

Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk

NEWS RELEASE

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Early Voting for Bell and Cudahy Elections Has Begun

Vote by Mail ballots are in the mail as application period begins.

The Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk (RR/CC) has begun issuing vote by mail ballots for the March 5 City of Bell and City of Cudahy Elections. To date, the RR/CC has mailed 2,729 Vote by Mail ballots for the City of Bell and 1,477 Vote by Mail ballots for the City of Cudahy. The last day to request a Vote by Mail ballot is Tuesday, Feb. 26.

Requesting a Vote by Mail ballot is easy and can be done <u>online</u> or by using the back of the official sample ballot. Registered voters can also apply in person at the RR/CC's main office: 12400 Imperial Hwy., 3rd floor, Room 3002, Norwalk, CA 90650.

L.A. County residents who applied for a Vote by Mail ballot can check the status of their ballot online (<u>click here</u>).

In order to be counted, ballots cast by mail must be returned by the RR/CC by 8 p.m. on March 5. Vote by Mail ballots may also be returned in person to the RR/CC Headquarters or delivered to any polling place in the cities of Bell and Cudahy before the polls close at 8 p.m.

For multilingual election assistance in Chinese, Hindi, Japanese, Khmer, Korean, Spanish, Tagalog, Thai or Vietnamese, call 1(800) 815-2666.

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