

VOTING IN A TIME OF PANDEMIC

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L.A. COUNTY'S NEW VOTING SYSTEM



VOTER'S CHOICE

CALIFORNIA

You choose when, where, and how to vote



10 days of voting before Election Day



Vote Center model



Electronic Pollbooks & Ballot Marking Devices



POST- ELECTION KEY POINTS

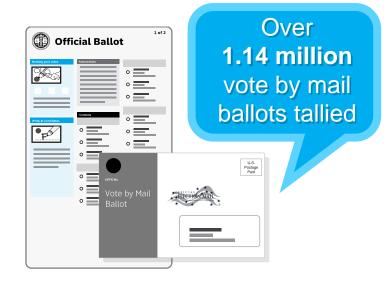


Nearly 1 million voters went to a vote center

First 10 days **27%**

*** Election Day ***

73%



Post-election surveys & voter exit polls



RR/CC teamed up with independent consultants and researchers to analyze March Primary Election





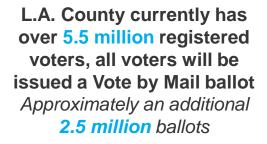
ALL VOTE BY MAIL FOR NOVEMBER 3 GENERAL ELECTION

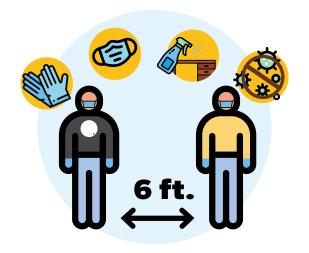
Due to COVID-19, L.A. County Board of Supervisors passed a motion calling for our office to mail a Vote by Mail ballot to all registered voters in L.A. County.



NOVEMBER GENERAL ELECTION SNAPSHOT







There will be safe in-person
Vote Centers that will strictly
follow State and County
guidelines from public health
and safety officials



We are planning to have 10 days of voting available prior to Election Day



VBM Ballot Drop Box expansion

In March there were
206 Drop Boxes, we plan
to add more Drop Boxes
throughout the County



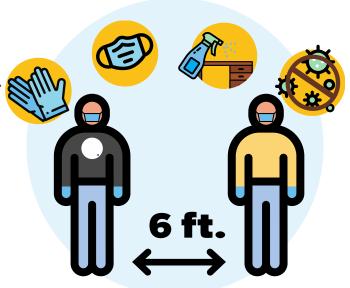
VOTER INFORMATION AND GUIDANCE RELATING TO COVID-19

All registered voters will be mailed a Vote by Mail ballot.

L.A. County will encourage voters to stay at home and vote using their mail-in ballot. Although, in this election we will offer in-person voting, and we will strictly follow the State and County's public health and safety guidelines to ensure we provide a safe voting environment.

COVID-19 Information for Voting In-Person:

- 1. Voters should wear a clean face-covering when visiting the Vote Center
- 2. Election Workers will be wearing protective gloves and masks
- 3. Social distancing will be enforced at the check-in and voting process
- 4. The Ballot Marking Devices will be sanitized after every voter
- 5. Gloves will be provided to voters upon request



TIMELINE

October 5

- Mailing of Vote by Mail Ballots
- First day Vote by Mail Drop Boxes open
- First day of early voting at RR/CC Headquarters*

*if there is not a State/County public closure due to COVID-19

October 24

Vote Centers open: 8 AM to 5 PM

September 24

Mailing of Sample Ballot Books

• October 19

Official Registration Deadline

Important: if a voter is not registered by this date they will not be issued a Vote by Mail ballot **★** November 3

Election Day 7 AM to 8 PM



MEDIA/OUTREACH EDUCATION CAMPAIGN

- Educating the public on these changes will be critical. A large-scale media and outreach campaign is being developed and will include:
 - 1. Direct mailings and emails
 - 2. Multilingual TV commercials
 - 3. Multilingual radio commercials
 - 4. Multilingual digital advertisements
 - 5. Multilingual social media
 - 6. Multilingual out-of-home advertisements
 - 7. Multilingual print advertisements



- We will rely on your partnerships to help communicate these changes to the public
- All communication materials/resources will be shared with your organization



QUESTIONS?

Website: LAVote.net

Social Media: @lacountyrrcc

Email: outreach@rrcc.lacounty.gov

