

Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk

MEDIA ADVISORY

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ELECTION SIMULATION PHOTO OPPORTUNITY

The Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk (RR/CC) will be conducting an Election Simulation on Saturday November 3, 2012 from 9:30a.m. to 11:30a.m. at the RR/CC headquarters at 12400 Imperial Hwy Norwalk, CA 90650.

The election simulation serves as a test run before Election Night, and it allows RR/CC elections staff to ensure that all systems are functioning properly. The simulation will allow media to see various procedures that take place on Election Night and provides the opportunity for media outlets to become familiar with the ballot processing procedures from ballot box check-in to ballot processing and tabulation in our Microcomputer Tally System (MTS) room.

To facilitate B-roll production, filming in the ballot tabulation room during the simulation will be permitted on a limited basis in five minute intervals. The use of lights mounted on media cameras is permitted; however, no freestanding lights are allowed. In addition, interviewing and talking to election simulation staff while the simulation is in progress is strictly prohibited. For security reasons, no filming is permitted inside the ballot tabulation room on Election Day or during live ballot processing. Access is limited to authorized personnel only.

Media outlets wishing to capture footage on November 3 or on Election Day should contact the RR/CC's Media Information & Support Services staff at (562) 462- 2648.

The mission of the Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk is to serve Los Angeles County by providing essential records management and election services in a fair, accessible and transparent manner. For more information, visit www.lavote.net.

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