

Gubernatorial General Election – Tuesday, November 6, 2018

County of Stanislaus – Registrar of Voters (ROV)

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Prior to Soliciting or Accepting Contributions for Campaign Purposes	<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 their campaign. GC 85200</p>
See Attached Measure Consolidation Calendar	<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 Registrar of Voters has <u>administrative deadlines</u> necessary to meet vendor and print deadlines. See attached <i>Measure Consolidation Calendar</i> for ROV administrative deadlines.</p>
July 2 – July 16 (E-127 to E-113)	<p>Municipal Notice of Election 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>
July 6 (E-123)	<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>
July 9 – August 8 (E-120 to E-90)	<p>County Notice of Election 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>
July 15 (E-114)	<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>
July 16 – August 10 (E-113 to E-88)	<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 opt to include a Candidate Statement of Qualifications in the county voter information guide provided to voters by the Stanislaus County Registrar of Voters office must submit a statement and pay the deposit when the candidate's Declaration of Candidacy is 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>
July 31	<p>FPPC Semiannual Campaign Statement Due For period covering 1/1/18 – 6/30/18. GC 84200, 84218</p>

<p align="center">July 31 (E-98)</p>	<p>Ballot Designation Change Deadline Last day that a candidate can submit a written request to change their ballot designation as used in the primary election. EC 13107(e)</p>
<p align="center">August 8 – November 6 (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 align="center">August 10 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 align="center">August 11 – August 20 (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 align="center">August 11 – August 15 (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 align="center">August 15 (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 align="center">August 16 – August 25 (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 extended 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 align="center">August 16 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>
<p align="center">September 7 – September 22 (E-60 to E-45)</p>	<p>Military / Overseas Vote by Mail Ballots Mailing and processing period for military and overseas voters. EC 300, 3101-3206</p>
<p align="center">September 10 – October 23 (E-57 to E-14)</p>	<p>Write-In Candidacy Statement of Write-in Candidacy and Nomination Petitions must be filed with the county elections official to be a qualified write-in candidate for offices appearing on the ballot. A person may not be a write-in candidate for a Voter Nominated office at a general election. EC 8600-8606</p>
<p align="center">September 27 – October 16 (E-40 to E-21)</p>	<p>County Voter Information Guide Mailed by the county elections official to each registered voter. EC 13303</p>
<p align="center">September 29 – October 16 (E-40 to E-21)</p>	<p>State Voter Information Guide Mailed by the Secretary of State to each household in which voters were registered by E-60. EC 9094</p>

September 27	1st Pre-Election Campaign Statement For period covering 7/1/18 – 9/22/18. GC 84200.8(a)
October 8 – October 30 (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 22 (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 23 – November 6 (E-14 to E)	Conditional Registration Period Eligible persons who missed the 15 day close of registration may appear in person at the county election official's office and register to vote provisionally for this election. EC 2170
October 25	2nd FPPC Pre-Election Campaign Statement Due For period covering 9/23/18 – 10/20/18. GC 84200.8(a)
October 30 (E-7)	Last Day to Request Vote by Mail Ballot
October 31 – November 6 (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 6 (E)	ELECTION DAY Polls are open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. EC 1000, 14212
November 8 – December 6 (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
January 31, 2019	FPPC Semiannual Campaign Statement Due For period covering 10/21/18 – 12/31/18. GC 84200, 84218

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, whenever a date prescribed by law falls on a weekend or holiday, such act may be performed on the next business day. EC 15; GC 6700, 6701, 6707

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Measure Consolidation Calendar

County, Municipal, School and Special District Measures Gubernatorial General Election – November 6, 2018

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These dates reflect Stanislaus County Registrar of Voters (ROV) administrative deadlines

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July 5 (E-124)	<p>Consolidation of a Measure with the Gubernatorial General Election Submit resolution requesting consolidation to the Board of Supervisors (BOS) to be calendared for the July 17, 2018 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 “Full Text” in County Voter Information Guide, Tax Rate Statement (if applicable) and Fiscal Impact Report (if applicable). File resolution requesting consolidation with BOS and a copy of the request with the ROV. EC 9140, 9160, 9222, 9280, 9313, 10002, 10403</p>
July 17	<p>Board of Supervisors Meeting Calendar date for BOS to approve consolidation.</p>
July 18 (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 24 (E-105)	<p>Deadline: Arguments For and Against 300 word limit for arguments GC 57146; EC 9162, 9282, 9315</p>
July 31 (E-98)	<p>Deadline: Rebuttals to Arguments For and Against 250 word limit for rebuttal arguments EC 9167, 9285, 9286, 9317</p>
July 31 (E-98)	<p>Deadline: County Counsel / City Attorney Impartial Analysis 500 word limit EC 9160, 9280, 9313, 9314, 9500</p>
August 1 – August 10 (E-97 to E-88)	<p>10-Day Public Examination Period Copies of the measure, impartial analysis, full text and arguments are made available to the public for inspection. Any voter of the jurisdiction may seek a writ of mandate or injunction requiring any or all of the materials to be amended or deleted. EC 9190, 9286, 9295, 9380</p>
November 6, 2018	<p>ELECTION DAY Polls are open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. EC 1000, 14212</p>

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