05/09/22 E-29	Ballot Drop-Off Locations All ballot drop-off locations open this day through Election Day.	EC	§	4005(a)(1)(B)
05/23/22 E-15	<u>Deadline to Register</u> Deadline to register to vote. In Sacramento County, you can still register to vote or update your registration at our office or Vote Center locations in the County through Election Day.	EC	§§	2102 2170 2171
05/09/22 29 <sup>th</sup> day before election	<u>Process Vote-by-Mail Ballots</u> Registrar of Voters to begin processing Vote-by-Mail ballots on the 29 <sup>th</sup> day before the election.	EC	§	15101(b)

Candidate Election Calendar June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022 Statewide Direct Primary Election

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05/26/22 E-12	Campaign Disclosure Statements  Last day to file 2 <sup>nd</sup> Pre-election campaign statement.	GOV	<b>§</b> §	84200.5 84200.8
05/28/22 E-10	Vote Centers Vote Centers open on this date, County-wide.	EC	§	4005(a)(4)(A)
05/30/22	County Holiday The Registrar of Voters office will be closed.	SCC	§	2.78.710
06/04/22 E-03	Vote Centers Increase Vote Center locations increase in number to 87, open through Election Day.	EC	§	4005(a)(3)(A)
06/07/22 E	Election Day All Vote Centers open from 7:00 am - 8:00 pm.	EC	<b>§</b> §	1000 4005(a)(3)(A)
07/04/22	County Holiday The Registrar of Voters office will be closed.	SCC	§	2.78.710
07/07/22 E+30	Official Canvass Completion of canvass.	EC	§	15372
08/01/22* Fixed Date	<u>Campaign Disclosure Statements</u> Last day to file Semi-Annual campaign statement.	GOV	§	84200

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### **TOP TWO PRIMARY AND VOTING**

On June 8, 2010, California voters approved Proposition 14, which created the "Top Two Open Primary Act." This act established federal and state Voter-Nominated offices and changed the manner in which candidates advance to the ensuing general election. Under the Top Two Open Primary Act, voters may vote for any candidate regardless of the voter's party affiliation.

The top two candidates receiving the two highest vote totals for each office at a Primary Election, regardless of party preference, would then compete for the office at the ensuing General Election.

The Act does not affect Nonpartisan offices.

OF	FICES	WHO VOTES	VOTES NEEDED
VOTER NOMINATED	United States Senator United States Representative Governor Lieutenant Governor Secretary of State State Treasurer State Controller State Insurance Commissioner State Board of Equalization Attorney General State Senator State Assembly	All eligible voters, regardless of party preference, can vote for any candidate in a Voter-Nominated office.  The ballot in primary elections for a Voter-Nominated office will contain a list of all candidates regardless of party preference.	The top two candidates receiving the two highest vote totals for each office at a Primary Election, regardless of party preference, would then compete for the office at the ensuing General Election.
NONPARTISAN	State Superintendent of Public Instruction Superior Court Judges Board of Supervisors District Attorney Sheriff Assessor Schools	All voters, regardless of party preference, who are registered in the jurisdiction.	If no candidate receives a majority of the votes, then the two candidates with the top two highest votes advance to the general election.  In majority vote contests,
	County Board of Education	regardless of party preference, who are registered in the jurisdiction.	candidates that receive a majority of the votes win outright in the Primary election.

(This information is subject to change at any time)

OFFICE	Position	No. To BE ELECTED	TERM OF OFFICE	ELECTED			
State							
Governor	Governor	1	4				
Lieutenant Governor	Lieutenant Governor	1	4				
Secretary of State	Secretary of State	1	4				
Controller	State Controller	1	4				
Treasurer	State Treasurer	1	4				
Attorney General	Attorney General	1	4				
Insurance Commissioner	Insurance Commissioner	1	4				
Board of Equalization, District 1	Board of Equalization	1	4				
Superintendent of Public Instruction	Supt. of Public Instruction	1	4				
United States Senator							
United States Senate	US Senator	1	6				
United States Senate – Partial Unexpired		1	1				
United States Representative							
Congressional, District 3	US Representative	1	2				
Congressional, District 6	US Representative	1	2				
Congressional, District 7	US Representative	1	2				
State Senator							
Senate, District 6	Senator	1	4				
Senate, District 8	Senator	1	4				
Member of the State Assembly							
Assembly, District 6	Assembly Member	1	2				
Assembly, District 7	Assembly Member	1	2				
Assembly, District 9	Assembly Member	1	2				
Assembly, District 10	Assembly Member	1	2				
Assembly, District 11	Assembly Member	1	2				

(This information is subject to change at any time)

Judicial						
Judge of the Superior Court	Judge of the Superior Court	26	6	Elected at large		
County Board of Education						
Sacramento County Board of Education, Area 1	Governing Board Member	1	4	Qualified and elected by area		
Sacramento County Board of Education, Area 2	Governing Board Member	1	4	Qualified and elected by area		
Sacramento County Board of Education, Area 3	Governing Board Member	1	4	Qualified and elected by area		
School						
Twin Rivers Unified School District, Area 2	Governing Board Member	1	4	Qualified and elected by area		
Twin Rivers Unified School District, Area 4	Governing Board Member	1	4	Qualified and elected by area		
Twin Rivers Unified School District, Area 6	Governing Board Member	1	4	Qualified and elected by area		
County						
Board of Supervisors, District 1	Board of Supervisor	1	4	Qualified and elected by district		
Board of Supervisors, District 2	Board of Supervisor	1	4	Qualified and elected by district		
Board of Supervisors, District 5	Board of Supervisor	1	4	Qualified and elected by district		
Assessor	Assessor	1	4	Elected at large		
District Attorney	District Attorney	1	4	Elected at large		
Sheriff	Sheriff	1	4	Elected at large		
City - For further information, please contact tl	ne Sacramento City Clerk at (9	16) 808-720	0			
City of Sacramento, District 1	Councilmember	1	4	Qualified and elected by district		
City of Sacramento, District 3	Councilmember	1	4	Qualified and elected by district		
City of Sacramento, District 5	Councilmember	1	4	Qualified and elected by district		
City of Sacramento, District 7	Councilmember	1	4	Qualified and elected by district		

### QUALIFICATION AND REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL OFFICES

Candidates for Federal offices are encouraged to contact the Federal Election Commission for questions relating to these offices. A full summary of qualifications and requirements can also be found by visiting Secretary of State's website: <a href="https://www.sos.ca.gov/elections/upcoming-elections/statewide-direct-primary-election-june-7-2022/qualifications">https://www.sos.ca.gov/elections/upcoming-elections/statewide-direct-primary-election-june-7-2022/qualifications</a>

Federal Election Commission 999 E Street, NW Washington, DC 20463 (800) 424-9530 www.fec.gov

Candidates for State offices are encouraged to contact the Secretary of State for questions relating to these offices. A full summary of qualifications and requirements can also be found by visiting Secretary of State's website.

California Secretary of State 1500 11th Street, Fifth Floor Sacramento, CA 95814 (916) 653-6814 www.sos.ca.gov

Candidates for County and Local offices are to contact Sacramento County Voter Registration and Elections for questions relating to county and local offices.

Sacramento County Voter Registration and Elections 7000 65th Street, Suite A Sacramento, CA 95823 (916)875-6276 www.elections.saccounty.gov

Candidates for City of Sacramento offices are to contact the City of Sacramento City Clerk for questions relating to City offices.

City of Sacramento 915 I Street, New City Hall Sacramento, CA 95814 (916) 808-7200 https://www.cityofsacramento.org/Clerk/Elections

### **DOCUMENTATION OF QUALIFICATIONS**

### Offices Requiring Proof of Qualifications

Candidates for the following offices must provide documentation proving qualifications:

- District Attorney Government Code § 24002
- Sheriff Government Code § 24004.3
- Judge of the Superior Court Section 15 Article VI of the California Constitution
- Assessor- Government Code §24002.5

Documents that may need to be accompanied with your required nomination papers may include, but are not limited to: certificates, declarations under penalty of perjury, diplomas or official correspondence for the purpose of determining that the person meets the qualifications for this office.

### **Acceptable Forms of Proof to Establish Qualifications**

For those offices for which proof of qualifications is required, the following are acceptable types of documentation:

- Certificates
- Diplomas
- Declaration under Penalty of Perjury
- · Official Correspondence

#### **Evidence Code Section 255:**

"Original" means the writing itself or any counterpart intended to have the same effect by a person executing or issuing it. An original of a photograph includes the negative or any print therefrom. If data are stored in a computer or similar device, any printout or other output readable by sight, shown to reflect the data accurately, is an original.

#### **Evidence Code Section 260:**

A "duplicate" is a counterpart produced by the same impression as the original, or from the same matrix, or by means of photography, including enlargements and miniatures, or by mechanical or electronic rerecording, or by chemical reproduction, or by other equivalent technique which accurately reproduces the original.

### **Candidates Running for Assessor**

A candidate is not required to hold an appraiser's certificate. However if elected, within 30 days of taking office he/she must apply for a temporary appraiser's certificate with the Board of Equalization.

\*\*\* Visit our website at <a href="https://www.elections.saccounty.gov">www.elections.saccounty.gov</a> for a complete list of qualifications.

	OFFICE	MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS	REQUIREMENTS	FORMS TO FILE
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	FEDER	RAL & STATE OFFICES	
UNITED STATE	S SENATOR Special Primary Va		Unexpired Term
United States Senate	<ul> <li>Be at least 30 years of age</li> <li>Be a U.S. citizen for nine years</li> <li>Be a resident of California when elected</li> <li>Be a registered voter and otherwise qualified to vote for that office at the time that nomination papers are issued</li> <li>This election is for the remainder of the unexpired term</li> </ul>	Filing Fee: \$3,480  Signatures In-Lieu: 4,750  Nomination Signatures: 65-100  Value of Signatures: \$0.732631579  Term Ends: January 3, 2023  *Candidate elected to the United States Senator, Short Term seat will take office upon certification of the November 8, 2022 General Election and hold that office until noon, on January 3, 2023.	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Receipt and Acknowledgment Form</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ *Candidate statement is filed with the Secretary of State's office.</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> </ul>
UNITED STATE	S SENATOR		
United States Senate	<ul> <li>Be at least 30 years of age</li> <li>Be a U.S. citizen for nine years</li> <li>Be a resident of California when elected</li> <li>Be a registered voter and otherwise qualified to vote for that office at the time that nomination papers are issued</li> <li>Six-year term</li> </ul>	Filing Fee: \$3,480  Signatures In-Lieu: 4,750  Nomination Signatures: 65-100  Value of Signatures: \$0.732631579  Term of Office: 6 years  Term Begins: January 3, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Qualification         Form &amp; Receipt</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ *Candidate statement is filed with the Secretary of State's office.</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> </ul>

OFFICE	MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS	REQUIREMENTS	FORMS TO FILE
UNITED STATE	S REPRESENTATIVE		
Congress	Be at least 25 years of age Be a U.S. citizen for 7 years Be a resident of California when elected Two-year term  Be at least 25 years of age California of the control of	Filing Fee: \$1,740  Signatures In-Lieu: 1,358  Nomination Signatures: 40-60  Value of Signatures: \$1.281296024  Term of Office: 2 years  Term Begins: January 3, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Receipt and Acknowledgment Form</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Candidate Statement and estimated cost</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> </ul>

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	QUALIFICATIONS		
GOVERNOR			
Governor	<ul> <li>U.S. citizen</li> <li>Registered voter and otherwise qualified to vote for that office at the time that nomination papers are issued</li> <li>File with Secretary of State two (2) copies of every income tax return the candidate filed with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) in the five (5) most recent taxable years, one unredacted copy and another copy with required redactions.</li> <li>Not have been convicted of a felony involving accepting or giving, or offering to give, any bribe, the embezzlement of public money, extortion or theft of public money, perjury, or conspiracy to commit any of those crimes</li> <li>Not have served two four-year terms in the office sought since 11/06/90</li> </ul>	Filing Fee: \$4,371.12  Signatures In-Lieu: 4,750  Nomination Signatures: 65-100  Value of Signatures: \$0.920235789  Term of Office: 4 years  Term Begins: January 2, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Receipt and Acknowledgment Form</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic Interest</li> <li>✓ Income Tax Disclosure Acknowledgement Form</li> <li>✓ *Income Tax Returns are filed with the Secretary of State's office.</li> <li>✓ *Candidate statement is filed with the Secretary of State's office.</li> </ul>

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	QUALIFICATIONS		
LIEUTENANT G	OVERNOR		
Lieutenant Governor	U.S. citizen Registered voter and otherwise qualified to vote for that office at the time that nomination papers are issued Not have been convicted of a felony involving accepting or giving, or offering to give, any bribe, the embezzlement of public money, extortion or theft of public money, perjury, or conspiracy to commit any of those crimes Not have served two four-year terms in the office sought since 11/06/90	Filing Fee: \$3,278.34  Signatures In-Lieu: 4,750  Nomination Signatures: 65-100  Value of Signatures: \$0.690176842  Term of Office: 4 years  Term Begins: January 2, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Receipt and Acknowledgment Form</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic Interest</li> <li>✓ *Candidate statement is filed with the Secretary of State's office.</li> </ul>

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SECRETARY OF	STATE		
Secretary of State	<ul> <li>Registered voter and otherwise qualified to vote for that office at the time that nomination papers are issue</li> <li>Not have been convicted of a felony involving accepting or giving, or offering to give, any bribe, the embezzlement of public money, extortion or theft of public money, perjury, or conspiracy to commit any of those crimes</li> <li>Not have served two four-year terms in the office sought since 11/06/90</li> </ul>	Filing Fee: \$3,278.34  Signatures In-Lieu: 4,750  Nomination Signatures: 65-100  Value of Signatures: \$0.690176842  Term of Office: 4 years  Term Begins: January 2, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Receipt and Acknowledgment</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic Interest</li> <li>✓ *Candidate statement is filed with the Secretary of State's office.</li> </ul>
CONTROLLER			
Controller	Be a registered voter and otherwise qualified to vote for that office at the time that nomination papers are issued  Not have been convicted of a felony involving accepting or giving, or offering to give, any bribe, the embezzlement of public money, extortion or theft of public money, perjury, or conspiracy to commit any of those crimes  Not have served two four-year terms in the office sought since 11/06/90	Filing Fee: \$3,496.86  Signatures In-Lieu: 4,750  Nomination Signatures: 65-100  Value of Signatures: \$0.736181053  Term of Office: 4 years  Term Begins: January 2, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Qualification Form &amp; Receipt</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic Interest</li> <li>✓ *Candidate statement is filed with the Secretary of State's office.</li> </ul>

OFFICE	MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS	REQUIREMENTS	FORMS TO FILE
TREASURER			
Treasurer	<ul> <li>Registered voter and otherwise qualified to vote for that office at the time that nomination papers are issued</li> <li>Not have been convicted of a felony involving accepting or giving, or offering to give, any bribe, the embezzlement of public money, extortion or theft of public money, perjury, or conspiracy to commit any of those crimes</li> <li>Not have served two four-year terms in the office sought since 11/06/90</li> </ul>	Filing Fee: \$3,496.86  Signatures In-Lieu: 4,750  Nomination Signatures: 65-100  Value of Signatures: \$0.736181053  Term of Office: 4 years  Term Begins: January 2, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Receipt and Acknowledgment Form</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign Practices-voluntary</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic Interests</li> <li>✓ Campaign disclosure Statements</li> <li>✓ *Candidate statement is filed with the Secretary of State's office.</li> </ul>
Attorney General	Be a registered voter and otherwise qualified to vote for that office at the time that nomination papers are issued Admitted to practice before the California Supreme Court for a period of at least five years immediately preceding his or her election to the office Not have been convicted of a felony involving accepting or giving, or offering to give, any bribe, the embezzlement of public money, perjury, or conspiracy to commit any of those crimes Not have served two terms in the office sought since 11/06/90	Filing Fee: \$3,796.82  Signatures In-Lieu: 4,750  Nomination Signatures: 65-100  Value of Signatures: \$0.799330526  Term of Office: 4 years  Term Begins: January 2, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Qualification         Form &amp; Receipt</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures         In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Candidate Contact         Information Release Form</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign         Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation         Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic         Interest</li> <li>✓ *Candidate statement is filed         with the Secretary of State's         office.</li> </ul>

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OFFICE	QUALIFICATIONS	REQUIREMENTS	FURINS TO FILE
INSURANCE CO	MMISSIONER		
Insurance Commissioner	Be a registered voter and otherwise qualified to vote for that office at the time that nomination papers are issued  Not have been convicted of a felony involving accepting or giving, or offering to give, any bribe, the embezzlement of public money, perjury, or conspiracy to commit any of those crimes.  During tenure of office, may not be an officer, agent, or employee of an insurer or directly or indirectly interested in any insurer or licensee under the California Insurance Code, except (1) as a policyholder, or (2) by virtue of relationship by blood or marriage to any person interested in any insurer or licensee  Not have served two four-year terms in the office sought	Filing Fee: \$3,496.86  Signatures In-Lieu: 4,750  Nomination Signatures: 65-100  Value of Signatures: \$0.736181053  Term of Office: 4 years  Term Begins: January 2, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Receipt and Acknowledgment Form</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic Interest</li> <li>✓ *Candidate statement is filed with the Secretary of State's office.</li> </ul>

OFFICE	MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS	REQUIREMENTS	FORMS TO FILE
MEMBER BOAR	D OF EQUALIZATION		
Board of Equalization #1	Be a registered voter and otherwise qualified to vote for that office at the time that nomination papers issued     Not have served two four-year terms in the office sought since 11/06/90	Filing Fee: \$1,639.17  Signatures In-Lieu: 3,338  Nomination Signatures: 40-60  Value of Signatures: \$0.491063511  Term of Office: 4 years  Term Begins: January 2, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Receipt and Acknowledgment Form</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic Interest</li> <li>✓ *Candidate statement is filed with the Secretary of State's office.</li> </ul>
SUPERINTENDE	INT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION		
Supt. of Public Instruction	Be a registered voter and otherwise qualified to vote for that office at the time that nomination papers are issued     Not have served two four-year terms in the office sought since 11/06/90     Not have been convicted of a felony involving accepting or giving, or offering to give, any bribe, the embezzlement of public money, perjury, or conspiracy to commit any of those crimes.	Filing Fee: \$3,796.82  Signatures In-Lieu: 4,750  Nomination Signatures: 65-100  Value of Signatures: \$0.799330526  Term of Office: 4 years  Term Begins: January 2, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Qualification         Form &amp; Receipt</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures         In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Candidate Contact         Information Release Form</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign         Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation         Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic         Interest</li> <li>✓ *Candidate statement is filed         with the Secretary of State's         office.</li> </ul>

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STATE SENATO	R		
Senate	<ul> <li>Be a U.S. citizen</li> <li>Be a registered voter and otherwise qualified to vote for that office at the time that nomination papers are issued</li> <li>Not have been convicted of a felony involving accepting or giving, or offering to give, any bribe, the embezzlement of public money, perjury, or conspiracy to commit any of those crimes.</li> <li>Serve no more than 12 years in the State Senate, the Assembly, or both, in any combination of terms during their lifetime if they were first elected to the Legislature after June 2012 And they have not previously served in the State Senate or Assembly</li> <li>Not have served two terms in the State Senate since November 6, 1990 if they were elected to the State Senate before June 2012</li> <li>Not have served three terms in office sought since 11/06/1990</li> </ul>	Filing Fee: \$1,197.02  Signatures In-Lieu: 1,358  Nomination Signatures: 40-60  Value of Signatures: \$0.881458  Term of Office: 4 years  Term Begins: December 5, 2022	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Receipt and Acknowledgment Form</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Candidate Statement and estimated payment</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic Interest</li> </ul>
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MEMBER OF TH	E STATE ASSEMBLY		
Assembly	<ul> <li>Be a U.S. citizen</li> <li>Be a registered voter and otherwise qualified to vote for that office at the time that nomination papers are issued</li> <li>Not have been convicted of a felony involving accepting or giving, or offering to give, any bribe, the embezzlement of public money, perjury, or conspiracy to commit any of those crimes.</li> <li>Serve no more than 12 years in the State Senate, the Assembly, or both, in any combination of terms during their lifetime if they were first elected to the Legislature after 2012 and has not previously served in the State Senate or Assembly</li> <li>Not have served two terms in the State Senate since November 6, 1990, if he or she was elected to the State Senate before 2012</li> <li>Not have served three two-year terms in office sought since 11/06/1990</li> </ul>	Filing Fee: \$1,197.02  Signatures In-Lieu: 679  Nomination Signatures: 40-60  Value of Signatures: \$1.762916053  Term of Office: 2 years  Term Begins: December 5, 2022	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Receipt and Acknowledgment Form</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Candidate Statement and estimated payment</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic Interest</li> </ul>

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JUDICIAL			
Judge of the Superior Court	<ul> <li>Be a registered voter</li> <li>A member of the State Bar for 10 years or have served as a Judge of a California court of record for 10 years immediately preceding the election</li> <li>Documentation proving qualifications is required to be filed</li> <li>Six-year term</li> </ul>	Filing Fee: \$2,250.74  Signatures In-Lieu: 4,582  Nomination Signatures: 20-40  Salary: \$225,074.00  Value of Signatures: \$0.491228  Term of Office: 6 years  Term Begins: January 2, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Receipt and Acknowledgment Form</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Intent</li> <li>✓ Candidate Contact Information Release Form</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Candidate Statement &amp; estimated payment</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic Interests</li> </ul>

OFFICE	MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS	REQUIREMENTS	FORMS TO FILE
COUNTY BOARD	O OF EDUCATION		
Sacramento County Board of Education	<ul> <li>Any registered voter of the trustee area they are seeking to represent is eligible to be a member of the county board of education except: the county superintendent of schools, any member of their staff, or any employee of a school district</li> <li>Four-year term</li> </ul>	Nomination Signatures:  20-40 valid signatures  Term of Office:     4 years  Term Begins:     July 1, 2022	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Qualification Form &amp; Receipt</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petition</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Candidate Statement &amp; estimated payment</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic Interest</li> </ul>
SCHOOL			
Twin Rivers USD	Any registered voter of the trustee area they are seeking to represent is eligible except: the county superintendent of schools, any member of their staff, or any employee of a school district     Four-year term	Nomination Signatures: No signature requirement  Term of Office: 4 years  Term Begins: July 1, 2022	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Qualification         Form &amp; Receipt</li> <li>✓ Candidate Contact         Information Release Form</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign         Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Candidate Statement &amp;         estimated payment</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation         Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic         Interest</li> </ul>

OFFICE	MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS	REQUIREMENTS	FORMS TO FILE
COUNTY			
Board of Supervisors	Registered voter of the district, and of the district wherein he lives for at least one year, immediately preceding deadline for filing nomination papers and during term of office  Four-year term  Registered voter of the district wherein he lives for at least one year, immediately preceding deadline for filing nomination papers and during term of office	Filing Fee: \$1,176.17  Signatures In-Lieu: 2,331  Nomination Signatures: 20-40  Salary: \$117,617.00  Value of Signatures: \$0.504577  Term of Office: 4 years  Term Begins: January 2, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Qualification Form &amp; Receipt</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Candidate Statement &amp; estimated payment</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic Interest</li> </ul>

OFFICE	MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS	REQUIREMENTS	FORMS TO FILE
COUNTY			
Assessor	<ul> <li>Registered voter in county at time nomination papers are issued</li> <li>Four-year term</li> </ul>	Filing Fee: \$2,229.36  Signatures In-Lieu: 4,538  Nomination Signatures: 20-40  Salary: \$222,936.00  Value of Signatures: \$0.491228  Term of Office: 4 years  Term Begins: January 2, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Qualification Form &amp; Receipt</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Statement of Qualifications</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Candidate Statement &amp; estimated payment</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic Interest</li> </ul>

OFFICE	MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS	REQUIREMENTS	FORMS TO FILE
COUNTY			
District Attorney	<ul> <li>Registered voter in county at time nomination papers are issued</li> <li>Admitted to practice in Supreme Court of State of California</li> <li>Documentation proving qualifications required to be filed per EC13.5.</li> <li>Four-year term</li> </ul>	Filing Fee: \$2,899.40  Signatures In-Lieu: 5902  Nomination Signatures: 20-40  Salary: \$289,940.00  Value of Signatures: \$0.491228  Term of Office: 4 years  Term Begins: January 2, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Acknowledgment Form &amp; Receipt</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Statement of Qualifications</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Candidate Statement &amp; estimated payment</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic Interest</li> </ul>

OFFICE	MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS	REQUIREMENTS	FORMS TO FILE
COUNTY			
Sheriff	<ul> <li>Registered voter in county at time nomination papers are issued</li> <li>Also, criteria or experience pursuant to Government Code 24004.3</li> <li>Documentation proving qualifications required to be filed per EC13.5.</li> <li>Four-year term</li> </ul>	Filing Fee: \$2,746.97  Signatures In-Lieu: 5,592  Nomination Signatures: 20-40  Salary: \$274,697.00  Value of Signatures: \$0.491228  Term of Office: 4 years  Term Begins: January 2, 2023	<ul> <li>✓ Candidate Acknowledgment Form &amp; Receipt</li> <li>✓ Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee</li> <li>✓ Statement of Qualifications</li> <li>✓ Nomination Petitions</li> <li>✓ Code of Fair Campaign Practices (Optional)</li> <li>✓ Candidate Statement &amp; estimated payment</li> <li>✓ Ballot Designation Worksheet</li> <li>✓ Declaration of Candidacy</li> <li>✓ Statement of Economic Interest</li> </ul>

# **INCOMPATIBILITY OF OFFICES**

The State of California Attorney General's Office has issued many opinions of particular compatibility questions. Here are some examples of incompatible offices:

City councilmember and school district board member where the city and the school district have territory in common;

- Fire Chief of a county fire protection district and member, county board of supervisors of the same county;
- High school district trustee and trustee of an elementary school district which is wholly within the geographic boundaries of the high school district;
- Water district director and a city councilmember;
- Water district director and a school district trustee having territory in common; and Deputy sheriff and county board of supervisors.

If you have any questions about whether two public offices which you hold or seek to hold would be considered incompatible, contact the Attorney General's office at (916) 324-5437 or visit their website, www.oag.ca.gov.

# SHARED COUNTIES

Subject to change due to redistricting

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OFFICE	SHARED COUNTY				
State					
All Statewide Offices	All counties with California				
US Senator					
United States Senate	All counties with California				
US Representative					
Congressional District 3	Alpine, El Dorado, Inyo, Mono, Nevada, Plumas, Sierra, Yuba				
Congressional District 7	Solano, Yolo				
State Senator					
Senate, District 6	Placer				
State Assembly					
Assembly, District 9	Amador, Calaveras, San Joaquin, Stanislaus				
Assembly, District 11	Contra Costa, Solano				
County Board of Education					
Sacramento County Board of Education, Area 2	Placer				
School					
Twin Rivers Unified School District, Area 4	Placer				

# JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

### Filing Fee and/or Signatures In-Lieu

The filing fee must be paid at the time the Declaration of Intention is filed. Signatures In-Lieu of filing fee will not be accepted after the Declaration of Intention is filed.

#### **Confidential Voter Status**

If you are registered as a confidential voter in the County of Sacramento, please keep in mind that signing petitions won't affect your status.

### **Declaration of Intention**

Candidates for judicial offices must file a Declaration of Intention to become a candidate. The filing fee must be paid at this time. Signatures In-Lieu of filing fee will not be accepted after the Declaration of Intention is filed. A candidate for a numerically designated judicial office shall state in their declaration which office they intend to file for.

#### **Declaration of Intention Extension**

If an incumbent fails to file a Declaration of Intention by the deadline, there will be a 5-calendar day extension period during which any qualified person other than the incumbent may file, but must do so no later than the first day for filing nomination papers.

### Withholding Residence Address

No candidate for a judicial office shall be required to state their residential address on the Declaration of Intention or the Declaration of Candidacy. If the address is not stated on the Declaration of Intention, the address must be provided to the elections official for verification.

### **Extension Provision for Judges**

An additional 5-calendar day extension period, for any person other than the incumbent, shall be allowed for the filing of nomination papers due to the two circumstances listed below:

- 1. If an incumbent of a judicial office dies on or before the last day prescribed for the filing of nomination papers, or
- 2. If an incumbent of a judicial office files a Declaration of Intention, but for any reason fails to file their nomination papers by the last day prescribed for the filing of the papers.

#### **Judicial Candidate Name on Ballot**

If a judicial incumbent has filed nomination papers their name shall not appear on the ballot unless there is a petition filed with the elections office indicating that a write-in campaign will be conducted for the office. The filed petition must have 600 Sacramento County registered voters' signatures to be placed on the ballot. This process can occur again for the General Election. If the judicial incumbent's name does not appear on the primary or general ballot, the elections official will declare the incumbent re-elected. The Judicial Write In Period is March 14, 2022 to March 21, 2022. Elections Code § 8203(a) Elections Code § 8203(a)

### **Non-Incumbent Judicial Candidates**

An unopposed non-incumbent judicial candidate will appear on the Primary Election ballot. That office, however, shall not appear on the ballot at the ensuing General Election.

# **INCUMBENT JUDGES**

### Subject to Change

Position	INCUMBENT			
Office No. 1	George A. Acero			
Office No. 2	Steve Acquisto			
Office No. 3	Thadd A. Blizzard			
Office No. 4	Jerilyn Borack			
Office No. 5	Shelleyanne W.L. Chang			
Office No. 6	Dena Coggins			
Office No. 7	Carlton G. Davis			
Office No. 8	Stacy Boulware Eurie			
Office No. 9	Matthew J. Gary			
Office No. 10	Geoffrey Goodman			
Office No. 11	Jonathan R. Hayes			
Office No. 12	Russell L. Hom			
Office No. 13	Augustin R. Jimenez			
Office No. 14	Michael P. Kenny			
Office No. 15	Deborah D. Lobre			
Office No. 16	Sharon A. Lueras			
Office No. 17	Kevin J. McCormick			
Office No. 18	Kenneth C. Mennemeier, Jr.			
Office No. 19	Delbert W. Oros			
Office No.20	Jennifer K. Rockwell			
Office No.21	Ernest Sawtelle			
Office No.22	Pamela Smith-Steward			
Office No.23	Kara K. Ueda			
Office No.25	John P. Winn			
Office No.26	Gerrit W. Wood			
Office No. 27	Julie Yap			

Judicial office numbers have been assigned in alphabetical order by the incumbent's last name by the Voter Registration and Elections office. These numbers are assigned only for identification purposes during the election process and are not official office or district numbers. Elections Code § 8200

Superior Court Judges shall be elected in their counties at general elections except as otherwise necessary to meet the requirements of federal law. If following the candidate filing period only the incumbent has filed Nomination Documents, and no intent to conduct a write-in campaign is filed with the county elections official during the prescribed periods, the unopposed incumbent's name will not appear on either the primary or general election ballots. The unopposed incumbent shall then be declared re-elected at the general election. Cal. Const. Art. VI 16 (b) (c); E.C. § 8203

# SIGNATURES IN-LIEU OF FILING FEE

### **Availability**

Signatures In-Lieu of Filing Fee petitions may be obtained from the county elections official and circulated between January 3 (E-155), and February 9, 2022 (E-118). Elections Code § 8106(b); Senate Bill 594

### **Board of Supervisors**

Pursuant to Senate Bill 594 and Elections Code § 21501 the start date for Signatures In-Lieu has changed for Board of Supervisors to January 4 (E-154), and February 9, 2022 (E-118).

### **Petition Signer Qualifications**

Any registered voter may sign an in-lieu-filing-fee petition for any candidate for whom they are eligible to vote. Elections Code § 8106(b)(1)

No voter shall sign more petitions for candidates than there are offices to be filled. If a voter signs more candidates' petitions than there are offices to be filled, the voter's signature will be invalid. Elections Code § 8106(b)(2)

### **Petition Circulator(s)**

Circulators of in-lieu filing fee petitions must be 18 years of age or older. Elections Code § 102

The Affidavit of Circulator on each petition must be completed in the circulator's own hand, even if the petition is circulated by the candidate. Elections Code § 104

### **Duplicating the Petition**

The elections official shall furnish each candidate with the Petition In-Lieu form. Please be aware that our office will only accept documents containing original signatures.

## Filing the Petition

Sections of in-lieu-filing-fee petitions shall be filed with the county elections official of the county in which the signers reside. Elections Code § 8106(b)(4)

# **Verification of Signatures**

Within 10 days after receipt of a petition, the elections official shall notify the candidate of any deficiency. Elections Code § 8106(b)(3)

### **Signatures Counted Towards Nomination Signatures**

All valid signatures obtained shall be counted toward the number of required nomination signatures. Elections Code §§ 8061, 8405

# **NOMINATION PAPERS**

It is the responsibility of the candidate to ensure that they meet all deadlines. It is highly recommended that candidates file the necessary documents as early as possible in order to avoid any last minute rush and confusion, or any misunderstandings.

## **Availability**

Nomination papers may be obtained from the county elections official between February 14, 2022 (E-113) through March 11, 2022 (E-88).

All forms required for nomination and election shall be furnished only by the county elections official. Elections Code § 8101

### **Nomination Extension Period**

If an incumbent of an elective office fails to file their nomination papers by 5:00 p.m. on March 11, 2022, any person other than the incumbent shall have until 5:00 p.m. on March 16, 2022 to file nomination papers for the elective office. This is not applicable where there is no incumbent eligible to be elected. Elections Code § 8024

### Letter of Authorization

A candidate may designate a specific person to obtain and/or file nomination papers and/or a Declaration of Candidacy form on behalf of the candidate. A letter of authorization form can be found on our website and must be properly completed and signed prior to either obtaining or filing the nomination papers for a candidate. The filed letter of authorization shall be retained by the elections official. Elections Code § 8028.

### Signatures of Registered Voters

No voter shall sign more nomination petitions for candidates than there are offices to be filled. Elections Code § 8068

### No More Signers than Required

No candidate shall secure more than the maximum amount of signatures required for that office. If more than the maximum amount of signatures required are secured through miscalculation or otherwise, the elections official shall, with the written consent of the candidate, withdraw the excess number. Elections Code § 8067

### **Petition Circulator(s)**

Circulators of petitions must be 18 years of age or older. Elections Code § 102

### Affidavit of Circulator

The Affidavit of Circulator on each petition must be completed in the circulator's own hand, even if the petition is circulated by the candidate. Elections Code § 104

# FILING FEE INFORMATION

#### **Notice to Candidates**

The filing fee must be paid at the time nomination papers are issued, except for the office of Judge of the Superior Court. Filing fee for judicial offices must be paid at the time the Declaration of Intention is filed. All filing fees are non-refundable and must be paid by check or money order only.

### **Judicial and County Offices**

Candidates for the following offices shall make their checks payable to the County of Sacramento:

- Assessor
- District Attorney
- Sheriff
- · Board of Supervisors
- Judge of the Superior Court

### **County Board of Education and School Districts**

There is no filing fee for County Board of Education or school districts.

#### **Federal and State Offices**

Candidates for the following offices shall make their checks payable to the California Secretary of State:

- United States Senate
- · United States Representative
- · Statewide Offices
- · State Senate
- State Assembly

### **Calculation of Filing Fees**

For purposes of this section, "salary" means the annual salary for the office as of the first day on which a candidate may circulate signatures in-lieu of filing fee petitions pursuant to Elections Code § 8106.

\* Refer to Qualifications and Requirements for office specific filing fee amount.

Office	Percentage of Salary
United States Senate Full Term	2%
United States Senate Partial/ Unexpired Term	2%
United States Representative	1%
Statewide Offices	2%
State Board of Equalization	1%
State Senate	1%
State Assembly	1%
Assessor	1%
District Attorney	1%
Sheriff	1%
Judge of the Superior Court	1%

# FILING FEE PAYMENT EXAMPLE

### **STATE**

# Filing fee with Signatures In-Lieu filed

Check amount shall be left blank, however, the verbiage **Not to exceed** followed by the amount of filing fee is to be printed under the amountline.

# Filing fee without Signatures In-Lieu filed

Check amount shall be completed entirely for the amount of the filingfee.

Payable to: Secretary of State

John A. Doe	2324
1234 Any Street	mm/dd/yy
Our Town, CA 95965	
PAY to <u>California Secretary of State</u>	\$
	Dollars
Bank of Our Town California 1-800-123-4567	
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Bank of Our Town California 1-800-123-4567	
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### **COUNTY**

# Filing fee with Signatures In-Lieu filed

Check amount shall be left blank, however, the verbiage **Not to exceed** followed by the amount of filing fee is to be printed under the amount line.

### Filing fee without Signatures In-Lieu filed

Check amount shall be completed entirely for the amount of the filing fee.

Payable to: County of Sacramento

# **BALLOT DESIGNATION**

There are specific laws and regulations that govern whether or not a ballot designation is acceptable or unacceptable for printing on the ballot. These rules are outlined in California Elections Code §§13107, 13107.3,13107.5 and California Administrative Code §§ 20710-20719.

The purpose of the Ballot Designation Worksheet is for the candidate to give information to substantiate their Ballot Designation. It must be completed in its entirety. The candidate signs this worksheet under penalty of perjury that the Ballot Designation and the provided back-up information are accurate.

### SELECTING YOUR BALLOT DESIGNATION

The ballot designation describes the current principle profession, vocation, occupation, or incumbency status of the candidate that will appear on the ballot under the candidate's name.

### GENERAL GUIDELINES FOR <u>ACCEPTABLE</u> BALLOT DESIGNATIONS

Words that designate the candidates elective city, county, district, state, or federal office which the candidate holds at the time of filing the nomination documents to which they were elected by vote of the people or appointed. There is no word limit for the official title of the office.

**Example:** Board Member, Los Rios Community College District

Mayor City Clerk

Assemblymember

Words that designate the candidates principle profession, vocation, or occupation in three words or less. The candidate's involvement with this activity must involve a substantial amount of time and effort and is the candidate's primary or main profession, vocation or occupation.

**Example:** School Teacher (the use of "teacher" applies to credentialed teachers)

Attorney ( profession/occupation) Small Business Owner ( three words or less)

Homemaker (vocation)

The word incumbent may be used if the candidate is running for the same office that the candidate holds at the time of filing nomination documents and to which the candidate was elected by vote of the people or appointed. This includes incumbents elected in lieu of an election.

**Example:** Mr. Smith is running for re-election to the same office. He can use "Incumbent" as his ballot designation because he currently holds that office.

NOTE: Candidates for the office of Representative in Congress, Member of the State Board of Equalization, State Senator, or Member of the Assembly shall not choose the word "incumbent" as a designation to appear on the ballot. Senate Bill 594

# **BALLOT DESIGNATION**

## (BALLOT DESIGNATION RULES AND REGULATIONS CONTINUED)

If the candidate was appointed to an office and is filing as a candidate for election to the same office then that candidate must use the words "appointed incumbent" or "appointed" and the title of the office held.

Example: Mr. Smith was appointed to a vacancy on a board. He is now running for the same office. He can use "Appointed Incumbent" or "Appointed Board Member".

Ballot Designation Basic Test	Answer	Ballot Designation Basic Test	Answer
Is it true?	Yes	Is it generic?	Yes
Is it factually accurate?	Yes	ls it neutral?	Yes
Does it mislead?	No	Is this how the candidate makes a living?	Yes

# GENERAL GUIDELINES FOR <u>UNACCEPTABLE</u> BALLOT DESIGNATIONS

Candidate may not use a designation that would mislead voters and suggest an evaluation of the candidate such as "outstanding" or "expert". Words that use a prior status such as "former" or "ex" will not be accepted. Words that use the name of a political party, refers to racial, religious or ethnic groups are also unacceptable.

Example: Expert Mechanic (uses an adjective that is an evaluation of the candidate)

Former Pilot (uses "former" which is a status may use "retired" instead)
Catholic Priest (makes reference to a specific denomination or religious group)

A status is a state, condition, social position or legal relation of the candidate to another person, persons or the community as a whole. A status fails to identify with a specific means by which the candidate earns their livelihood or spends the substantial majority of their time.

# Examples of <u>unacceptable</u> status include:

Concerned Citizen
Taxpayer
Philanthropist
Veteran
Neighborhood Community Leader
Husband

# **BALLOT DESIGNATION**

## (BALLOT DESIGNATION RULES AND REGULATIONS CONTINUED)

### No Ballot Designation Requested

A ballot designation is optional. If no ballot designation is requested, a Ballot Designation Worksheet is not required. In the event a candidate fails to file a Ballot Designation Worksheet, no designation shall appear under the candidate's name on the ballot.

It is not the responsibility of the Registrar of Voters' staff to investigate if the facts indicated by the candidate are valid. The Ballot Designation Worksheet is used as back-up for the Ballot Designation in the event the Ballot Designation is challenged.

### **Reviewing the Ballot Designation**

In reviewing the nomination documents, the Registrar of Voters' staff will verify that the Ballot Designation, submitted by local candidates, meet the basic restrictions set forth in this section, such as the three-word limitation and the use of "Incumbent" for local offices. If the designation is found to be in violation of any of the restrictions set forth in this section, the elections official shall notify the candidate by registered or certified mail return receipt.

The Secretary of State's office will review and approve all ballot designations for federal and state offices.

The candidate shall, within three days from the date of receipt of the notice, contact the elections official or (notify the election offical by telephone, and provide an alternate designation. In the event the candidate fails to provide an alternate designation, no designation will appear after the candidate's name.

### Use of the words "Advocate"

The use of "Advocate" may only be used if this is the candidate's official job title. Documentation is required.

### **Changing the Ballot Designation**

No ballot designation given by a candidate shall be changed by the candidate after the final date for filing nomination documents, except as specifically requested by the elections official to change an unacceptable designation or because of a challenge or writ of court.

The designation shall remain the same for all purposes of both Primary and General Elections, unless the candidate, at least 98 days prior to the General Election, requests in writing a different designation. The written request must be accompanied by a Ballot Designation Worksheet.

### **Challenging the Ballot Designation**

Challenging a ballot designation must be done by filing a Writ of Mandate with the Superior Court no later than Thursday, March 31, 2022 (E-68).

(Elections Code §§ 13107, 13107.3, 13107.5; California Code of Regulations § 20711)

This entire form **must be completed**, or it will not be accepted and you will **not** be entitled to a ballot designation. **DO NOT LEAVE ANY RESPONSE SPACES BLANK**. If information requested is not applicable, please write "N/A" in the space provided, otherwise the information MUST be provided. **UPON FILING, THIS WORKSHEET WILL BE A PUBLIC RECORD.** 

		Candidate Name: John Smith  Gender (optional, for translation use only): Male
Candidate		Office: San Juan Water District Email: Johnsmith@aol.com
	4	Home Address: 1234 Happy Lane, Sacramento, CA 95823
Information	1	Mailing Address: PO Box 1234, Sacramento, CA 95823
		Business Address: N/A
		Phone Number(s) (916) 555-5555 Home/Mobile: (530) 555-5555 Fax: N/A
		Attorney Name (or other person authorized to act on your behalf): N/A
Attorney Information	2	Address: N/A
		Phone Number(s) N/A Mobile: N/A Fax: N/A

#### You may select as your ballot designation one of the following designations:

- (a) Your current principal profession(s), vocation(s), or occupation(s) [maximum total of three words, separated by a slash ("/")].
- (b) The full title of the public office you currently occupy and to which you were elected.
- (c) "Appointed [full title of public office]" if you currently serve by appointment in an elective public office and are seeking election to the same office or to some other office.
- (d) "Incumbent" if you were elected (or, if you are a Superior Court Judge, you are a candidate for the same office that you hold) to your current public office and seek election to the same office.
- (e) "Appointed Incumbent" if you were appointed to your current elective public office and seek election to the same office.

Proposed Ballot Designation(s) Proposed Ballot Designation(s): Director, San Juan Water District

Alternate Ballot Designation(s) 1: Teacher/Father/Student

Alternate Ballot Designation(s) 2: Incumbent

### In the spaces provided on the next page(s):

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- (a) Describe why you believe you are entitled to use the proposed ballot designation.
- (b) If your proposed ballot designation contains one or more slashes ("/") separating words in your ballot designation for separate principal profession(s), vocation(s), or occupation(s) (collectively known as "PVOs"), complete a justification section for each separate PVO.
- (c) Attach any documents or exhibits that you believe support your proposed ballot designation.
- (d) If using the title of an elective office, attach a copy of your certificate of election or appointment.
- (e) Any supporting documents will not be returned to you. **Do not submit originals**.

#### It is your responsibility to justify your proposed ballot designation and to provide all requested details.

If your proposed ballot designation includes the word "volunteer," indicate the title of your volunteer position and the name of the entity for which you volunteer along with a brief description of the type of volunteer work you do and the approximate amount of time involved. You may only use the ballot designation "community volunteer" if you volunteer for a 501(c)(3) charitable, educational, or religious organization, a governmental agency or an educational institution. You may not use "community volunteer" together with another designation.

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If your proposed ballot designation contains one or more slashes ("/") separating multiple principal profession(s), vocation(s), or occupation(s) (collectively known as "PVOs"), complete a justification section for each separate PVO.

Justification for use of 1st PVO: Currently serving as a Director on the San Juan Water District. I was elected onto the board in November 2012. Current or most recent job title: Director Start/End Dates: 11/6/2012 Employer Name or Business: San Juan Water District Person who can verify this information: Name: Jane Smith Phone Number(s): (916) 123-555 Email: Justification Justification for use of 2<sup>nd</sup> PVO: N/A for use of **Proposed Ballot** Designation(s) If you are proposing Start/End Dates: Current or most recent job title: N/A N/A alternate ballot N/A designations, Employer Name or Business: please provide Person who can verify this information: justification for N/A use of those on N/A N/A Phone Number(s): Email: Name: Page 3. Justification for use of 3rd PVO: N/A NA/ N/A Start/End Dates: Current or most recent job title: N/A **Employer Name or Business:** Person who can verify this information: N/A N/A N/A Name: Phone Number(s): Email: Before signing below, answer/initial the following questions. Does your proposed ballot designation:

1)	Use only a portion of the title of your current elected office?	□Yes □ No	Initial <sup>JS</sup>
2)	Non-judicial candidates: Use only the word "Incumbent" for an elective office to which you were appointed?	□Yes □ No	Initial_ <sup>JS</sup> _
3)	Use more than three total words for your principal professions, vocations, or occupations?	□Yes □ No	Initial_JS_
4)	Suggest an evaluation of you, such as outstanding, leading, expert, virtuous, or eminent?	□Yes □ No	Initial JS
5)	Refer to a status (Veteran, Activist, Founder, Scholar), rather than a profession, vocation, or occupations?	□Yes □ No	Initial JS
6)	Abbreviate the word "retired?	□Yes □ No	Initial JS
7)	Place the word "retired" after the words it modifies? Example: Accountant, retired	□Yes □ No	Initial_JS_
8)	Use an word or prefix (except "retired") such as "former" or "ex-" to refer to a former profession, vocation, or occupation?	□Yes □ No	Initial JS
9)	Use the word "retired" along with a current profession, vocation, or occupation? Example: Retired Firefighter/Teacher	□Yes □ No	Initial <sup>JS</sup>
10)	Use the name of a political party or political body?	□Yes □ No	Initial JS
11)	Refer to a racial, religious, or ethnic group?	□Yes □ No	Initial <sup>JS</sup>
12)	Refer to any activity prohibited by law?	□Yes □ No	Initial

If the answer to any of these questions is "yes," your proposed ballot designation is likely to be rejected.

X	John Smith		7	14	/ 2020
	Canendate's Signature	Date Signed:	Month	Day	Year

For your reference, attached are Elections Code sections 13107, 13107.3, and 13107.5, and California Code of Regulations (CCR), title 2, section 20711. You also may wish to consult CCR, title 2, sections, 20712-20719 (found at www.sos.ca.gov).

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# **DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY**

## **Declaration of Candidacy (Mandatory)**

The Declaration of Candidacy shall be obtained from the elections official of the county in which the candidate resides and is a registered voter.

The Declaration of Candidacy is also the document on which the candidate indicates how the candidate wants their name to appear on the ballot and what Ballot Designation they desire, if any. It also contains the Oath of Office. Once filed, the Declaration of Office is public information and can be viewed upon request.

#### Name on Ballot

The Declaration of Candidacy must be filed with the Ballot Designation Form and all other candidate nomination documents.

The name for use on the ballot should be recognizable as the name under which candidate is registered. A nickname may be included but must be in quotation marks " ":

Richard "Gus" Jones Richard "Doc" Jones

The name for use on the ballot may also be a familiar or common short version of the first name and would not require quotation marks.

"Bill" for William or

### **Hyphenated Names**

Names such as "Adams-Smith," are alphabetized by the leading name which would be "Adams" in the example below.

Example: _	Martha First Name	Middle Name (Optional)	Adams-Smith Last Name	
In the abser below.	nce of a hyphen	, alphabetizing will occur by	the final name which would	be "Smith" in the example
Example: _	<u>Martha</u> First Name	Middle Name (Optional)	Adams Smith Last Name	

### No Title or Degree

No title or degree such as "Miss", "Mrs.", "Mr.", "Dr.", "Ph.D", shall appear on the same line on a ballot as a candidate's name, either before or after the candidate's name. (Elections Code § 13106)

### Withdrawal of Candidacy

No candidate shall withdraw their Declaration of Candidacy after 5:00 p.m. on the 88th day prior to the Primary Election (March 11, 2022). Elections Code §§ 8800, 10224

<sup>&</sup>quot;Becky" for Rebecca

### **DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY**

### (FRONT PORTION OF THE DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY) REG11122021

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY

### Section 1:

Candidate prints name and office sought.

#### Section 2:

Candidate prints their name for use on the ballot as well as the candidate's Ballot Designation.

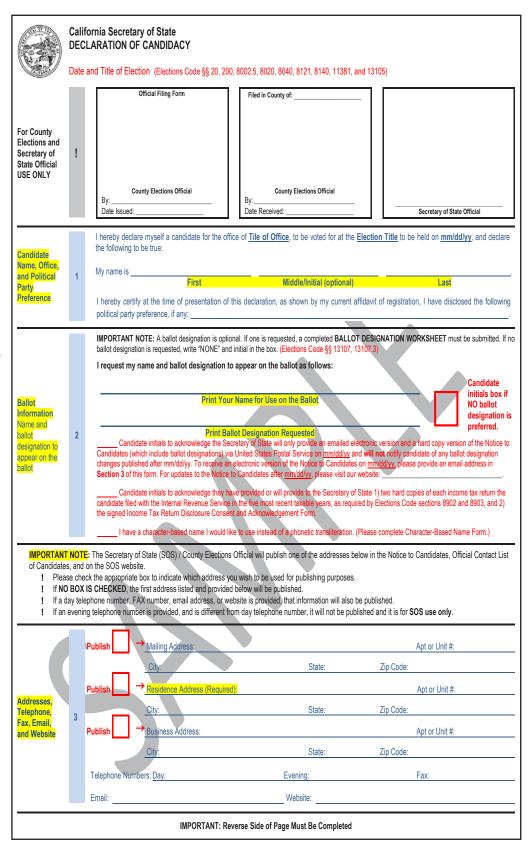
If no ballot designation is preferred then Candidate will check the red box.

If using a character-based name, candidate places a check mark next to that option.

### Section 3:

The residence address field is required. Please write N/A on any additional lines that you do not wish to complete in this section.

If candidate does not select an address for publishing then the first listed address will be published.



### **DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY**

# (BACK PORTION OF THE DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY

### Section 4:

If you are an incumbent, you must place the name of the current office held on this line.

All candidates are required to sign in the red box.

### Section 5:

The Oath of Office will be administered by the Elections Official in the Elections Office and signed by the candidate.

### Section 6:

This section must be completed by an Elections Official.

If the Oath of Office is administered by a Notary Public, then the candidate and Notary will sign this section. Notary must then place their seal on the form.

		I meet the statutory and constitutional qualifications for this office (including, but not limited to, citizenship and residency). I am at present an incumbent of the following public office (if any):
Qualifications	4	I have not been convicted of a felony involving accepting or giving, or offering to give, any bribe, the embezzlement of public money, extortion or theft of public money, perjury, or conspiracy to commit any of those crimes.
		If nominated/elected, I will accept the nomination/election and not withdraw.
		Х
		Signature of Candidate
		(1) I hereby certify that my complete voter registration and party affiliation/preference history from 2011 through the date of signing this
		document' is as follows:
		Party Preference County Timeframe (by year, e.g. 2011-2012) 2011 -
Political Party History	5	
nistory		*Only 10 years of party affiliation/preference history will be provided on the SOS website, even if additional information is provided.  (2) Pursuant to Section 8002.5 of the Elections Code, select one of the following:
		Party Preference:
		(Insert the name of the qualified political party as disclosed upon your affidavit of registration)
		Party Preference: None (if you have declined to disclose a preference for a qualified political party upon your affidavit of registration)
		Dated this day of X
		Signature of Candidate
		I,, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental
Oath of Office	6	reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties upon which I am about to enter.
		х
		Signature of Candidate
		A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.
		State of California
		County of
		Supported and quart to (or office of ) had been made this day of
		Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on this
<b>Notary</b>	7	
		(Seal) Signature
		Examined and certified by me thisday of, 20
		County Elections Official
WARNING: Even	v ners	son acting on behalf of a candidate is quilty of a misdemeanor who deliberately fails to file at the proper time and in the proper place any declaration of

Assembly Bill 57 (2019) requires that any ballot providing a translation of a candidate's name, in jurisdictions required to provide translated ballot materials, contain a phonetic transliteration of the candidate's name unless certain conditions are met and as specified:

- Permits a candidate who has a character-based name by birth, which can be verified by birth
  certificate or other valid identification, to use that name on the ballot instead of a phonetic
  transliteration.
- Permits a candidate who does not have a character-based name by birth, but who indentifies by
  a particular character-based name and can demonstrate that the candidate has been known and
  identified within the public sphere by that name over the past two years, to use that name instead of
  phonetic transliteration.

If a candidate's name is to appear in more than one jurisdiction in an election, all of those jurisdictions are required to provide translated ballot materials and shall use the same phonetic transliteration or character-based translation of the name (Elections Code § 13211.7)

Candidates with a character-based name will be required to fill out a Character-Based Name Form, similar to the one below, and submit supporting documents.

Candidate		Candidate Name:					
Name, Character- based name, and Office	1	Character-based Name:  Office:					
		Check at least one box below and attach supporting documents					
		I would like to use a character-based name given by birth (please provide a birth certificate or valid identification for verification). Attach supporting documentation and provide a description:					
Character- based name Attach supporting documents	2	I do not have a character-based name by birth, but I identify by a particular character-based name (please provide proof you have been known and identified within the public by that character-based name for the past two years). Attach supporting documentation and provide a description:					
For your reference	re att	Dated this day of, 20X  Signature of Candidate  ached is Elections Code section 13211.7.					
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# CANDIDATE STATEMENT INFORMATION

### **Notice to Candidates**

All candidates, regardless of whether or not they choose to publish a candidate statement, are required to complete and file a candidate statement form.

Each candidate for nonpartisan elective office and certain party nominated offices may prepare an optional candidate statement at their own expense. The candidate statement is designated to acquaint voters with a candidate's qualifications for the office they seeking. The candidate statement is included in the County Voter Information Guide, and will be mailed to all registered voters eligible to vote for that particular candidate.

#### When to File

The candidate statement must be filed at the time the Declaration of Candidacy and all other candidate documents are filed.

### Where to Pay

All candidate statement fees are paid at the Voter Registration and Elections office. Fees must be paid at the time the statement is filed. Please make your check or money order payable to the County of Sacramento.

#### Where to File

Candidate statements to be printed in the County Voter Information Guide must be filed in person at the Voter Registration and Elections office. Candidates for city offices file all documents, including the candidate statement, with the appropriate City Clerk.

### **Confidentiality of Statements**

Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, candidate statements filed shall remain confidential until the close of the nomination period for the office sought.

### Withdrawal of Statement

The statement may be withdrawn, but not changed, during the period for filing nomination papers and until 5:00 p.m. on the next business day after the close of the nomination period. Any request for withdrawing a candidate statement must be done in writing and signed by the candidate. A new statement cannot be filed to replace a withdrawn statement.

In the event there is no opposition for a particular contest, candidates may withdraw their candidate statement.

### **Public Examination**

Candidate statements are available to view and/or copies purchased after the deadline for filing has passed. Elections Code § 13313 allows for a 10-calendar day public examination period of all candidate statements prior to submittal for printing in the County Voter Information Guide. During this period, the Elections Official, or any voter of the jurisdiction in which the election is being held, may seek a writ of mandate or an injunction requiring any or all of the material in the candidate statements to be amended or deleted.

### **Challenge of Contents**

Any candidate in an election or incumbent in a recall election who knowingly makes a false statement of a material fact in a candidates statement with the intent to mislead the voters in connection with their campaign for nomination or election to a nonpartisan office is punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

# CANDIDATE STATEMENT COST INFORMATION

Due to the many unknown factors involved in printing, handling, mailing and the number of candidates filing statements, it is difficult to determine, prior to the election, the exact cost of each candidate statement. The cost estimates provided are based upon historical data and a projection of statistics available approximately six months prior to the election. The actual cost may vary significantly from the estimate specified. Candidates must pay any difference between the estimated cost and the actual cost within 30 days of receiving the bill.

### **United States House of Representatives**

Candidates running for the United States House of Representatives may purchase space for a 250-word statement in the County Voter Information Guide of the county or counties in their jurisdiction.

### State Senate and State Assembly

Candidates for State Senate and State Assembly may file a candidate statement for publication in the County Voter Information Guide only if they have agreed to the voluntary expenditure limits.

### **Shared Districts**

If a candidate is running for an office where the district extends into another county and wishes to have their candidate statement printed in that county, it is their responsibility to coordinate with that county for payment and publication of their candidate statement.

### **Indigent Candidates**

Candidates who believe they are indigent must meet California guidelines regarding poverty level. Statement of Financial Worth forms are available at the elections office and will be furnished upon request. The Statement of Financial Worth is a public record and is available for review.

If it is determined that the candidate is not indigent, the candidate shall, within three days of notification, be required to withdraw the candidate's statement or pay the requisite estimated costs. The Registrar of Voters is not obligated to print and mail the statement if payment is not received.

If the candidate is found to be indigent, the Registrar of Voters shall print and mail the statement without advanced payment. Notwithstanding the above, the candidate will be billed and expected to pay the cost of the candidate statement after the election. Elections Code §13309

### United States Senate and State Constitutional Office Candidates Statements

Candidate Statements are filed with the Secretary of State's office for the following offices: United States Senate, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Controller, Treasurer, Attorney General, Insurance Commissioner, Superintendent of Public Instruction, and State Board of Equalization. The candidate statement filing period is January 27 through February 16, 2022, 5:00 p.m.

# **CANDIDATE STATEMENT COST**

STATE CONTESTS	COST	SHARED DISTRICT	WORDS/PARAGRAPH LIMIT
US REPRESENTATIVE			
Congressional, District 3	\$ 1,100.00	YES	
Congressional, District 6	\$ 3,950.00	NO	250 Words
Congressional, District 7	\$ 3,750.00	YES	6 Paragraphs
STATE SENATOR			
Senate, District 6	\$ 3,600.00	YES	250 Words
Senate, District 8	\$ 4,750.00	NO	6 Paragraphs
MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY			
Assembly, District 6	\$ 2,850.00	NO	
Assembly, District 7	\$ 2,900.00	NO	250 Words
Assembly, District 9	\$ 700.00	YES	6 Paragraphs
Assembly, District 10	\$ 2,750.00	NO	
Assembly, District 11	\$ 400.00	YES	
LOCA	L OFFICES		
COUNTY			
Board of Supervisors, District 1	\$ 1,800.00	NO	
Board of Supervisors, District 2	\$ 1,650.00	NO	200 Words
Board of Supervisors, District 5	\$ 2,000.00	NO	5 Paragraphs
Assessor, District Attorney and Sheriff	\$ 7,900.00	NO	
JUDICIAL			
Judge of the Superior Court	\$ 7,900.00	NO	200 Words
			5 Paragraphs
COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION	Ι.	1	
Sacramento County Board of Education, Area 1	\$ 2,200.00	NO	400 Words
Sacramento County Board of Education, Area 2	\$ 2,100.00	YES	8 Paragraphs
Sacramento County Board of Education, Area 3	\$ 2,100.00	NO	
SCHOOL			
Twin Rivers Unified School District, Area 2	\$ 450.00	NO	200 Words
Twin Rivers Unified School District, Area 4	\$ 450.00	YES	5 Paragraphs
Twin Rivers Unified School District, Area 6	\$ 450.00	NO	
CITY			
City of Sacramento Council member District 1	\$ 650.00	NO	
City of Sacramento Council member District 3	\$ 600.00	NO	200 Words
City of Sacramento Council member District 5	\$ 600.00	NO	5 Paragraphs
City of Sacramento Council member District 7	\$ 750.00	NO	



# SACRAMENTO COUNTY VOTER REGISTRATION AND ELECTIONS CANDIDATE STATEMENT FORM

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ACRAMENTO DEL	Election Date: XX-XX	(-20xx	
John Smith		keview Unified	School District
Name of Candidate	Off	fice Sought and Distric	t Number, if applicable
Estimated Cost of Statement: \$ 1150	.00	Full Term	Short Term
Information to Candidates: Your statement			
qualifications and education. Candidates ar	e required to type their star	tements. Your statement	will be printed exactly as
submitted, and in the format prescribed b			
requirements and format as described in the Official.	Candidate Guide will be re	eformatted and set in uni	form type by the Elections
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<ul> <li>Content:</li> <li>Be accurate. Statements will be print</li> </ul>	ad as submitted Shelling	nunctuation and gramm	matical errors will not be
corrected by the Elections Office, therefore			
Elections Code §13308 restricts any ca			
and qualifications, and prohibits any re			
qualifications, character, or activities.			
Only a cursory review of the candidate			
acceptable in content and formatting. If a		d that is not in complianc	e with the Elections Code,
the Elections Official may strike any lang Word/Paragraph Count:	uage not in compliance.		
<ul> <li>Candidates for Superior Court Judge,</li> </ul>	County Offices and Local	District Offices are limi	ted to 200 words and 5
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• Candidates for U.S. Representative in C	ongress, State Senator and	d Member of the State As	ssembly are limited to 250
words and 6 paragraphs.			
Candidates for Sacramento County Boa	d of Education are limited t	o 400 words and 8 parag	graphs.
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Statements containing endorsements, m	ust be accompanied by writ	ten authorization letter(s)	from the person(s) and/or
organization(s) offering the endorsemen	, at the time your statemen	t is submitted. Letters mu	st be signed and dated.
Permission:			
If you use someone else's name in your  that they are mining your parentagion to			
<ul> <li>that they are giving you permission to us</li> <li>If someone else files your statement, you</li> </ul>			
give that person permission to submit yo			
by the candidate.			
Submittal:			
<ul> <li>Candidate statements must be typed using</li> </ul>			
The statement and permission(s) must be			lacy.
<ul> <li>Once the statement has been filed, it ma <u>Public Examination:</u></li> </ul>	y not be changed by the ca	indidate.	
Elections Code §13313 allows for a ten	day public evamination peri	and of all candidate states	nents prior to submittal for
printing in the County Voter Information			
in which the election is being held, may			
candidate statement to be amended or o	eleted.		
YES, I will file a candidate statemer			
In the event there is no oppositi	on for this contest, I wish	to withdraw this candi	date statement. (optional)
NO, I will not file a candidate staten	ent.		

Date: XX/XX/20XX Signature of Candidate:

# IF YOU HAVE ELECTED TO FILE A CANDIDATE STATEMENT. USE THIS TEMPLATE TO COMPLETE YOUR STATEMENT.

NOTE: A COMPLETE LIST OF RESTRICTIONS AND REQUIREMENTS ARE DESCRIBED IN THE CANDIDATE GUIDE. REFER TO THE GUIDE WHEN COMPLETING YOUR STATEMENT.

<u>Instructions to Candidates:</u> Use the template below to prepare your candidate statement. When finished, print both pages to file your statement.

- The information in the "TYPE NAME" and "OCCUPATION" fields below will be printed in the candidate statement area of the County Voter Information Guide exactly as it appears below.
- The "OCCUPATION" field in the candidate statement is not restricted in the same manner as the ballot designation that appears underneath the candidate's name on the Official Ballot. Therefore, it may be different than the candidate's ballot designation.
- The "AGE" and "OCCUPATION" fields in the candidate statement are optional. If a candidate does not place an age and/or occupation on the candidate statement document, those fields will appear blank in the guide.

TYPE NAME: John Smith

AGF: 52

OCCUPATION:  Business Owner/Community Volunteer/Parent (optional)  QUALIFICATIONS:  I have lived in Sacramento for 40 years. I am a successful business owner, community volunteer, and a parent of four children. I believe that all families should have the opportunity to send their child to a
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parent of four children. I believe that all families should have the opportunity to send their child to a
quality school to receive an excellent education.
I graduated from University of Michigan. My experience as a businessman has taught me how to
manage finances, balance budgets, and manage staff. My experience as a community volunteer has
made me see how important it is for our children to receive a quality education. We must prepare our
students for college.
I am endorsed by Jane Doe with ABC Foundation of Successful Students. During the last 4 years as a
School Board Member, I have always put student success as my priority. By voting for me, you are
voting for a bright successful future!
Please visit my website www.johnsmitha1b2c3.net.
I have prepared the above candidate statement (pursuant to Elections Code §13307) that is to be printed in the County Voter Information Guide and mailed to each registered voter who is eligible to vote for me. I understand that Sacramento County is mandated under the Voting Rights Act to provide materials and information in English, Spanish and Chinese. I
understand that the amount written on the previous page is an estimated cost to print in English, Spanish and Chinese. I
agree to pay any difference between the estimated cost and the actual cost within 30 days of receiving the bill.
Date: xx/xx/20xx Signature of Candidate:
OFFICIAL Amount Paid: Endorsements needed?
USE Check No.: Copy of Check in File Number of Paragraphs: / Yes No

# CANDIDATE STATEMENT REQUIREMENTS

Check your statement for errors in spelling, punctuation and grammar. No responsibility or liability is assumed by Sacramento County Voter Registration and Elections for errors in spelling, punctuation or grammar, etc.; the statement is entirely the candidate's responsibility.

#### **Candidate Statement Form**

The Candidate Statement Form is available on our website and must be completed prior to filing. On this form, candidates will indicate whether or not they elect to file a candidate statement and will submit the printed text of the statement if they choose to file one. While the form provided is not mandatory, our office highly recommends that you use it as a template for your Candidate Statement if you want your statement published in our County Voter Information Guide.

#### Restrictions

The candidate statement shall not include the political party affiliation of the candidate nor membership or activity in partisan political organizations. Candidate photographs are not permitted.

Candidate statements should be about the candidate's own personal background and qualifications and shall not in any way make reference to other candidates or their qualifications, character or activities. Moreover, no statement shall contain any demonstrably false, slanderous or libelous statements or any obscene or profane language.

### **Maximum Amount of Words and Paragraphs**

Your candidate statement shall not exceed the maximum amount of words and paragraphs as specified on the previous page. If your statement exceeds the maximum amount of words, the elections official will remove words starting at the end of the statement until the word count is correct. If your statement exceeds the maximum amount of paragraphs, the elections official will combine paragraphs starting at the end of the statement until the paragraph count is correct.

#### Permission

If you use someone else's name in your statement, you must file with your statement, an original letter from them stating they are giving you permission to use their name in this manner. Letters must be signed and dated.

#### **Endorsements**

Statements containing endorsements must be accompanied by a written authorization letter(s) from the person(s) and/or organization(s) offering the endorsement at the time your statement is submitted. Letters must be signed and dated.

### Example A:

"...I am endorsed by County Supervisor John Doe, Senator Jane Smith and the Sacramento League of Women Voters."

In Example A, the elections office would require an email, facsimile or copy of the letter of endorsement from Supervisor Doe, Senator Smith and the Sacramento League of Women Voters to allow these endorsements to be printed.

### Example B:

"...I am endorsed by Police, Firefighters, nurses and teachers throughtout Sacramento County."

In Example B, the elections office would not require verification of the endorsement because the statement does not identify a specific individual or organization.

# CANDIDATE STATEMENT GUIDELINES

Candidates are required to type their candidate statement. Your candidate statement will be printed as submitted and in the format prescribed by Elections Code § 13307. Candidate statements that are not in compliance with the requirements and format as described in the Candidate Guide will be reformatted and set in uniform type by the elections official.

#### Notice to Candidates

The format of your statement may need to be changed by the elections official to accommodate the printing requirements of the County Voter Information Guide.

#### Contents

The candidate statement may contain the name, age, occupation of the candidate and a brief description, not to exceed the amount of maximum words and paragraphs for that office, of the candidate's education and qualifications expressed by the candidate.

The candidate statement must be written in the first person.

**Example:** "My name is John Smith and I have lived in Sacramento for 40 years. I am a successful business

owner, community volunteer ... "

### **Format**

The statement should be typewritten, double-spaced and in standard paragraph style. Any candidate statement that is not in conformance with the guidelines will need to be retyped by the candidate or their authorized representative using the computer in our lobby.

The format shall conform to the following guidelines:

### **DO NOT USE:**

- Bullets, stars or asterisks
- Bolding
- Italics
- Underlining
- All capital letters (with the exception of acronyms or abbreviations)
- Tables
- Lists (a number of connected items or names written or printed consecutively, typically one below the other)
- · Formatting requiring indentation

The California Elections Code intends for uniformity and appearance of the candidate statements. By preparing your candidate statement in accordance with the above guidelines, each candidate statement will be uniformly printed and allowed the same amount of space in the County Voter Information Guide. The elections official bears no responsibility for the correct typesetting of statements that must be reformatted due to not conforming to the requirements, guidelines or word and paragraph limit as stated in this guide.

# CANDIDATE STATEMENT COUNTING OF WORDS

These are the guidelines utilized by the elections official in determining the number of words submitted on any document (such as the candidate statement) whose content is limited by statute. Elections Code § 9

<u>Punctuation:</u> Punctuation is not counted.

**Proper Nouns:** All proper nouns shall be considered as one word.

Example A: John Smith = one word

**Geographical Names:** All geographical names shall be counted as one word. Areas that have political

boundaries with an elected or appointed board are considered geographic areas by

this office.

**Example A:** County of Sacramento = one word

Example B: Twin Rivers Unified School District = one word

**Abbreviations:** Each abbreviation for a word, phrase or expression shall be counted as one word.

Example A: PTA = one word

**Hyphenations:** Hyphenated words that appear in any generally available standard reference

dictionary shall be considered as one word. Each part of all other hyphenated

words shall be counted as separate words.

Example A: Re-election = one word Example B: Re-elect = two words

**Dates:** Numbers shall be counted as one word. Dates containing both numerical and

alphabetical characters will be counted separately when the date is spelled out.

Example A: 01/01/2016 = one word

Example B: January 1, 2020 = two words

**Numbers:** Any number consisting of a digit or digits shall be counted as one word. Any

number which is spelled shall be considered as a separate word or words.

Example A: One = one word

**Example B:** One hundred = two words

Example C: 100 = one word

**Telephone Numbers:** Telephone numbers shall be counted as one word.

Example A: (916) 555-5555 = one word

Internet Website and Email Addresses:

Internet Website and Email addresses shall be counted as one word.

Example A: tsmithpp@gmail.com = one word

Example B: www.tsmithpp.voteforme.com = one word

# CANDIDATE STATEMENT REQUIREMENTS

The following checklist is provided to assist candidates with identifying errors that may prevent a statement from being printed as intended in the County Voter Information Guide:

1.	Is your statement typed on the form provided by the elections office?	0	Yes	0	No
2.	Is your statement written in the first person?	0	Yes	0	No
3.	Does your statement contain equal to or less than the maximum amount of words and paragraphs as permitted?	0	Yes	0	No
4.	Is your statement free of unusual spacing?	0	Yes	0	No
5.	Is your statement free of any formatting requiring indentation?	0	Yes	0	No
6.	Is your statement free of bullets, stars, asterisks, bolding, italics, underlining, tables and/or lists?	0	Yes	0	No
7.	Is your statement free of references, direct or implied, to any other candidate or officeholder including their qualifications, character or activities?	0	Yes	0	No
8.	Is your statement free of any reference to your political affiliation or partisan political activity?	0	Yes	0	No
9.	Is your statement free of any false information or information that may be deemed as slanderous or libelous?	0	Yes	0	No
10.	Is your statement limited to your own personal background, education, qualifications and platform upon which you will run?	0	Yes	0	No
11.	If your statement contains endorsements, do you have documentation to present from the individual(s) or specific organization(s) endorsing you?	0	Yes	0	No
12	If your statement contains someone else's name, do you have documentation to present from the individual(s) stating they give you permission to use their name in this manner?	0	Yes	0	No

If you answered "No" to any of the questions above, your candidate statement may contain content that is prohibited by California Elections Code or election official's policy.

# CODE OF FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES

### **Purpose**

The purpose in creating the Code of Fair Campaign Practices is to give voters guidelines in determining fair play and to discuss issues instead of untruths or distortions.

### **Code of Fair Campaign Practices Form**

The Code of Fair Campaign Practices Form is an optional form that will be provided during the nomination period.

## Voluntary

In no event shall a candidate for public office be required to subscribe to or endorse the code.

#### When to File

File the form with your other nomination paperwork. You may file this form at a later date. The elections office will accept it any time up to Election day.

### **Public Record**

All Code of Fair Campaign Practices forms filed by candidates will be available for public inspection at the elections office until 30 days after the election. Every code subscribed to by a candidate for public office is a public record open for public inspection.

The provisions of the code and a sample copy of the form are provided on the following page for your information.

There are basic principles of decency, honesty, and fair play which every candidate for public office in the State of California has a moral obligation to observe and uphold in order that, after vigorously contested but fairly conducted campaigns, our citizens may exercise their constitutional right to a free and untrammeled choice and the will of the people may be fully and clearly expressed on the issues.

#### THEREFORE:

- (1) I SHALL CONDUCT my campaign openly and publicly, discussing the issues as I see them, presenting my record and policies with sincerity and frankness, and criticizing without fear or favor the record and policies of my opponents or political parties that merit this criticism.
- (2) I SHALL NOT USE OR PERMIT the use of character defamation, whispering campaigns, libel, slander, or scurrilous attacks on any candidate or his or her personal or family life.
- (3) I SHALL NOT USE OR PERMIT any appeal to negative prejudice based on a candidate's actual or perceived race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, physical disability, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, age, sexual orientation, sex, including gender identity, or any other characteristic set forth in Section 12940 of the Government Code, or association with another person who has any of the actual or perceived characteristics set forth in Section 12940 of the Government Code.
- (4) I SHALL NOT USE OR PERMIT any dishonest or unethical practice that tends to corrupt or undermine our American system of free elections, or that hampers or prevents the full and free expression of the will of the voters including acts intended to hinder or prevent any eligible person from registering to vote, enrolling to vote, or voting.
- (5) I SHALL NOT coerce election help or campaign contributions for myself or for any other candidate from my employees.
- (6) I SHALL IMMEDIATELY AND PUBLICLY REPUDIATE support deriving from any individual or group that resorts, on behalf of my candidacy or in opposition to that of my opponent, to the methods and tactics that I condemn. I shall accept responsibility to take firm action against any subordinate who violates any provision of this code or the laws governing elections.
- (7) I SHALL DEFEND AND UPHOLD the right of every qualified American voter to full and equal participation in the electoral process.

I, the undersigned, candidate for election to public office in the State of California or treasurer or chairperson of a committee making any independent expenditures, hereby voluntarily endorse, subscribe to, and solemnly pledge myself to conduct my campaign in accordance with the above principles and practices.

John Smith	John Smíth		
Print Name	Signature		
mm/dd/yy	Title of Office, District or Area, if applicable		
Date	Office		

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# STATEMENT OF ECONOMIC INTERESTS 700 FORM

This form is used for disclosure of certain personal financial interests under the Political Reform Act's conflict of interest rules. All information required to be disclosed per the Conflict of Interest Code for the office sought during the 12 months prior to the nomination deadline must be reported.

Every candidate is required to file a Statement of Economic Interests (Form 700). A statement is not required if the candidate filed a statement for the same jurisdiction within 60 days before filing a Declaration of Candidacy.

#### What is Disclosed

The candidate's investments, interests in real property and any income received during the immediately preceding 12 months.

#### When to File

The Form 700 is to be completed and filed prior to the deadline to file a Declaration of Candidacy.

### Where to File

The original Form 700 is filed with the elections office.

For technical questions regarding completion of the Form 700, please contact:

Fair Political Practices Commission 1102 Q Street, Suite 3000 Sacramento, CA 95811 (866) 275-3772 advice@fppc.ca.gov www.fppc.ca.gov CALIFORNIA FORM 700
FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION

# STATEMENT OF ECONOMIC INTERESTS COVER PAGE

Date Initial Filing Received
Filing Official Use Only

A PUBLIC DOCUMENT

Please type or print in ink.				
NAME OF FILER (LAST)	· ·	RST)		(MIDDLE)
Smith	John			
1. Office, Agency, or Co	<mark>ourt</mark>			
Agency Name (Do not use ac	<mark>cronyms)</mark>			
Office Title				
Division, Board, Department,	District, if applicable	Your Positio	<mark>n</mark>	
		Title of th	ne Position	
► If filing for multiple position	ns, list below or on an attachment.	(Do not use acronyms)		
Agency:		Position:		
2. Jurisdiction of Office	Check at least one box)			
☐ State				dge, or Court Commissioner FOR SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE)
Multi-County		✓ County of	Sacramento	
City of		Other		
3. Type of Statement (6				)
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		the da	ate of leaving office.	
✓ Candidate: Date of Elect	tion <u>MM/DD/YY</u> and	office sought, if different than Par	rt 1:	
I. Schedule Summary Schedules attached	,	al number of pages includ	ing this cover pag	<mark>/e:</mark>
Schedule A-1 - Inves	stments – schedule attached	□ Schedule C - Inc	ome. Loans. & Busines	s Positions – schedule attached
	stments - schedule attached		ome – Gifts – schedule	
Schedule B - Real P	Property – schedule attached	Schedule E - Inc.	ome – Gifts – Travel P	ayments - schedule attached
- <mark>or- None -</mark> No repo	ortable interests on any sche	<mark>dule</mark>		
i. Verification				
MAILING ADDRESS (Business or Agency Address Recom	STREET	CITY	STAT	ZIP CODE
12345 Riverdale Way	ттепаеа - Гавис Босаттету	Sacramento	С	95834
DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER		EMAIL ADDRESS		
( 916 ) 555-5555		johnsmith123v	ote4me@yahoo.c	om
	ligence in preparing this statement. I chedules is true and complete. I ack			vledge the information contained
I certify under penalty of pe	erjury under the laws of the State	of California that the foregoing	is true and correct.	
Date Signed MM/DD/YY	/	Signature	John Smith	

# **WRITE-IN CANDIDACY**

The Statement of Write-In Candidacy form and Nomination Papers shall be available from the Registrar of Voters' office beginning April 11, 2022 through May 24, 2022.

Every person who desires to be a write-in candidate of an election and counted for a particular office shall file a statement of write-in candidacy that contains the following information. Elections Code § 8600

- Candidate's name
- Residence address
- A declaration stating that they are a write-in candidate
- The title of the office for which they are running for
- The date of the election
- For any of the offices described in Elections Code § 13.5, a statement that the candidate meets the statutory and constitutional requirements for that office as described in that section

### **Signers of Nomination Papers**

Signers of nomination papers for write-in candidates shall be voters in the district or political subdivision in which the candidate is to be voted on.

Refer to the Summary of Qualifications for signature requirements for certain offices.

### Filing Fees

No fee shall be required of a write-in candidate.

#### **Candidate Statement**

Write-in candidates may not file a candidate statement.

### **Ballot Designation**

Write-in candidates may not file a Ballot Designation Worksheet.

#### **Qualified Write-Ins**

The California Administrative Code, Title 2, Division 7, Article 7, §§ 20100 - 20105, specifies the requirements for the counting of write-in votes.

# **CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE FORMS**

The Political Reform Act requires all candidates for state and local elective office, all state and local elected officeholders, proponents of state ballot measures and committees supporting or opposing state and local candidates and ballot measures, to file campaign statements disclosing contributions received and expenditures made.

The statutory requirements of the Political Reform Act are now contained in Government Code § 81000 et seq. Information and assistance relating to campaign reporting obligations under the Political Reform Act may be obtained from the elections office or from the Fair Political Practices Commission.

### **Candidate/Committee Filing Responsibilities**

All candidates are required to file campaign disclosure statements. Candidates for federal offices are subject to federal disclosure requirements and should contact the Federal Election Commission for more information.

It is the responsibility of the candidates and/or committees to be aware of and to file the required campaign disclosure statements in a correct and timely manner.

#### Where to File

The location in which disclosure statements are to be filed depends entirely upon the office that the candidate is seeking or the jurisdiction in which the committee is active.

#### When to File

Refer to the FPPC Filing Schedule deadlines on the following 2 pages.

### **Electronic Filing for Local Candidates/Committees**

Sacramento County Voter Registration and Elections requires all candidates and committees that receive contributions or make expenditures totaling more than \$1,000 in a calendar year, to electronically file campaign statements. The County, in partnership with NetFile, now has a web-based data entry filing system that allows candidates and committees to electronically create and submit campaign disclosure statements.

Visit <u>www.elections.saccounty.gov</u> and click on the Candidate and Campaign Services tab, then Campaign Finance Information.

For technical questions, State and Local candidates should contact FPPC and Federal candidates should contact the FEC.

Fair Political Practices Commission 1102 Q Street, Suite 3000 Sacramento CA 95811 (866) 275-3772 advice@fppc.ca.gov

Federal Election Commission 1050 First Street, NE Washington, DC 20463 (800) 424-9530

#### **Fair Political Practices Commission**

# Filing Schedule for Candidates and Controlled Committees for Local Office Who Will be Voted Upon at the June 7, 2022 Election

Deadline	Period	Form	Notes
Jan 31, 2022 Semi-Annual	* – 12/31/21	<u>460</u>	<ul> <li>Each candidate listed on the ballot must file Form 460 or Form 470 (see below).</li> <li>If a candidate raised or spent less than \$2,000 during 2021, file Form 470 (see below).</li> </ul>
Within 24 Hours Contribution Reports	3/9/22 – 6/7/22	<u>497</u>	<ul> <li>File if a contribution of \$1,000 or more in the aggregate is received from a single source.</li> <li>File if a contribution of \$1,000 or more in the aggregate is made to or in connection with <i>another</i> candidate or measure being voted upon June 7, 2022.</li> <li>The recipient of a non-monetary contribution of \$1,000 or more in the aggregate must file a Form 497 within 48 hours from the time the contribution is received.</li> <li>File by personal delivery, e-mail, guaranteed overnight service, or fax. The committee may also file online, if available.</li> </ul>
Apr 28, 2022 1 <sup>st</sup> Pre-Election	1/1/22 - 4/23/22	460 or 470	Each candidate listed on the ballot must file Form 460 or Form 470 (see below).
May 26, 2022 2 <sup>nd</sup> Pre-Election	4/24/22 - 5/21/22	<u>460</u>	<ul> <li>All committees must file this statement.</li> <li>File by personal delivery or guaranteed overnight service. The committee may also file online, if available.</li> </ul>
Aug 1, 2022 Semi-Annual	5/22/22 - 6/30/22	<u>460</u>	• All committees must file Form 460 unless the committee filed termination Forms 410 and 460 before June 30, 2022.

#### **Additional Notes:**

- \*Period Covered: The period covered by any statement begins on the day after the closing date of the last statement filed, or January 1, if no previous statement has been filed.
- Local Ordinance: Always check on whether additional local rules apply.
- **Deadline Extensions:** Deadlines are extended when they fall on a Saturday, Sunday, or an official state holiday. This extension does not apply to a 24-Hour/10-Day Contribution Report (Form 497) that is due the weekend before the election, and this extension never applies to any 24-Hour/10-Day Independent Expenditure Report (Form 496). Such reports must be filed within 24 hours, regardless of the day of the week.
- **Method of Delivery:** All paper filings may be filed by first class mail unless otherwise noted. A paper copy of a statement may not be required if a local agency requires online filing pursuant to a local ordinance.
- Form 501: All candidates must file Form 501 (Candidate Intention Statement) before soliciting/receiving contributions.
- Form 460: Candidates who have raised/spent \$2,000 or more file the Form 460. The Form 410 (Statement of Organization) must also be filed once \$2,000 or more has been raised/spent.

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### **Fair Political Practices Commission**

- Form 470 (2021): Non-incumbent candidates who raised or spent less than \$2,000 during 2021 and did not have an open committee must file Form 470 by January 31, 2021.
- Form 470 (2022): Candidates who do not raise or spend \$2,000 or more (or anticipate raising or spending \$2,000 or more) in 2022 and do not have an open committee may file Form 470 on or before April 28, 2022. If, later during the calendar year, the candidate raises or spends \$2,000 or more, a Form 470 Supplement and a Form 410 must be filed.
- **Independent Expenditures:** Committees making independent expenditures totaling \$1,000 or more to support or oppose other candidates or ballot measures also file:
  - Form 496: This form is due within 24 hours if made in the 90-day, 24-hour reporting period of the candidate's or measure's election. Refer to the applicable filing schedule. Form 496 is filed with the filing officer in the jurisdiction of the affected candidate or measure.
  - Form 462: This verification form must be e-mailed to the FPPC within 10 days. Once the California Access Replacement System (CARS) system is
    live, this report will be eliminated, and the information captured on other reports.
- After the Election: Reporting requirements will depend on whether the candidate is successful and whether a campaign committee is open. See <u>Campaign</u> <u>Disclosure Manual 2</u> for additional information.
- Public Documents: All statements and reports are public documents.

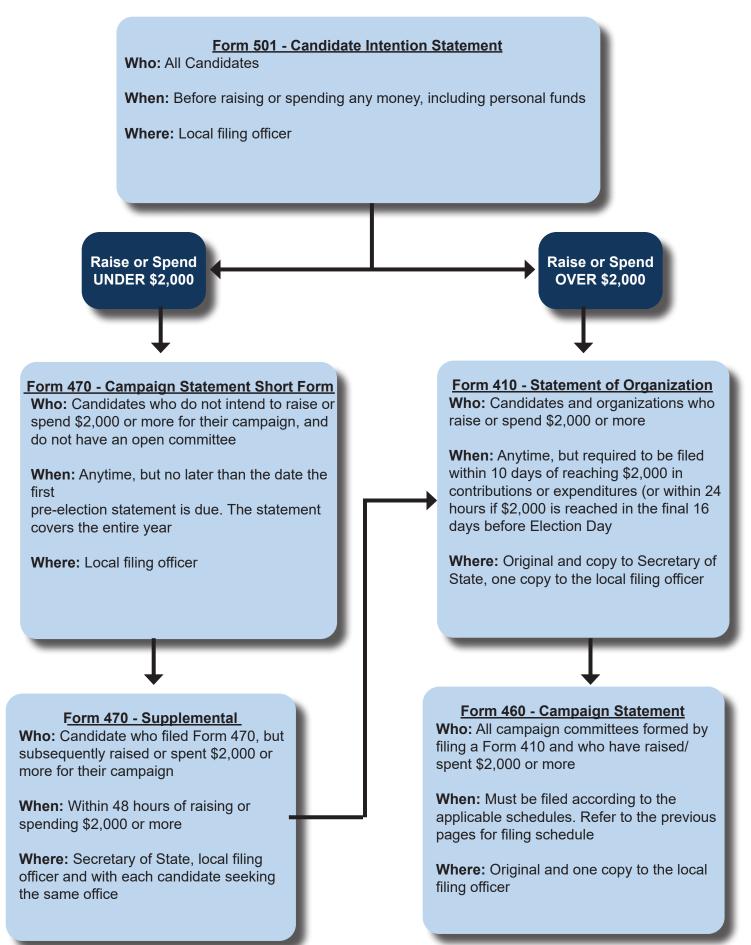
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Resources: Campaign manuals and other instructional materials are available on the Campaign Rules page. Or, visit fppc.ca.gov/> Learn > Campaign Rules.

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### **BASIC FILING GUIDELINES**



# **CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE FORMS**

What	This form is used when any individual, officeholder, candidate, group of individuals, organization, or any other entity receives contributions totaling \$2,000 or more during a calendar year.
	The name for all state and local committees established for an election held after January 1, 2009, must include the candidate's name, office sought and year of the election as part of the committee name. Example: "Smith for Name of District 20xx".
	Also, there will be a fee of \$50 payable to the Secretary of State upon filing of the form 410.

When The initial 410 Form can be filed prior to raising or spending \$2,000 and then amended within 10 days of reaching the \$2,000 threshold. The Secretary of State will issue the identification number for your campaign committee. Form 410 is filed with the Secretary of State in order to create a committee, to amend any information, and to terminate a committee.

**Where** The original and one copy with the Secretary of State's Political Reform Division and one copy with the County Elections Official.

**Who** All candidates who receive or spend \$2,000 or more on their campaign.

# Form 460 - Recipient Committee Campaign Statement

Form 410 - Statement of Organization

What	This form is used when any individual, officeholder, candidate, group of individuals, organization, or any other entity receives contributions totaling \$2,000 or more during a calendar year. The form identifies the name of the committee and provides public information regarding the committee's purpose.  Local candidates file this form with the County Elections Official only (not the Secretary of State)
When	Must be filed according to the applicable schedules.
Where	The original with the County Elections Official.
Who	All candidates who have filed Form 410 and have raised or spent \$2,000 or more in a calendar year.

## Form 470 - Candidate Campaign Statement (short form)

What	This form is used when a candidate does not have a controlled committee and does not anticipate raising or spending \$2,000 or more in a calendar year.
	Candidates who initially file the Form 470 and subsequently receive contributions or expenditures totaling \$2,000 or more are required to file a Form 470 supplement within 48 hours of reaching the \$2,000 limit.
When	Must be filed no later than the deadline for the first required campaign disclosure statement.
Where	The original with the County Elections Official.
Who	All candidates who do not plan on spending or raising more than \$2,000 on their campaign in a calendar year.

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# **CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE FORMS**

Form 49	Form 496 - 24-hour Independent Expenditure Report					
What	This form is used when State or local committees make an independent expenditure that total \$1,000 or more in the 90 days before an election.					
	Local candidates file this form with the County Elections Official only (not the Secretary of State)					
When	Must be filed within 24 hours from making the expenditure(s) of \$1,000 or more.					
Where	The form must be filed with the County Elections Official by fax, guaranteed overnight delivery, personal delivery, email or electronic submission.					
Who	All candidates who make an expenditure of \$1,000 or more in the 90 days before an election.					
Form 49	7 - 24-hour Contribution Report					
What	This form is used when State or local committees make or receive contributions that total in the aggregate \$1,000 or more in the 90 days before an election.					
	Local candidates file this form with the County Elections Official only (not the Secretary of State)					
When	Must be filed within 24 hours from the receipt of \$1,000 or more in aggregate from a single source or if you contribute \$1,000 or more to another candidate or committee.					
	If a non-monetary contribution is received in excess of \$1,000, the filing deadline is extended to 48 hours from receipt.					
Where	The form must be filed with the County Elections Official by fax, guaranteed overnight delivery, personal delivery, email or electronic submission.					
Who	All candidates who give or receive \$1,000 or more to or from a single source in the 90 days before an election.					
Form 50	1 - Candidate Intention Statement					
What	This form is used for declaring the formation of a financial campaign.					
When	Form 501 must be filed prior to the solicitation or receipt of any contribution or expenditure, including any personal funds, used for the election. A new form 501 must be filed for each election even if a candidate is running for re-election.					
Where	Local candidates file this form with the County Elections Official.					
	State candidates - The filing officer who receives the candidate's original campaign disclosure statements.					

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All candidates who intend to raise or spend money on behalf of their campaign.

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# **BALLOT ORDER OF CANDIDATES**

### **Randomized Alphabet Drawing**

The Secretary of State and county elections office shall conduct a drawing of letters of the alphabet, the result of which shall be known as a randomized alphabet drawing.

The county randomized alphabet drawing shall be used only to arrange the names of the candidates when the Assembly and Senate district includes more than one county.

# **Time/Date of Random Alphabet Drawing**

A drawing will take place for each election commencing at 11:00 a.m., 82 days before the election by Secretary of State and the county elections office.

### **Hyphenated Names**

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# **ELECTION ACTIVITIES**

#### **Ballot Return**

After the close of polls on election night, election activities focus on completing necessary procedures, forms and delivering voted ballots and supplies to the Ballot Receiving Centers from all the Vote Centers.

#### **Election Results**

Election results for Sacramento County will be available after the close of polls on Election Day, to candidates and the public on the department's website at <a href="https://www.elections.saccounty.gov">www.elections.saccounty.gov</a>.

On rare occasions, the government may extend the voting period after 8:00 p.m. delaying the initial release of results. If this occurs, a notice will be posted on our website providing details of the government's actions.

### **Tallying of Votes**

Sacramento County uses a central location for tallying votes. All ballots are tabulated in the Registrar of Voters' office located at 7000 65th Street, Suite A, Sacramento 95823. The tabulation is open to public viewing.

#### **Semiofficial Election Results**

Following election night, updated semiofficial results will be posted periodically, both at the elections office and on our website. The schedule of the release of semiofficial results can be obtained by calling (916) 875-6451 or by visiting our website.

### **Completion of Official Canvass**

A certified statement of election results must be completed within 30 days of the election.

### **Recounts and Challenges**

Following the completion of the official canvass, any voter may, within 5 days, file with the Registrar of Voters a written request for a recount of the votes cast. The request shall specify on behalf of which candidate or position on a measure it is filed. If the particular election is conducted in more than one county, the request for the recount may be filed with the elections official of, and the recount conducted within, any or all of the affected counties. Elections Code § 15620

Requests for recounts for statewide offices and propositions are filed with Secretary of State. Elections Code § 15621

Any voter or campaign committee requesting a recount is required to deposit the costs for recount each day before the counting board commences recount activity. The request may specify the order in which the precincts shall be recounted, and the method of recount. All recount activity shall be conducted publicly.

If the recount reverses the results of the official canvass, all deposits shall be returned. If the results are not reversed, the requestor shall be entitled to a return of funds in excess of the actual costs of conducting the recount. The requestor may terminate the recount at any time. Elections Code §§ 15620, 15621, 15624, 15627

Elections Code § 15640 addresses court-ordered recounts, grounds and probable cause, etc.

# **POLITICAL SIGNS**

# Section 5405.3 State Outdoor Advertising Act

The State Outdoor Advertising Act exempts the placing of Temporary Political Signs from normal outdoor advertising display requirements. State law directs the Department of Transportation to remove unauthorized Temporary Political Signs and bill the responsible party for their removal. Should you have any questions, comments or need additional information, please call (916) 654-6473.

You can find the Statement of Responsibility for Temporary Political Signs our website, <a href="https://www.elections.saccounty.gov">www.elections.saccounty.gov</a>

# **Sacramento County Zoning Regulations**

Section 335-03 of the Sacramento County Zoning Code specifies the regulations concerning political signs. More information can be found by visiting www.code-enforcement.saccountygov/Pages/Signs.aspx or by contacting the Planning Division of the Department of Community Development.

To file a complaint regarding political signs, call 3-1-1 or (916) 875-4311, or file an online report at <a href="https://www.311.saccounty.gov">www.311.saccounty.gov</a>

# **SERVICES AVAILABLE**

# Items available for purchase include:

- Voter Files
- Walking Lists
- Voting Activity Status Report (formerly the Vote By Mail Subscription)
- Precinct Lists
- Maps

To obtain any of the above mentioned items, please visit <u>www.elections.saccounty.gov</u>, and submit the Application to Access Voter Registation Information. Our office will contact you for payment once your request has been approved.

### **Notice to Candidates**

Vote Centers no longer include the printed Street Index. However, you may order a *Voting Activity Status Report (Election Day)*, and receive these updates electronically, free of charge.

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