



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**SENATE DISTRICT 32 SPECIAL PRIMARY ELECTION
MARCH 12, 2013**

IMPORTANT NOTICE

**All documents are to be filed with and duties performed by the
Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk unless otherwise specified.**

DATES		EVENTS
JAN. 7 (M) E-64		<p>GOVERNOR'S PROCLAMATION</p> <p>On this date the Governor issued the proclamation calling the special election. (E. C. §§ 10700,10703 and Govt. Code § 1773)</p>
JAN. 7 (M) E-64	JAN. 11 (F) E-60	<p>PETITION FORMS FOR SIGNATURES IN LIEU OF FILING FEE</p> <p>Petition forms may be obtained to secure signatures in lieu of all or a portion of the filing fee. Signatures submitted on in lieu petitions may also be applied to the signature requirements on nomination documents if signers are affiliated with same political party as candidate. The petitions must be filed no later than January 11, 2013. (E. C. §§ 8061 and 8106)</p>
JAN. 9 (W) E-62	JAN. 18 (F) E-53	<p>NOMINATION PERIOD</p> <p>First and last day to circulate and leave nomination documents for examination and certification. (E. C. §§ 8020, 8028, 8040, 8041,8062 and 10704)</p> <p>CANDIDATE STATEMENTS</p> <p>During this period, candidates may file a candidate statement not to exceed the word limitation of 250 words for inclusion with the Official Sample Ballot Booklet. (Govt. Code § 85601(c))</p>

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JAN. 11 (F) E-60		<p>SIGNATURES IN LIEU PETITIONS - DEADLINES</p> <p>Last day for candidates to file signature in lieu petitions. Candidates will be notified within 10 calendar days of filing the petition of any deficiency. Candidate may then, prior to the close of the nomination period, submit a supplemental petition or pay the pro rata portion of the filing fee to make up the deficiency. (E. C. §§ 8061, 8105 and 8106)</p>
JAN. 14 (M) E-57	FEB. 26 (Tu) 5:00 P.M. E-14	<p>WRITE-IN CANDIDATES DECLARATION PERIOD</p> <p>A name written on a ballot will not be counted unless the person has filed a declaration of candidacy during this period stating that he or she is a write-in candidate for the election. (E. C. §§ 8600 and 8601)</p>
JAN. 18 (F) E-53		<p>NOMINATION DOCUMENTS TO SECRETARY OF STATE</p> <p>Last day to file nomination documents with Secretary of State. (E. C. § 10704)</p>
JAN. 19* (Sa) E-52*	JAN. 28 (M) 5:00 P.M. E-43	<p>PUBLIC EXAMINATION PERIOD FOR CANDIDATE STATEMENTS/CANDIDATE NAMES AND BALLOT DESIGNATIONS</p> <p>During this period, candidate statements shall be open for public examination. A fee may be charged to any person obtaining a copy of the material. During this period any person may file a writ of mandate or an injunction to require any or all of the data/material to be amended or deleted. For candidate names and ballot designations, a writ may be filed pursuant to E.C. §§ 13313 and 13314.</p> <p>TRANSLITERATION REVIEW PERIOD</p> <p>First and last day candidates may review transliteration of their names. Requests for changes must be submitted to the county elections official no later than the last day of the review period.</p>

*Date adjusted due to weekend and/or holiday.

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JAN. 22* (Tu) E-49*		<p>RANDOMIZED ALPHABET DRAWING BY SECRETARY OF STATE</p> <p>The Secretary of State shall hold a public drawing to determine the order of candidate names on the ballot by randomly drawing each letter of the alphabet.</p> <p>(E.C. §§ 13112 (b)(1) (d))</p>
JAN. 22 (Tu) E-49		<p>CERTIFIED LIST OF CANDIDATES</p> <p>Last day for the Secretary of State to send the certified list of candidates to the county elections official.</p>
JAN. 31 (Th) E-40		<p>COPIES OF VOTER INDEX</p> <p>Date voter index available to candidates and committees at a cost of fifty cents (\$.50) per thousand names.</p> <p>(E. C. § 2184)</p>
JAN. 31 (Th) E-40	MAR. 2 (Sa) E-10	<p>MAIL SAMPLE BALLOTS</p> <p>A sample ballot booklet shall be mailed to each voter in the district during this period.</p> <p>(E. C. § 13303)</p>
FEB. 11 (M) E-29		<p>POLLWORKERS AND POLLING PLACES – APPOINTMENT</p> <p>Last day to appoint pollworkers and designate polling places. A notice of appointment shall be mailed to each pollworker appointed.</p> <p>(E. C. §§ 12286, 12307 and 12319)</p>
FEB. 11 (M) E-29	MAR. 5 (Tu) E-7	<p>VOTE BY MAIL VOTERS – FIRST AND LAST DAY TO APPLY</p> <p>Applications may be filed between these dates (both dates inclusive). Applications received prior to the 29th day preceding the election will be kept and processed during this period.</p> <p>(E. C. §§ 3001 and 10704)</p>

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FEB. 25 (M) E-15	REGISTRATION CLOSES Last day to transfer or register to vote in the election. (E. C. §§ 2102 and 2107)
FEB. 26 (Tu) 5:00 P.M. E-14	WRITE-IN CANDIDATE DECLARATION DEADLINE Last day for a candidate to file a declaration of candidacy stating that he or she is a write-in candidate for the election. (E. C. §§ 8600 and 8601) BILINGUAL PRECINCT OFFICER LIST Last day to prepare list of appointed bilingual precinct officers. (E. C. § 12303)
MAR. 2 (Sa) E-10	CENTRAL TALLY LOCATION – PUBLICATION Not later than this date a notice specifying the public place to be used as the central tally center for counting the ballots shall be published once in a newspaper of general circulation within the district. (E. C. § 12109 and Govt. § 6061)
MAR. 5 (Tu) 5:00 P.M. E-7	POLLING PLACES – PUBLICATION Not later than this date, a list of polling places for each precinct shall be published once in a newspaper of general circulation within the district. (E. C. § 12105, 12106 and Govt. Code § 6061) CANVASS VOTE BY MAIL BALLOTS The canvass may commence on the 7 th day before the election, but the results of the tally shall not be released until after the polls close. (E. C. § 15101 (b)) COMPUTER PROGRAM TO SECRETARY OF STATE Last day to send copy of computer vote counting program and Certificate of Logic and Accuracy Test to Secretary of State. (E. C. § 15001)

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MAR. 6 (W) E-6	MAR. 12 (Tu) ELECTION DAY	EMERGENCY VOTE BY MAIL VOTING Between these dates, any voter may apply for a Vote By Mail ballot if conditions require his or her absence from the precinct on election day. The voter may designate an authorized representative to pick-up and return the ballot. (E. C. §§ 3021 and 3110)
MAR. 12 (Tu) 8:00 P.M. ELECTION DAY		ELECTION DAY Polls open 7:00 a.m. and close 8:00 p.m. (E. C. § 14212) NOTE: If at the hour of closing, there are any other qualified voters in the polling place or in line at the door, who have not been able to vote since appearing, the polls shall be kept open a sufficient amount of time to enable them to vote. (E. C. § 14401) VOTE BY MAIL BALLOTS RETURNED—8:00P.M. Last day for Vote By Mail ballots to be received or turned in personally by the voter at any polling place in the jurisdiction. A designated family member may return the voted ballot under specified conditions. (E. C. §§ 3017 and 3020)
MAR. 13 (W) E+1	MAR. 15 (F) E+3	OFFICIAL CANVASS During this period, the Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk is tentatively scheduled to complete the official canvass.
MAR. 25 (M) E+13		COMPLETION OF OFFICIAL CANVASS Last day for County Elections Official to certify the results to the Secretary of State.

If any candidate receives a majority of all votes cast at the special primary election, he or she shall be declared elected and the special general election shall not be held.
(E.C. § 10705)

If no candidate receives a majority of votes cast at the special primary election, the names of the top two vote recipients shall be placed on the special general election ballot. (E.C. § 10706)