

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that Sacramento County Employees' Retirement System will conduct a Member Election during the period of September 16 through September 27, 2024 for the purpose of electing to the Board of Retirement:

ONE SAFETY REPRESENTATIVE AND ONE ALTERNATE SAFETY REPRESENTATIVE

The term of office begins January 1, 2025, and ends December 31, 2027.

ELECTED BOARD MEMBERS: Safety members of SCERS include employees whose principal duties consist of active law enforcement, or active fire suppression, or who occupy positions designated by law as safety positions. The elected Safety Representative of the Board shall be the safety candidate from either active law enforcement or active fire suppression who receives the highest number of votes from safety members of SCERS. The elected Alternate Safety Representative of the Board shall be the safety candidate who received the highest number of votes who is from the group (law enforcement or fire suppression) not elected as the Safety Representative of the Board. For example, if the elected Safety Representative is from law enforcement, then the candidate from fire suppression with the highest number of votes will be the elected Alternate Safety Representative.

ELIGIBILITY: To be eligible to be a candidate or to vote in the election, you must be an active safety member of the Sacramento County Employees' Retirement System according to System records. Only safety members may be candidates and/or vote for a Safety or Alternate Safety Retirement Board Representative.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

July 22, 2024, 8 a.m.	First day to obtain candidate nomination papers.
August 2, 2024, 5 p.m.	Last day to file candidate nomination papers along with a candidate statement not exceeding 200 words.
September 16 to September 27, 2024	Voting period (by mail ballot); if using hand delivery or inter-office mail, it must be delivered to the Elections Office by 5:00 p.m. on September 27, 2024; if returning by US mail service it must be postmarked by September 27, 2024 and received by Elections Office by 5:00 p.m. October 4, 2024.
September 27, 2024, 5 p.m.	Last day to cast ballot/End of Voting Period.
October 8, 2024	Official results released.
January 1, 2025	Term of office begins.

CANDIDACY INFORMATION: Nomination papers and candidate statement forms may be obtained and filed at Voter Registration and Elections, 7000 65th Street, Suite A, Sacramento, CA 95823, Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Alternatively, they may be downloaded from www.elections.saccounty.gov and returned via email at voters-campaignservices@saccounty.gov. If a representative is delegated this responsibility, a specific letter of authorization signed by the candidate will be required.

Each candidate is allowed one 200-word statement of qualifications, which will be included in each member's voting material. This statement of qualifications is not verified or corrected by Voter Registration and Elections staff. It will be printed exactly as presented. Applicable policy for candidate statements can be found at www.elections.saccounty.gov.

For more information regarding the Retirement Board election, visit the Sacramento County Employees' Retirement System website at www.scers.org or call (916) 874-9119. For information regarding candidate filing or casting your ballot, call Vote by Mail at Voter Registration and Elections at (916) 875-6155.

NOTE: This notice only applies to active safety members of the Sacramento County Employees' Retirement System.