



LOS ANGELES COUNTY REGISTRAR-RECORDER/COUNTY CLERK

JUNE 2022 PRIMARY ELECTION FAQ

VOTER REGISTRATION

HOW CAN I REGISTER TO VOTE?

- ▲ The easiest method to register to vote is online at LAVOTE.GOV.
- ▲ Voter registration applications are also available at most government buildings like a library, DMV office, and the Registrar Headquarters in Norwalk.
- ▲ Voters must register to vote by **May 23** to receive a Vote by Mail ballot for this election.

HOW CAN I CHECK IF I'M REGISTERED TO VOTE OR MY REGISTRATION STATUS?

- ▲ Voters can check their registration status and information online at LAVOTE.GOV/VRSTATUS.

CAN I STILL VOTE IF I MISS THE REGISTRATION DEADLINE?

- ▲ Yes. Any eligible voter who misses the **May 23** deadline can still vote in person at any Vote Center in L.A. County via Conditional Voter Registration (same-day registration).

WHEN SHOULD I UPDATE MY VOTER REGISTRATION INFO?

- ▲ If you have moved, changed your name, or want to change your political party affiliation.

VOTE BY MAIL

WHEN WILL I RECEIVE MY VOTE BY MAIL BALLOT?

- ▲ Vote by mail ballots are mailed to all registered voters beginning **May 5**.

HOW CAN I TRACK MY VOTE BY MAIL BALLOT?

- ▲ Voters can track their ballot by subscribing to **Where's My Ballot** at california.ballottrax.net. This is a free subscription that sends automatic notifications by text, email, or voicemail on the status of your ballot.

WHERE CAN I FIND A LIST OF BALLOT DROP BOX LOCATIONS?

- ▲ Online at LAVOTE.GOV.
- ▲ A list of convenient Ballot Drop Box locations near the voter's residence is included in the Vote by Mail packet.

WHY DO I NEED TO SIGN THE RETURN ENVELOPE?

- ▲ The Registrar verifies the signature on the Return Envelope with the signature on the voter's registration record to confirm eligibility.

DO I PUT MY BIRTHDAY ON THE RETURN ENVELOPE OR THE DATE OF RETURN?

- ▲ Enter the date the ballot is returned. If a voter enters their birth date instead, the ballot will still be processed, and once verified, counted on Election Night.

WHEN DO I NEED TO SUBMIT MY BALLOT?

- ▲ Voters can return their ballot as soon as they receive it.
- ▲ All ballots **MUST** be postmarked and returned by Election Day.
- ▲ Our office will accept ballots postmarked by Election Day and received within 7 days after Election Day.



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WHAT IF I DON'T RECEIVE A BALLOT OR IT GETS DAMAGED?

- ▲ Voters can request a replacement ballot at LAVOTE.GOV/REPLACEBALLOT. The last day to request a replacement is **May 31**.
- ▲ Call (800) 815-2666, option 2, or email votebymail@rrcc.lacounty.gov with your full name, date of birth, and address.

HOW CAN I REQUEST A VOTE BY MAIL BALLOT IN A DIFFERENT LANGUAGE?

- ▲ Fill out and return the Language Request Form on the back of the Sample Ballot book.
- ▲ Call the Registrar's Multilingual Services Section at (800) 815-2666, option 3.
- ▲ Supported languages: Armenian, Chinese, Khmer, Farsi, Korean, Spanish, Tagalog, Vietnamese, Hindi, Japanese, Thai, Russian, Burmese, Telugu, Gujarati, Indonesian, Mongolian, and Bengali.

IN-PERSON VOTING

CAN I VOTE IN PERSON?

- ▲ Yes. Voters will have the option to vote in person at any Vote Center beginning **May 28**.
- ▲ Vote Centers will be open daily from 10 AM to 7 PM, and from 7 AM to 8 PM on Election Day.

HOW CAN I FIND A VOTE CENTER?

- ▲ Visit LOCATOR.LAVOTE.GOV to view the Vote Center app.
- ▲ The app displays all Vote Center locations in LA County and the estimated wait times.
- ▲ Every registered voter will be mailed a separate mailer in mid-May that lists the nearest Vote Center locations to their home.

WHEN CAN I VOTE IN PERSON?

- ▲ Voters can visit any Vote Center beginning **May 28**.
- ▲ Take advantage of early voting opportunities and vote early.

HOW ARE YOU KEEPING VOTE CENTERS SAFE FROM COVID-19?

- ▲ All Vote Centers follow current public health and safety guidelines.
- ▲ Election Workers will wear a face mask and wipe down surfaces on a regular basis.
- ▲ Voters are strongly encouraged to wear a face mask.

DO I NEED TO PROVIDE IDENTIFICATION TO VOTE AT A VOTE CENTER?

- ▲ California law does not require registered voters to show identification when voting.
- ▲ However, if a voter is registering for the first time, they must provide a valid government photo ID or the last four digits of the Social Security number.