

## **ELECTION CALENDAR General Election November 4, 2014**

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All references are to the California Elections Code unless otherwise noted.

## Calendar Key:

An **asterisk** (\*) next to the date indicates the legal date falls on a holiday or weekend. County offices will be closed. The date listed will be the next working day.

A **double asterisk (\*\*)** next to the date indicates the legal date falls on a holiday or weekend when county offices will be closed, but the <u>deadline will NOT move</u> to the next working day.

"E" stands for Election Day, November 4, 2014. The minus sign and the number after "E -" indicates the number of days until the election. The plus sign and the number after "E +" indicate the number of days after the election.

For example: "E-29" means 29 days <u>before</u> the election, while "E+28" means 28 days after the election.

<u>EARLY suggested deadlines</u> are provided in the calendar below for jurisdictions that can meet them. These early deadlines are necessary in order for the Solano County Elections Department to meet printing and mailing schedules.

FINAL deadlines are noted as such.

Thank you for your cooperation.

1 0 0044	COVERNORIO PROGLAMATION, IRCHANGE
June 9, 2014	GOVERNOR'S PROCLAMATION – ISSUANCE
(E-148)	On this day, the Governor shall issue a proclamation calling for a general election.
	§ 12000
June 17, 2014	AMENDED CANDIDATE INTENTION STATEMENT
(E-140)	Last day to file an amended Candidate Intention Statement (Form 501) to accept the expenditure ceiling for the General Election if the voluntary expenditure ceiling is rejected in the primary election, but not exceeded during that election. The filing of an amended Form 501 allows State Senate and Assembly candidates to qualify to purchase space for a 250-word candidate statement in the official sample ballot(s) of the county or counties in their jurisdiction.
	Govt. Code §§ 85200, 85400, 85401, 85600, 85601
June 26, 2014 to July 16, 2014	CANDIDATE STATEMENTS IN THE STATE VOTER INFORMATION GUIDE – STATEWIDE ELECTIVE OFFICE
(E-131 to E-111)  (Dates designated by the Secretary of State)	Between these dates, statewide constitutional office candidates may purchase a space for a 250-word candidate statement in the official state voter information guide.  Candidates for statewide constitutional office may purchase space for a candidate statement only if they have agreed to voluntary expenditure limits.
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June 30, 2014 to July 14, 2014 (E-127 to E-113)	CITIES PUBLISH ELECTION NOTICE  The City Clerk shall publish a Notice of Election in the city pursuant to Govt. Code § 6061 to include (a) the date and polling hours of the election and (b) the offices to be filled, specifying full term or short term, as the case may be.
	§ 12101, 12102
	The City Clerk shall consolidate the notice of election and the notice of measure to be voted on into one notice if the measure was placed on the ballot before the notice of election is published pursuant to §§ 12101, 12111 (b)
	This is a one-time publication in a newspaper of general circulation. If no such newspaper is published and circulated in the city, the notice must be posted conspicuously in at least three public places in the city.
	§ 12101

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July 2, 2014 (E-125)	SPECIAL DISTRICTS & CITIES DELIVER NOTICE OF ELECTION TO THE ELECTIONS OFFICE  Last day for district secretaries and City Clerks to deliver a Notice of Election listing the elective offices to be filled and any measure (if known at the time) to be voted on and to deliver a map of the district or city to the Registrar of Voters office. Cities and special districts should include in the notice how a tie vote will be resolved.  §§ 10509, 10522, 10524, 15651
July 4, 2014** (E-123)	SCHOOLS TO DELIVER SPECIFICATIONS OF THE ELECTION ORDER TO THE ELECTIONS OFFICE  Last day for a school board to deliver a resolution known as the "Specifications of the Election Order" and file it with the County Superintendent of Schools and the Registrar of Voters office, stating the date and purpose of the election and includes how a tie vote will be resolved.  Ed. Code §§ 5322, 5016
July 7, 2014 to August 6, 2014 (E-120 to E-90)	NOTICE OF ELECTION PUBLICATION  Between these dates the county elections official, as a matter of policy, will publish a Notice of Election containing the date of the election, the offices to be filled and where nomination and candidacy papers are available, and the deadline for filing Declarations of Candidacy. The Notice of Central Counting Place may be combined with this notice.  § 12112
July 14, 2014 to August 8, 2014 (E-113 to E-88)	CANDIDATE STATEMENTS FOR COUNTY AND SCHOOL DISTRICT CANDIDATES IN THE COUNTY SAMPLE BALLOT  Between these dates, candidates may prepare a statement of their qualifications, not to exceed 200 words, to be included in the official county sample ballot. The statement shall be paid for at the time it is filed. Obtain cost information from the Registrar of Voters Office.  § 13307
July 14, 2014 to August 8, 2014 (E-113 to E-88)	CANDIDATE STATEMENTS FOR STATE CANDIDATES IN THE COUNTY OFFICIAL SAMPLE BALLOT  Between these dates, candidates for United States House of Representatives, State Senate and Assembly may purchase space for a 250-word candidate statement in the voter information portion of the official sample ballot(s) Candidates for State Senate and Assembly may purchase statement space only if they have agreed to voluntary expenditure limits.  Govt. Code § 85601(c); § 13307.5

July 14, 2014 to August 8, 2014	CANDIDATE NOMINATION PERIOD
(E-113 to E-88)	Between these dates is the filing period for candidates running for office. Forms are obtained from and filed with the Registrar of Voters office.
	Anyone who will be running for city offices must file with the City Clerk.
	§§ 10510, 13307, 13311
July 16, 2014	EARLY DATE TO SUBMIT RESOLUTIONS FOR MEASURES
(E-111)	Early date to submit resolutions and measure text to the Registrar of Voters office.  This date is recommended because of the printer's deadlines. (Suggested date)
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July 16, 2014	CANDIDATE STATEMENTS – STATEWIDE CANDIDATES ONLY
(E-111)	Last day that a candidate's statement for publication in the state Voter Information Guide will be accepted by the Secretary of State.
(Date designated by Secretary of State)	Govt. Code § 85601(a); Elec. Code § 9084(i)
July 17, 2014 to August 15, 2014	DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY – SUPREME AND APPELLATE COURT JUSTICES
(E-110 to E-81)	Between these dates, each Justice of the Supreme and Appellate Court who must stand for retention at the General Election may file a Declaration of Candidacy with the Secretary of State. The nonrefundable filing fee must be paid at the time the Declaration
(Dates fixed by law)	of Candidacy is filed.
	Cal. Const., Art. VI, § 16; Elec. Code §§ 8103, 8105, 8201
July 29, 2014	CHANGE OF CANDIDATE'S DESIGNATION ON BALLOT
(E-98)	The last day that any candidate may request in writing a different ballot designation that was used at the Primary Election. This request should be made to <b>both</b> the Secretary of State and the Registrar of Voters office.
	Cal. Code Reg., tit. 2, § 20711(e), Elec. Code § 13107(e)
July 31, 2014	CAMPAIGN FINANCIAL STATEMENT – SEMIANNUAL
(E-96) (Date fixed by law)	Last day to file semiannual campaign statements for all candidates, and committees, receiving contributions or making expenditures <b>between January 1</b> , <b>2014</b> and <b>June 30</b> , <b>2014</b> .
(Sate into by latt)	Govt. Code §§ 84200, 84218

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July 31, 2014	SUPPLEMENTAL INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE REPORT (SIER)
(E-96) (Date fixed by law)	Candidates or committees making independent expenditures of \$1,000 or more in a calendar year to support or oppose a candidate or measure shall file independent expenditure reports as if it were formed or existing primarily to support or oppose the candidate or measure.
	Govt. Code §§ 84203.5, 85501
August 6, 2014 to November 3, 2014	24-HR. PAYMENT REPORT (SLATE MAILER ORGANIZATIONS)  During the 90 days immediately before an election, each slate mailer organization that
(E-90 to E-1)	receives a payment of \$2,500 or more for the purpose of supporting or opposing any candidate or measure in a slate mailer must report the payment within 24 hours to the Secretary of State's office by online or electronic transmission only. Payments may be reported on Slate Mailer Late Payment Report (Form 498).
	Govt. Code §§ 84203, 84220, 85204
August 6, 2014 to November 4, 2014	24 HOUR CONTRIBUTION REPORT  File form 497 within 24 hour of receiving or making contribution(s) of \$1000 or more for:
(E-90 to E)	<ul> <li>State and local committees making or receiving contribution(s) that total in the sum of \$1000 or more in the 90 days before an election.</li> <li>Committees reporting contributions of \$5000 or more in connection with a state ballot measure.</li> <li>State candidates and state ballot measure committees that receive \$5000 or more at any time other than a 90-day election cycle.</li> <li>File Form 497 by fax, guaranteed overnight delivery, or personal delivery. Regular mail may not be used. Online/electronic filing may be required.</li> <li>Govt. Code §§ 82036, 84203, 84203.3, 85204, 85309</li> </ul>
August 6, 2014 to November 4, 2014	24-HR INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE REPORT
(E-90 to E)	Independent expenditures that total in the sum of \$1000 or more to support or oppose a single candidate for elective local office or a single local ballot measure must be reported as 24-hour independent expenditures during the 90 days immediately preceding the election in which the candidate or measure will be voted on.
	File Form 496 within 24 hours of making the independent expenditures(s).
	File Form 496 by fax, guaranteed overnight delivery, or personal delivery. Regular mail may not be used. Online/electronic filing may be required.
	Govt. Code §§ 82036.5, 84204, 85204

August 8, 2014	TAX RATE STATEMENT FILING DEADLINE
(E-88)	This is the deadline for filing a Tax Rate Statement for any bond measure appearing on the November ballot.
	§ 9401
August 8, 2014	LAST DAY TO FILE A REQUEST FOR CONSOLIDATION
@ 5:00 p.m. (E-88)	Last day for any local governing body to file with the Board of Supervisors a resolution requesting consolidation of a local election for candidates and/or measures to be voted on. A copy of the resolution must also be filed with the Registrar of Voters on or before this date.
	Earlier filing dates are encouraged in order to meet printing schedules.
	The request for consolidation shall describe the exact form of any question, proposition, or office to be voted on, as it is to appear on the ballot.
	§§ 10401-10403
August 8, 2014	CANDIDATE'S STATEMENT – STATE CANDIDATES
(E-88) FINAL	Last day candidates for candidates of the United States House of Representatives, State Senate and State Assembly may purchase space for a 250-word candidate statement in the official sample ballot of the county or counties in their jurisdiction. For State Senate and State Assembly office, the purchase may only be made if they have agreed to accept the voluntary expenditure limits.
	Gov. Code § 85601 (c); Elec. Code § 13307.5
August 8, 2014	CANDIDATE'S STATEMENT – COUNTY NOMINEES WHO WILL RUNOFF IN THE
(E-88)	GENERAL ELECTION
FINAL	Last day county office candidates may prepare a statement of qualifications, not to exceed 200 words, to be included in the official county sample ballot. The statement shall be filed and paid for at the same time it is filed. Obtain cost information from the Registrar of Voters office.
	§ 13307
August 9, 2014* to	EXTENTION OF NOMINATION PERIOD
August 13, 2014 (E-87 to E-83)	Extension period for anyone other than the incumbent to file a Declaration of Candidacy and Nomination Petition if the incumbent did not file by August 8. This provision does not apply if there is no incumbent or if there is a vacancy.
	§§ 8022, 8024

August 13, 2014	POLITICAL PARTY ENDORSEMENTS
(E-83)	Last day for any qualified political party to submit to the Registrar of Voters office a list of all candidates for voter-nominated office who will appear on any ballot in Solano County, and who have been endorsed by the party. The Registrar of Voters office will print this list in the official county sample ballot.
	§ 13302(b)
Aug 13, 2014	INSUFFICIENT NOMINEES – SCHOOLS / COUNTY BOARDS OF EDUCATION
(E-83)	If by 5:00 p.m. on this day, only one person has been nominated or there are no nominees for the office(s) to be filled or in the case of members elected at large or by trustee areas, there are less candidates than the number to be elected, and no petition is signed by 10% or 50 voters (whichever is the smaller number), an appointment will be made. The qualified person nominated shall be seated at the organizational meeting of the board, or, if not enough candidates is nominated, the governing board shall appoint a candidate(s) at a meeting prior to Election Day. The person(s) appointed shall be seated at the organizational meeting as if they had been elected.
	In the event no one is nominated, the governing board shall publish a notice one time in a newspaper of general circulation in the district stating that the board intends to make an appointment and informing the public how to apply for the office.
	Ed. Code §§ 5326, 5328, 5328.5
Aug 13, 2014	INSUFFICIENT NOMINEES – CITIES
(E-83)	If by this day (or the 88th day before the election, if there is no extension), there are no nominees or only one nominee for city office, the city council may decide to fill the office by appointment or proceed with the election.
	Prior to the city council's action, the City Clerk must publish a one-time notice of the facts and options under Elec. Code §10229. The council may not make an appointment until five days after this publication.
	If no appointment is made by the 75th day, Aug 21, 2014, before the election is held. If any citywide office or measure is on the ballot, the election is held regardless of insufficient nominees. Candidates will remain on the ballot.
	§10229
August 14, 2014	RANDOMIZED ALPHABET DRAWING
@ 11:00 a.m. (E-82)	On this day, the Secretary of State will conduct the randomized alphabet drawing to determine the order in which the candidates will appear on the General Election ballot and send the results to the county elections officials.
	On this same day, the Registrar of Voters office will conduct a randomized alphabet drawing for the offices of State Senate and Assembly.
	§ 13112 (b) (1) (C)

DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY – SUPREME AND APPELLATE COURT JUSTICES
The last day for each Justice of the Supreme or Appellate Court who must stand for retention at the General Election to file with the Secretary of State a declaration of candidacy and pay the nonrefundable filing fee.
Cal. Const. Art. VI, § 16; Elec. Code §§ 8103, 8105, 8201
ARGUMENTS DUE FOR BALLOT MEASURES
Deadline to submit arguments for or against any measure to be included in the sample ballot for the November general election.
§ 9162, 9163
NOTICE TO CANDIDATES FROM THE SOS
On or before this day, the Secretary of State is responsible for notifying each candidate for voter-nominated office of the names, addresses, offices, ballot designations, and party preferences of all other persons whose names are to appear on the General Election ballot.
§ 8147.5
DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF REBUTTALS AND ANALYSES FOR BALLOT MEASURES
Deadline for proponents and opponents to submit rebuttal arguments based on 81-day deadline for direct arguments. (250 word limit)
§ 9167
County Counsel to submit analyses for county and school/special district measures.
City attorney to submit analyses of city measures. (500 word limit)
§§ 9160, 9313, 9280
County Auditor, if previously directed by the Board of Supervisors, to submit fiscal analysis of measures. (500 word limit)
§ 9160

August 25, 2014 to September 4, 2014	10-DAY PUBLIC INSPECTION FOR ARGUMENTS, REBUTTALS AND ANALYSES FOR MEASURES
(E-71 – E-61) FINAL	10-day public inspection of arguments, analysis, rebuttals, and ballot materials for measures. Documents will be on public display at the Solano County Registrar of Voters office at 675 Texas St, Suite 2600, Fairfield. Any person may obtain a copy of the materials for a fee not to go beyond the actual cost incurred by the county to provide them.
	During this period, any voter of the jurisdiction or the Registrar of Voters office may seek a writ of mandate or an injunction requiring any or all of the materials to be amended or deleted.
	§§ 9190, 9380
August 28, 2014	CERTIFIED LIST OF CANDIDATES AND ROTATION LIST
(E-68)	Last day for the Secretary of State to certify and send to each county elections official a list by public office showing the name, party preference (or lack of party preference), and ballot designation of every person who has received the nomination as a candidate for public office and is entitled to receive votes within the county at the General Election.
	By this day, the Secretary of State will also provide to county elections officials a list of candidates for each county arranged according to the randomized alphabet drawn on August 14, 2014 (E-82).
	§§ 8148, 8149, 13111
August 28, 2014	DEATH OF A CANDIDATE FOR NONPARTISAN OFFICE – NAME ON BALLOT
(E-68)	Last day for the county elections official to remove the name of a deceased candidate for nonpartisan office from the General Election ballot.
	§§ 8803, 8810
August 28, 2014	FILLING VACANCY ON BALLOT – NONPARTISAN OFFICE
(E-68)	No vacancy on the ballot for the General Election shall be filled except by reason of the death of a candidate for nonpartisan office occurring on or before this day.
	8803
September 5, 2014	MILITARY OR OVERSEAS VOTER BALLOT APPLICATIONS
(E-60)	This is the first day the Registrar of Voters office may process applications for military or overseas voter ballots. Any applications received prior to this day are to be kept and processed on or after this date. If the applicant is not a resident of Solano County, the application will be forwarded immediately to the proper county.
	<b>NOTE</b> : A request for a vote-by-mail ballot from a military or overseas voter will be deemed an affidavit of registration and an application for permanent vote-by-mail status.
	§§ 300(b), 321, 3102, 3105

September 5, 2014 to September 15, 2014	REPORT OF REGISTRATION – 60-DAY COUNTY REPORT
(E-60 to E-50)	Period in which county elections officials shall send to the Secretary of State a summary statement showing the number of registered voters in their counties, by political party preference and each political subdivision thereof. This statement is based on the number of persons registered as of September 5, 2014 (E-60).
	§§ 2187(a), (c) & (d) (5)
September 8, 2014 to October 21, 2014	STATEMENT OF WRITE-IN CANDIDACY AND NOMINATION PAPERS FOR NONPARTISAN OFFICE ONLY
(E-57 to E-14)	During this period all write-in candidates must file their statement of write-in candidacy and nomination papers with the Registrar of Voters office. There is no filing fee for write-in candidates.
	§§ 8140, 8600, 8601
September 15, 2014	REPORT OF REGISTRATION – 60-DAY COUNTY REPORT SUMMARIES DUE
(E-50)	By this date, the Registrar of Voters office will send to the Secretary of State a summary statement showing the number of registered voters in the county as of September 5, 2014 (E-60).
	§§ 2187(a), (c) & (d) (5)
September 15, 2014	CANDIDATE NOMINATION – SUPREME AND APPELLATE COURTS
(E-50) (Date fixed by law)	The last day for the Governor to nominate a candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court or Justice of the Court of Appeal when an incumbent justice who was to have stood for confirmation at the General Election did not file his or her declaration of candidacy with the Secretary of State.
	Cal. Const. Art. VI, § 16(d)
September 20, 2014**	LAST DAY FOR BALLOTS FOR MILITARY OR OVERSEAS VOTERS
(E-45) (Date fixed by law)	This is the last day for the Registrar of Voters office to mail out ballots to absent military or overseas voters.
September 25, 2014 to	STATE VOTER INFORMATION GUIDE MAILING
October 14, 2014 (E-40 to E-21)	Between these dates, the Secretary of State is responsible for the mailing of state Voter Information Guides to all households in which voters were registered by Friday, September 5, 2014 (E-60). This mailing is based on the information provided by the voter files that are transmitted to the Secretary of State by September 15, 2014 (E-50).
	§ 9094 (a)

September 25, 2014 to October 14, 2014	COUNTY OFFICIAL SAMPLE BALLOT MAILING
(E-40 to E-21)	Between these dates, the Registrar of Voters office will mail a sample ballot to each voter who registered at least 29 days prior to the election.
	§§ 13300,13304
October 6, 2014*	FIRST PRE-ELECTION STATEMENT
(E-29)	Last day for candidates and committees to file campaign financial statements covering the period <b>July 1, 2014 through September 30, 2014</b> .
(Date fixed by law)	Govt. Code §§ 84200.5, 84200.7 (b)
October 6, 2014*	SUPPLEMENTAL INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE REPORT (SIER)
(E-29) (Date fixed by law)	Candidates or committees making independent expenditures of \$1,000 or more in a calendar year to support or oppose a candidate or measure shall file independent expenditure reports as if it were formed or existing primarily to support or oppose the candidate or measure.
	Govt. Code § 84203.5
October 6, 2014	PRECINCT BOARD MEMBERS AND POLLING PLACES
(E-29)	Last day for the Registrar of Voters office to appoint the members of the precinct boards and designate the polling places.
	§ 12286
October 6 to	VOTE-BY-MAIL VOTING PERIOD
October 28, 2014 (E-29 to E-7)	Between these dates, any registered voter may apply to receive a Vote-by-Mail ballot for the 2014 General Election. Applications will be available at the Registrar of Voters office and online at www.solanocounty.com/elections starting October 6, 2014. Any applications or requests received before that date will be kept and processed during this application period.
	§§ 3001, 3003
October 6, 2014 to November 4, 2014	VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOT APPLICATION FOR OUT-OF-STATE EMERGENCY WORKERS
(E-29 to E)	Between these dates and when declared and authorized by the Governor, an out-of-state emergency worker may request and vote a vote-by-mail ballot, which must be delivered to the elections official by mail or by hand, on or before the close of polls on Elections Day.
	§§ 336.7, 3021.5

October 14, 2014	COUNTY OFFICIAL SAMPLE BALLOT MAILING
(E-21)	Last day for the Registrar of Voters office to mail sample ballots to voters. Sample ballots will continue to be available on the Registrar of Voters office website at www.solanocounty.com/elections.
	§§ 13303, 13304
October 19, 2014* to November 3, 2014	24-HOUR STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION FILING REQUIREMENT – RECIPIENT COMMITTEES AND SLATE MAILER ORGANIZATIONS
(Within 24 hours) (E-16 to E-1)	During the 16 days immediately preceding an election, any person or entity that qualifies as a recipient committee or slate mailer organization must file a Form 410 within 24 hours by FAX, guaranteed overnight delivery or personal delivery.
	Govt. Code §§ 84101, 84108
October 20, 2014	CLOSE OF VOTER REGISTRATION
(E-15)	The Registrar of Voters office will accept an affidavit voter registration for the General Election if the affidavit is completed on or before the 15 <sup>th</sup> day prior to the election, and if any of the following apply:
	<ol> <li>The affidavit is postmarked on or before the 15<sup>th</sup> day prior to the election and received by mail at the Registrar of Voters office.</li> <li>The affidavit is submitted to the Dept. of Motor Vehicles or accepted by any other public agency designated as a voter registration agency pursuant to the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 (42 U.S.C. Sec 1973gg) prior to the election.</li> <li>The affidavit is delivered to the Registrar of Voters office by means other than those described in paragraphs (2) and (3) on or before the 15<sup>th</sup> day prior to the election.</li> </ol>
	§§ 2102, 2107
October 21, 2014 (E-14)	STATEMENT OF WRITE-IN CANDIDACY AND NOMINATION PAPERSNONPARTISAN OFFICE ONLY  Last day for write-in candidates to file their Statement of Write-in Candidacy and
	Nomination Papers with the county elections official.
	§§ 8140, 8601

October 21, 2014 to November 4, 2014	NEW CITIZENS REGISTRATION PERIOD  Registration for new citizens begins the 14th day prior to an election and ends at close of
(E-14 – E)	polls on Election Day. A new citizen registering to vote after the close of registration will need to provide the Registrar of Voters office with proof of citizenship (between these dates) prior to voting, and will declare that he or she has established residency in California. New citizens vote within the Registrar of Voters' office.
	§§ 331, 3500-3502
October 23, 2014	SECOND PRE-ELECTION CAMPAIGN FINANCIAL STATEMENT
(E-12)	Last day to file campaign financial statements for candidates and committees for the reporting period <b>October 1, 2014 through October 18, 2014</b> . Candidates being voted upon, their controlled committees, and committees primarily formed to support or oppose a candidate or measure must file the second pre-election statement by <b>guaranteed overnight mail</b> or <b>personal delivery</b> , in addition to any electronic filing requirements.
	Govt. Code §§ 84200.5, 84200.7
October 23, 2014	SUPPLEMENTAL INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE REPORT (SIER)
(E-12)	Candidates or committees making independent expenditures of \$1,000 or more in a calendar year to support or oppose a candidate or measure shall file independent expenditure reports as if it were formed or existing primarily to support or oppose the candidate or measure.
	Govt. Code § 84203.5
October 24, 2014	CERTIFIED LIST OF WRITE-IN CANDIDATES FOR NONPARTISAN OFFICE
(E-11)	If no candidate has been elected to a nonpartisan office at the primary election, the Secretary of State will prepare and send to affected county elections officials a certified list of write-in candidates showing the name of every write-in candidate eligible to receive votes within the county at the General Election, their addresses, and the offices to which they seek election. This list will also be mailed to each candidate running for the affected offices.
October 24, 2014	COMPUTER PROCESSING OF VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOTS
(E-11)	Processing of Vote-by-Mail ballots may begin on the seventh business day before the election but the results of the tally shall not be released until after the polls close.
	§15101(b)

Oct. 25, 2014** (E-10)	NOTICE OF CENTRAL COUNT  Last day for the Registrar of Voters office to publish the notice that the General Election
	ballots will be counted at a specified public place. The notice shall be published one time
	in a newspaper of general circulation in the county.  §12109
	912103
Oct. 25, 2014**	STATE VOTER INFORMATION GUIDE SUPPLEMENTAL MAILING BY COUNTY
(E-10)	Last day for the Registrar of Voters office to mail state Voter Information Guides to voters who registered between Saturday, September 6, 2014 (E-59) and October 6, 2014 (E-29), inclusive.
	§9094(c)
October 28, 2014	VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOT APPLICATION
(E-7)	Last day for the Registrar of Voters office to receive and process any voter's application for a vote-by-mail ballot for the General Election.
	§§ 3001, 3102
October 28, 2014 (E-7)	PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF MEASURES TO BE VOTED ON AT A MUNICIPAL ELECTION
(L-1)	The city elections official 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.
	§ 12111
October 28, 2014	The elections official will publish the list of polling places and precinct board members.
(E-7)	Elec. Code §12105-12108, Govt. Code §6061
October 29, 2014 to November 3, 2014	MILITARY OR OVERSEAS VOTER – RECALLED TO MILITARY SERVICE
(E-6 to E-1)	On or between these dates, a registered military or overseas voter recalled to military service after October 28, 2014 (E-7), but before 5:00 p.m. on November 3, 2014 (E-1) may appear at the Registrar of Voters office or, if within the state, in the county in which he or she is recalled to service and apply for a vote-by-mail ballot which may be transmitted to the voter by facsimile, email, or online transmission if the elections official makes the transmission option available.
	The vote-by-mail ballot may be voted inside or outside the office on or before the close of the polls and returned as are other voted vote-by-mail ballots. To be counted, the ballot shall be returned to the Registrar of Voters office in person, by facsimile transmission, or by an authorized person on or before the close of the polls on the day of the election.
	§ 3111
	30111

REQUEST FOR VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOTS - LATE CONDITIONS  On or between these dates, vote-by-mail ballots are available at the Registrar of Voters office for voters who have conditions preventing them from voting at a polling place. A written application signed by the voter under penalty of perjury is required unless the Vote-by-Mail ballot is voted in the office of the elections official at the time of the request. The voter may designate any authorized representative to return the voted Vote-by-Mail ballot.  § 3021
QUARTERLY STATEMENT BY BALLOT MEASURE COMMITTEES
Last day for committees that have qualified as a recipient committee and are primarily formed to support or oppose the qualification, passage, or defeat of any measure must file a quarterly campaign statement for the period July 1 through September 30, 2014, during any semiannual period before the election in which the measure is not being voted upon.  Govt. Code § 84202.3
Govt. Code § 64202.3
MILITARY OR OVERSEAS VOTER – RECALLED TO MILITARY SERVICE
Last day a registered military or overseas voter recalled to service after October 28, 2014 (E-7), but before 5:00 p. m. on November 3, 2014 (E-1), may obtain from the Registrar of Voters office a vote-by-mail ballot which can be voted in or outside the office on or before the close of the polls on Election Day and returned in the same manner as other voted vote-by-mail ballots. To be counted, the ballot shall be returned to the Registrar of Voters office in person, by facsimile transmission, or by an authorized person on or before the close of the polls on Election Day.
§ 3111
ELECTION CYCLE REPORTS – 24-HR PAYMENT REPORT (SLATE MAILER ORGANIZATIONS)  During the 90 days immediately preceding an election, each slate mailer organization that receives a payment of \$2,500 or more for the purpose of supporting or opposing any candidate or measure in a slate mailer must report the payment within 24 hours to the Secretary of State's office by online or electronic transmission only. (Deadlines are extended to the next business day when they fall on a Saturday, Sunday, or an official state holiday, except for the weekend before an election.) Such payments may be reported on a Slate Mailer Late Payment Report (Form 498).  Govt. Code §§ 84203, 84220, 85204

November 4, 2014	GENERAL ELECTION DAY
(Election Day)	Polls open at 7 a.m. and close at 8 p.m.
	§1000 (d), 14212
	Voters who have moved from one address to another within the same county and have not reregistered may vote a provisional ballot at the polling place for their current (new) address at the Registrar of Voters office or at a polling place designated by that elections official.
	§ 14311
November 4, 2014	UNOPPOSED SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE
(Election Day)	On this date, officials of the Registrar of Voters office will declare any incumbent superior court judge whose name did not appear on either the primary or general election ballot reelected.
	§ 8203 (c)
November 4, 2014	ELECTION CYCLE REPORTS – 24-HR CONTRIBUTION REPORT
(Election Day)	File form 497 within 24 hour of receiving or making contribution(s) of \$1000 or more, if any of the following apply:
	State and local committees making or receiving contribution(s) that total in the sum of \$1000 or more in the 90 days before an election.
	<ul> <li>Committees reporting contributions of \$5000 or more in connection with a state ballot measure.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>State candidates and state ballot measure committees that receive \$5000 or more at any time other than a 90-day election cycle.</li> </ul>
	File Form 497 by fax, guaranteed overnight delivery, or personal delivery. Regular mail may not be used. Online or electronic submission may be required.
	Govt. Code §§ 82036, 84203, 84203.3, 85204, 85309

November 4, 2014	ELECTION CYCLE REPORTS – 24-HR INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE REPORT
(Election Day)	Independent expenditures that total in the sum of \$1000 or more to support or oppose a single candidate for elective local office or a single local ballot measure must be reported as 24-hour independent expenditures during the 90 days immediately preceding the election in which the candidate or measure will be voted on.
	File Form 496 within 24 hours of making the independent expenditures(s).
	File Form 496 by fax, guaranteed overnight delivery, or personal delivery. Regular mail may not be used. Online or electronic submission may be required.
	Govt. Code §§ 82036.5, 84204, 85204
November 4, 2014	RETURNING OF VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOTS IN ORDER TO BE COUNTED
(Election Day)	Vote-by-mail ballots shall be received by 8:00 p.m. on Election Day at any polling place in the county where the voter is registered or at the Registrar of Voters office.
	§§ 3017, 3020, 14212
November 6, 2014 to December 2, 2014	OFFICIAL CANVASS PERIOD
(E+2 to E+28)	Beginning no later than the Thursday following the election, the Registrar of Voters office must begin the official canvass of the precinct returns. This canvass must be completed no later than December 2, 2014 (E+28).
	§§ 15301, 15372