

Presidential General Election – Tuesday, November 3, 2020

County of Stanislaus – Registrar of Voters (ROV)

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<p style="text-align: center;">Prior to Soliciting or Accepting Contributions for Campaign Purposes</p>	<p>All candidates must file FPPC Form 501 – Candidate Intention Statement Form 501 must be filed with the appropriate filing officer before soliciting or accepting contributions to a campaign. GC 85200</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Click Here For FPPC Filing Schedule</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">See Last Page For Measure Consolidation Calendar</p>	<p>Governing Bodies Requesting Measure Consolidation Pursuant to EC 10403, measure resolutions are to be submitted to the Board of Supervisors requesting consolidation with this election by E-88; however, the ROV has <u>administrative deadlines</u> necessary to meet vendor and print deadlines.</p> <p>See attached <i>Measure Consolidation Calendar</i> for ROV administrative deadlines.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">SATURDAY June 27 9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.</p>	<p>Candidate Workshop The Stanislaus County Registrar of Voters is conducting a free workshop intended to provide prospective candidates with an overview of the candidacy filing process. Topics will include Fair Political Practices Commission filing requirements, candidacy forms, candidate statement of qualifications and filing deadlines.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Workshop to be held via virtual conference. Contact Candidate Services by phone or email to RSVP and request email conference access information.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Contact Candidate Services at (209) 525-5237 or Stanvote@stancounty.com and provide name, phone and email address to RSVP for this workshop.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">June 29 – July 13 (E-127 to E-113)</p>	<p>Municipal Notice of Election Publication For cities consolidating with this election, the city clerk shall publish the Notice of Election between these dates. This notice shall contain the date of the election, polling hours, any offices to be filled and / or measures to be voted on, the qualifications required for each office, location where declaration of candidacy forms will be available, where the forms are to be filed and the deadline for filing these forms. EC 12101, 12111</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">July 1 (E-125)</p>	<p>District Office Confirmation and Boundary Lines Form Districts consolidating with this election must complete and return the district confirmation of offices and boundary lines form by E-125. EC 10509</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">July 3 (E-123)</p>	<p>Specifications of the Election Order School boards to deliver this document to the county superintendent of schools and the county elections official. ED Code 5322</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">July 6 – August 5 (E-120 to E-90)</p>	<p>County Notice of Election Publication The county elections official shall publish a notice of election between these dates. The notice shall contain the date of the election, name of the offices for which candidates may file, state the qualifications required for each office, location where declaration of candidacy forms will be available, where the forms are to be filed and the deadline for filing these forms. EC 12112</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">July 12 (E-114)</p>	<p>Municipal Calling of Special Election to Fill Vacancy Last date for a city council to call a special election to fill a vacancy on the next regularly established election date, to be held not less than 114 days from the call of the election. If the election is not called by this date, the vacancy cannot go to election on this established election date. GC 36512 (b)</p>

<p>IMPORTANT NOTICE: Due to COVID-19 social distancing guidelines, candidate filing is by APPOINTMENT ONLY. Appointment scheduling begins on July 1 by calling 209-525-5201. Candidates are encouraged to call as early as possible to ensure candidacy nomination paperwork is completed prior to the filing deadline.</p> <p>Candidate Filing Period July 13 – August 7 (E-113 to E-88)</p>	<p>Candidate Nomination Period – ALL CANDIDATES All candidates, including incumbents, must file nomination documents with the appropriate elections official during this period. If applicable, a <u>nonrefundable filing fee</u> (money, signatures or a prorated combination of both) shall be paid at the time the candidate obtains nomination forms. EC 8040-8041, 8060-8070, 8100-8107, 8800-8811</p> <p>Optional Candidate Statement of Qualifications Submittal Deadline All candidates who choose to include a Candidate Statement of Qualifications in the Stanislaus County Voter Information Guide must submit their statement and pay the required deposit prior to the close of the nomination period. Once filed, statements may not be changed but may be withdrawn up until 5:00 p.m. of the next business day after the close of the nomination period. EC 13307-13308</p> <p>Form 700 Candidate Statement of Economic Interest Filing deadline for candidates who have not submitted a Form 700 within the previous 60 days. U.S. Senate, congressional and central committee candidates are exempt. GC 87100-87314</p>
<p>July 28 (E-98)</p>	<p>Ballot Designation Change Deadline Last day that a candidate can submit a written request to change the ballot designation as used in the primary election. EC 13107(e)</p>
<p>August 5 – November 3 (E-90 to E)</p>	<p>Late Contributions and Independent Expenditures of \$1,000 or More Within 24 hours of the transaction, FPPC Form 462, Form 496 or Form 497 must be filed with the appropriate filing officer. GC 82036, 82036.5, 84200.6</p>
<p>August 7 5:00 p.m. (E-88)</p>	<p>Close of Candidate Nomination Period Candidate nomination documents are due. Incumbents who wish to file as a candidate for their own office must file by this date. Last day to withdraw Declaration of Candidacy papers except when there is an extension to that office. Form 700 Statements of Economic Interest are due. EC 8020, 8022, GC 87200</p>
<p>August 8 – August 17 (E-87 to E-78)</p>	<p>10-day Public Examination Period for Statement of Qualifications Public examination period for offices that close during the nomination period. Any voter of the jurisdiction or the county elections official may file a writ of mandate or an injunction requiring any or all of the materials to be amended or deleted. EC 13313</p>
<p>August 8 – August 12 (E-87 to E-83)</p>	<p>Candidate Nomination Extension Period – If Applicable For anyone other than the incumbent <u>if</u> the incumbent did not file by E-88. This provision does not apply if there is no eligible incumbent to be elected or if the incumbent has met a term limit. EC 8022, 8024, 8204, 10225, 10407, 10516, 10604</p>
<p>August 12 (E-83)</p>	<p>Unopposed Superior Court Judge Write-In Campaign Deadline Last day to file a petition indicating that a write-in campaign will be conducted against an unopposed incumbent superior court judicial candidate who has filed nomination petitions. The petition must be signed by at least 0.1% (at least 100 but no more than 600) qualified registered voters. Once the petition is complete, write-in candidates must file their write-in statement and nomination petitions between E-57 and E-14. EC 8203, 8600-8606</p>
<p>August 13 – August 22 (E-82 to E-73)</p>	<p>10-day Public Examination Period for Statement of Qualifications Public examination period for offices that close during an <u>extended</u> nomination period. Any voter of the jurisdiction or the county elections official may seek a writ of mandate or an injunction requiring any or all of the materials to be amended or deleted. The writ of mandate or injunction must be filed no later than the end of this period. EC 13313</p>
<p>August 13 11:00 a.m. (E-82)</p>	<p>Randomized Alphabet Drawing Conducted by the Secretary of State to determine candidate name order as it will appear on the ballot. The county elections official will also hold a drawing at 11:00 a.m. for multi-county legislative offices. EC 13112</p>

September 4 – September 19 (E-60 to E-45)	Military / Overseas Vote by Mail Ballots Mailing and processing period for military and overseas voters. EC 300, 3101-3206
September 7 – October 20 (E-57 to E-14)	Write-In Candidacy Statement of Write-In Candidacy must be filed with the county elections official to be a qualified write-in candidate for offices appearing on the ballot. Write-in candidates are not allowed for a voter nominated office at a general election. EC 8600-8606
September 24 – October 13 (E-40 to E-21)	County Voter Information Guide Mailed by the county elections official to each registered voter. EC 13303
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October 5 – October 27 (E-29 to E-7)	Vote by Mail Ballots Mailing and processing period for vote by mail ballots. Ballots will be available at the county elections office. EC 3001
October 19 (E-15)	15-Day Close of Registration Last day to register for this election. Postmarks, DMV submissions and elections office delivery/drop off are acceptable.
October 20 – November 3 (E-14 to E)	Conditional Registration Period Eligible persons who missed the 15-day close of registration may appear in person at the county elections official's office, satellite office or election day poll and register to vote provisionally for this election. EC 2170
October 27 (E-7)	Last Day to Request Vote by Mail Ballot
October 28 – November 3 (E-6 to E)	Special 7-Day Ballots Available Available at the county elections official's office for those voters unable to vote at the polls on Election Day. EC 3021
November 3 (E)	ELECTION DAY Polls are open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. EC 1000, 14212
November 5 (E+2)	1% Manual Tally - Random Draw for Selection of Precincts Conducted at the county elections office. Precincts selected at random will be included in the 1% manual tally to verify accuracy of vote tabulation machines. EC 15360
November 5 – December 3 (E+2 to E+30)	Official Canvass of the Vote The official canvass of precinct returns shall commence and be completed during this time. The county elections official shall prepare a certified statement of the results and submit it to the governing bodies consolidated with this election. EC 15301, 15372
December 4	Elected and Appointed Special District Officials Will Take Office At noon on the first Friday in December following this election. EC 10554
December 11	Elected and Appointed School District Officials Will Take Office Governing board members of a school district or community college district take office on the second Friday of December. Ed Code 1007, 1009, 5017

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Measure Consolidation Calendar

County, Municipal, School and Special District Measures Presidential General Election – November 3, 2020

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July 6 (E-120)	<p>Consolidation of a Measure with the Presidential General Election Deadline to submit resolution requesting consolidation to the Board of Supervisors (BOS) to be calendared for the July 14, 2020 BOS meeting. Resolution to include: request for ROV to provide services, ballot question (75 word limit), passage requirement, “Full Text” of measure and instruction to include or exclude printing the “Full Text” in County Voter Information Guide, Tax Rate Statement (if applicable) and Fiscal Impact Report (if applicable). File resolution requesting consolidation with both the BOS and the ROV. EC 9140, 9160, 9222, 9280, 9313, 10002, 10403</p>
July 14	<p>Board of Supervisors Meeting Calendar date for BOS to approve consolidation.</p>
July 15 (E-111)	<p>Publication For Special District, School District and County Measures, the county elections official shall publish a notice that includes the election date, election location, ballot question, passage requirement, and argument and rebuttal deadlines. EC 9163</p> <p>For Municipal Measures, the city clerk shall publish a public notice including the election date, election location, ballot question, passage requirement, and argument and rebuttal deadlines. EC 9205</p> <p>For Municipal Measures, the city clerk shall publish a synopsis of the measure at least one time not later than one week before the election in a newspaper of general circulation in the city. EC 12111</p>
July 23 (E-103)	<p>Filing Deadline: Arguments For and Against (300 Word Limit) 10-Day Public Examination Period: July 24 – August 2 GC 57146; EC 9162, 9282, 9315</p>
July 31 (E-95)	<p>Filing Deadline: Rebuttals to Arguments For and Against (250 Word Limit) 10-Day Public Examination Period: August 1 – August 10 EC 9167, 9285, 9286, 9317</p>
July 31 (E-95)	<p>Filing Deadline: County Counsel / City Attorney Impartial Analysis (500 Word Limit) 10-Day Public Examination Period: August 1 – August 10 EC 9160, 9280, 9313, 9314, 9500</p>
November 3, 2020	<p>ELECTION DAY Polls are open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. EC 1000, 14212</p>

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