



# League of Women Voters North County

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REGISTRAR OF VOTERS

highest voter  
TURNOUT

highest MAIL  
BALLOTS  
issued

largest  
pamphlet

TWO-CARD  
ballot

greatest  
words  
TRANSLATED

highest  
REGISTERED  
voters

highest COST  
election

highest mail  
ballots CAST

THE  
ELECTION

1,346,513

1,118,788

2,666,826

2,684,625

2,335,922

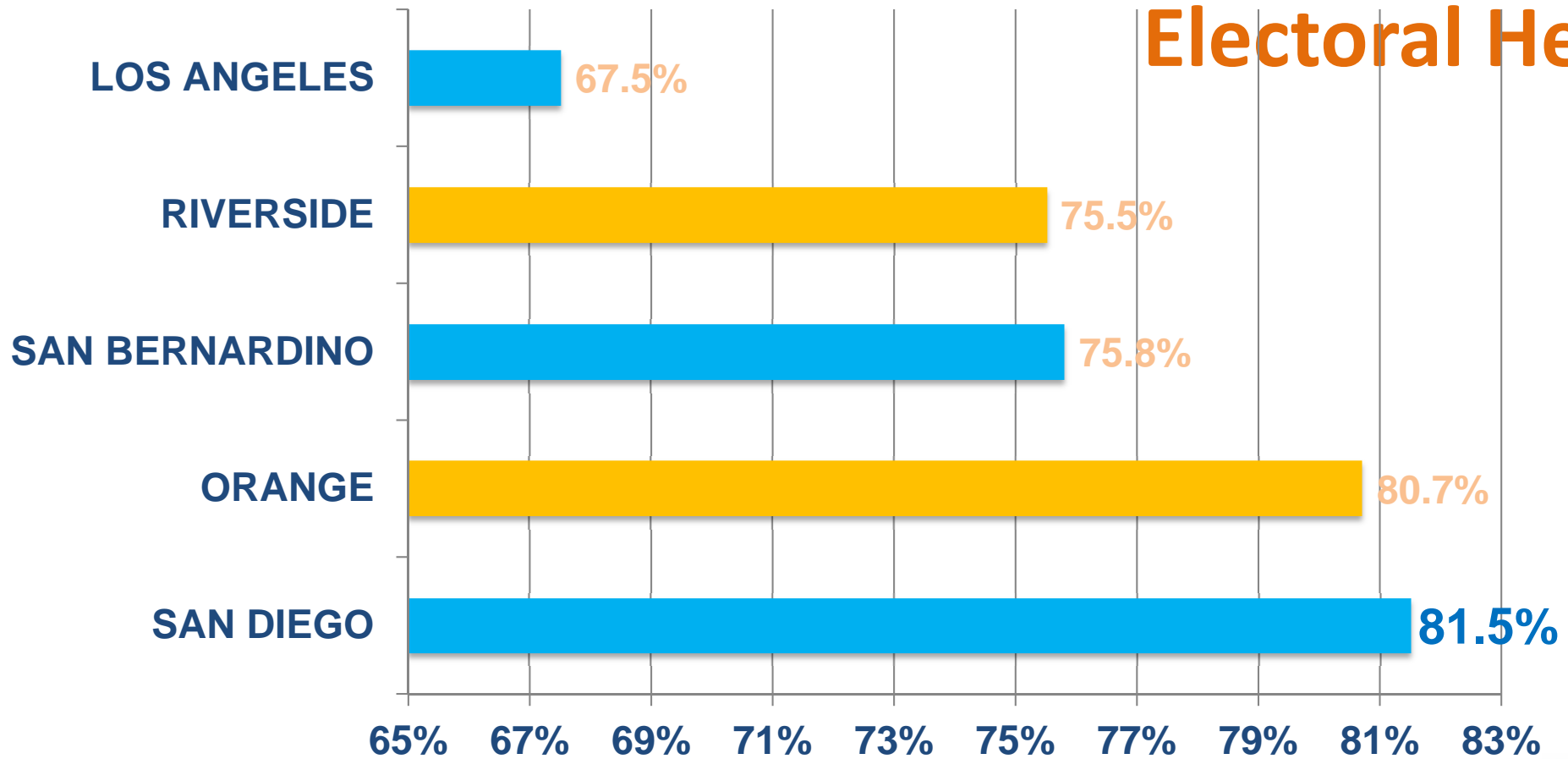
1,652,875

\$20.4  
million

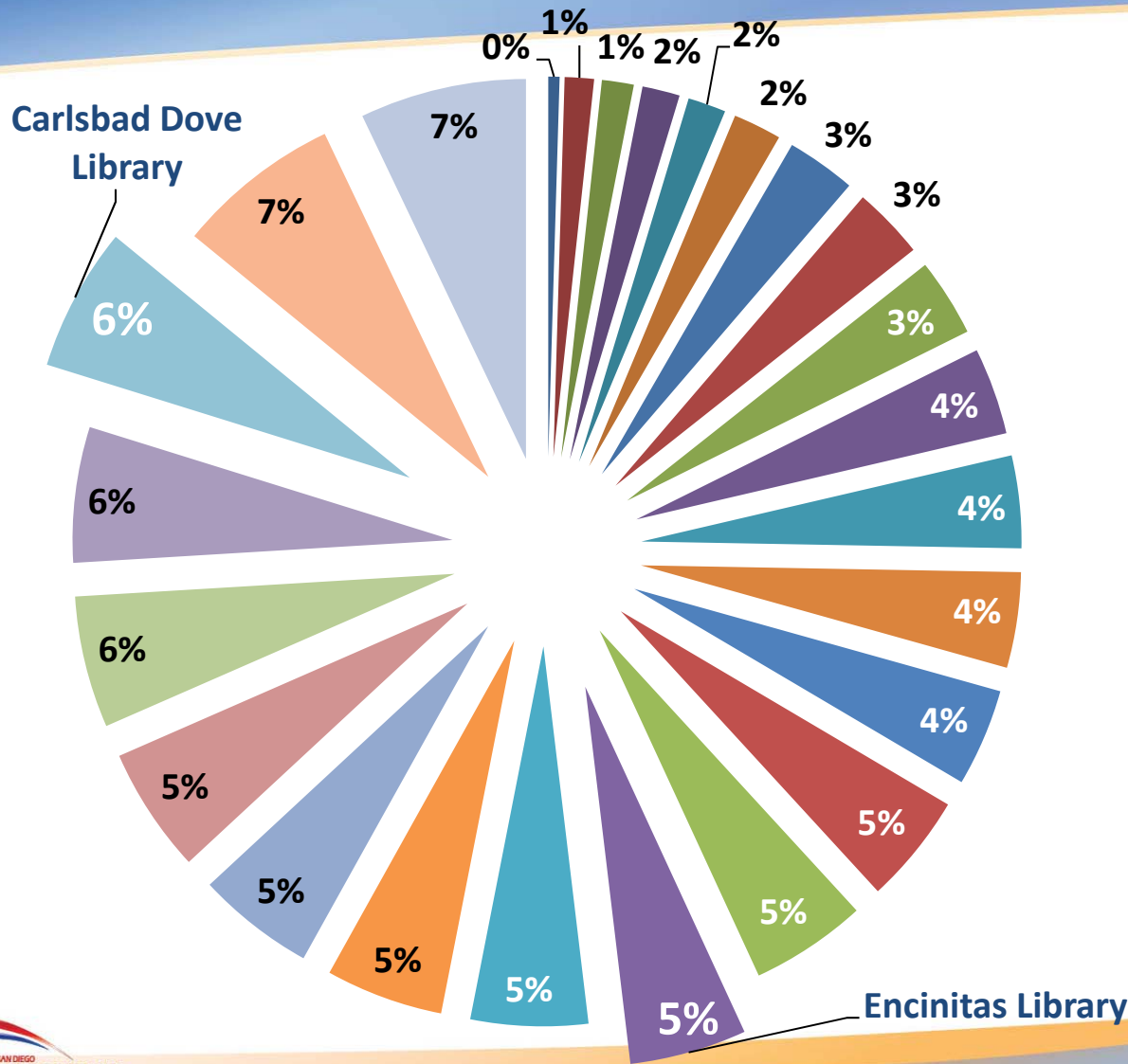
856,937

THE  
ELECTION

# Regional Electoral Health



Turnout November 2016



# Mail Ballot Drop Off Program (102,746)



Donald J. Trump   
@realDonaldTrump

In addition to winning the Electoral College in a landslide, I won the popular vote if you deduct the millions of people who voted illegally

12:30 PM - 27 Nov 2016

# Measure K Supporters Say Ballot Bleed-Through Could Affect Votes – KPBS October 1, 2016

Officials: Hackers breach election systems in Illinois, Arizona - CNN August 30, 2016

Intel chiefs: We're certain that Russia tried to influence U.S. election - USA TODAY January 5, 2017

Many voters don't know you need two stamps for mail-in ballots - CBS8 October 18, 2016

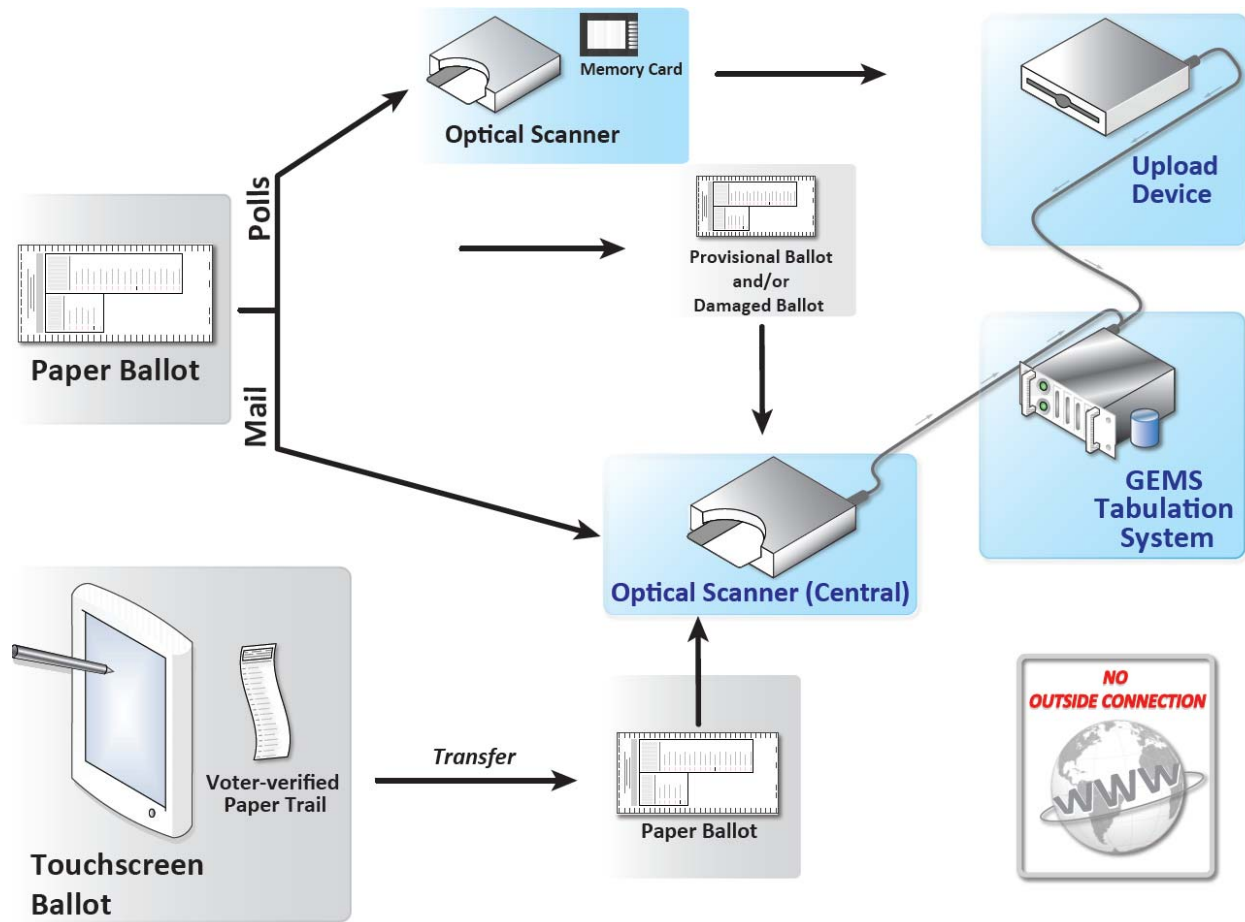
DHS labels elections as 'critical infrastructure' Politico January 1, 2017



Fallbrook Couple Gets Half of Mail-In Ballot - NBC7 November 1, 2016

Darrell Issa maintain leads in latest election

# SAN DIEGO COUNTY METHOD



# Processing Mail Ballots

## Step 1

### Sort/Scan Pass

- City Level
- Batches of 400
- Exceptions
  - No Signature
  - Spoiled
  - Unreadable Bar Code

## Step 2

### Signature Check

- Mismatch
- Signature Box Error

## Step 3

### Verification/Reconciliation

- Review work of Step 2
- Verify challenges
- Determine if household voters switched envelopes
- Clear the batch

## Step 4

### Audit Pass (Slice)

- Segregate valid from challenged ballots
- City Level
- Batches of 200
- Slice envelopes

## Step 5

### Open/Extraction

- Begins 11 days before E-Day
- Manual Intensive (60 staff)
- Exceptions Segregated
  - Wrong ballot
  - Identifying Mark
  - No Ballot
  - Too Many Ballots
  - Surrendered/Spoiled

## Step 6

### Quality Assurance

- Remake damaged ballots
- Enhancements
- Sample Ballot Voted

## Step 7

### Tabulate

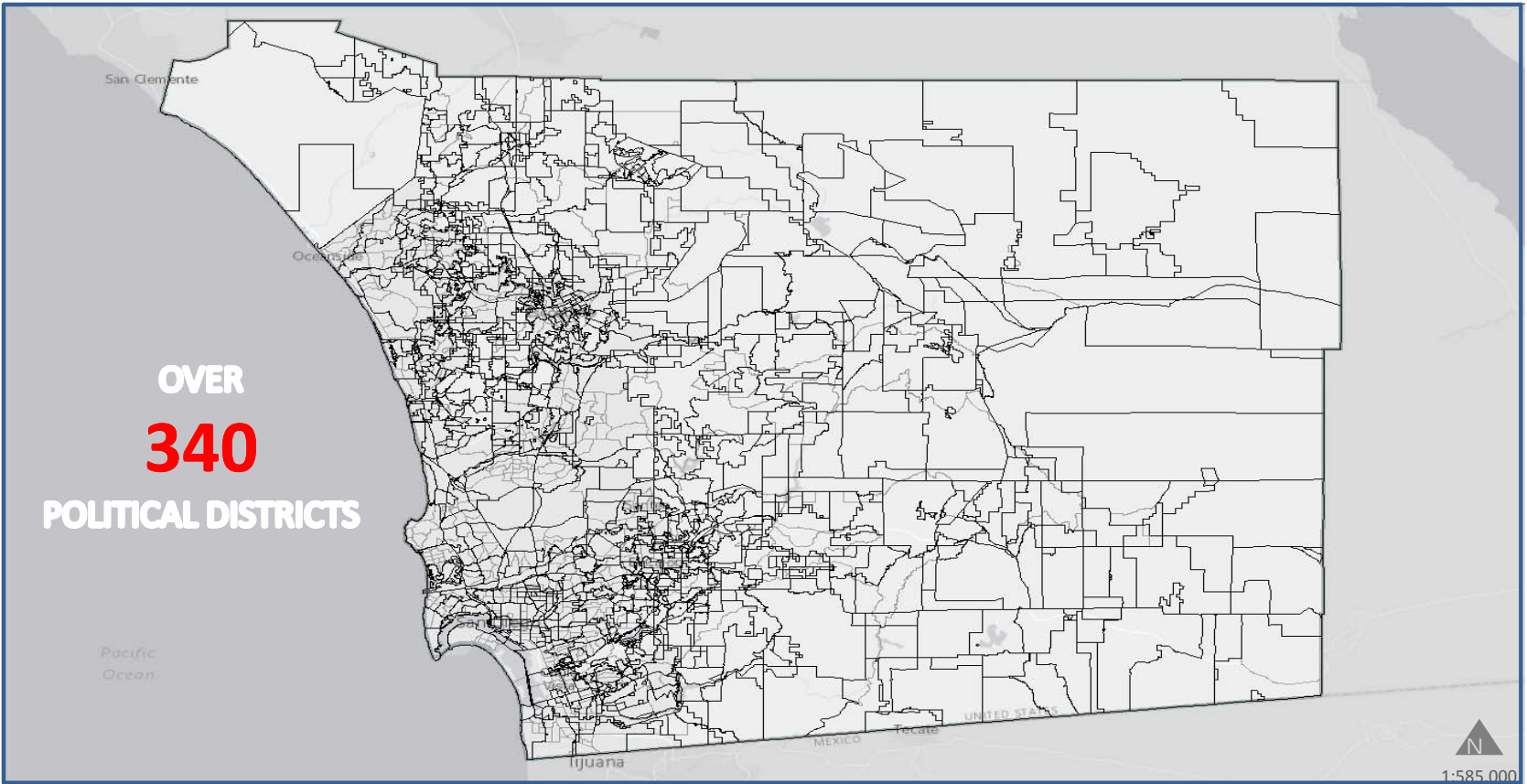
- Exception – Unreadable Ballots



## JURISDICTIONS

City of Oceanside	City of Santee
City of Carlsbad	San Marcos USD
City of El Cajon	Carlsbad USD
City of San Marcos	Oceanside USD
City of Vista	Tri-City Healthcare
City of Poway	Poway USD
City of Encinitas	Home Valley USD

OVER  
**340**  
POLITICAL DISTRICTS



# Trends

- 1 **Big Ballots & Large Sample Ballot Pamphlets**
- 2 **Extreme Tone and Behaviors**
- 3 **Partnerships and Coordinated Outreach**

# VOTING SYSTEM & VOTING MODEL

- Secretary of State Certification (awaiting)
- Research Voting Systems
- Opportunities of AB1873 Model & SB450 VCA Model

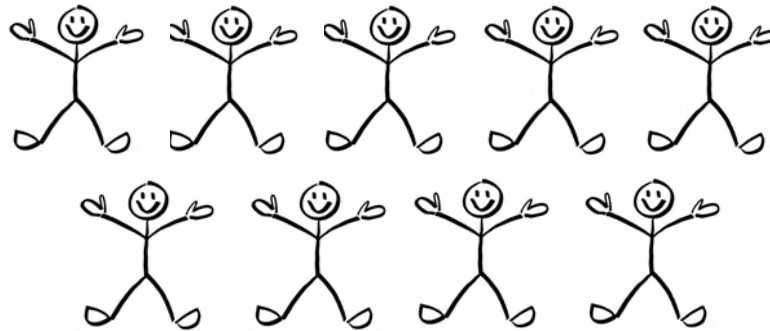
# PRESENT

Most  
65%



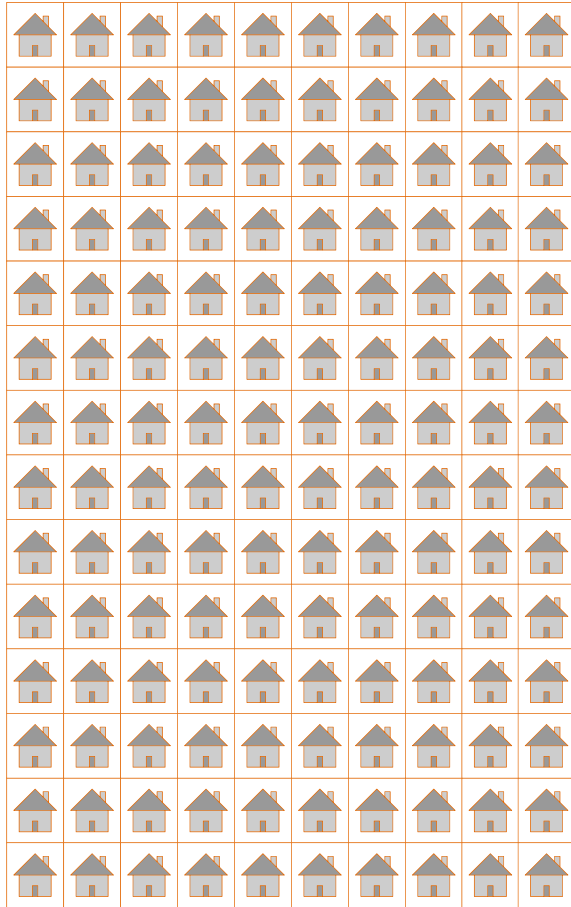
# FUTURE

All  
100%



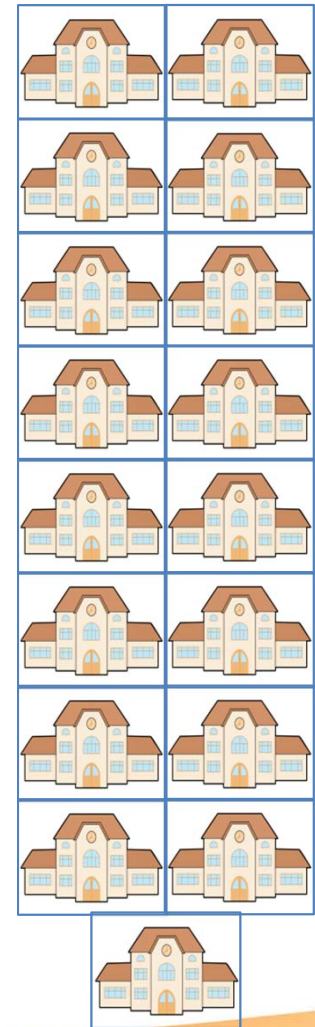
# NOW

Polling  
Places



# FUTURE

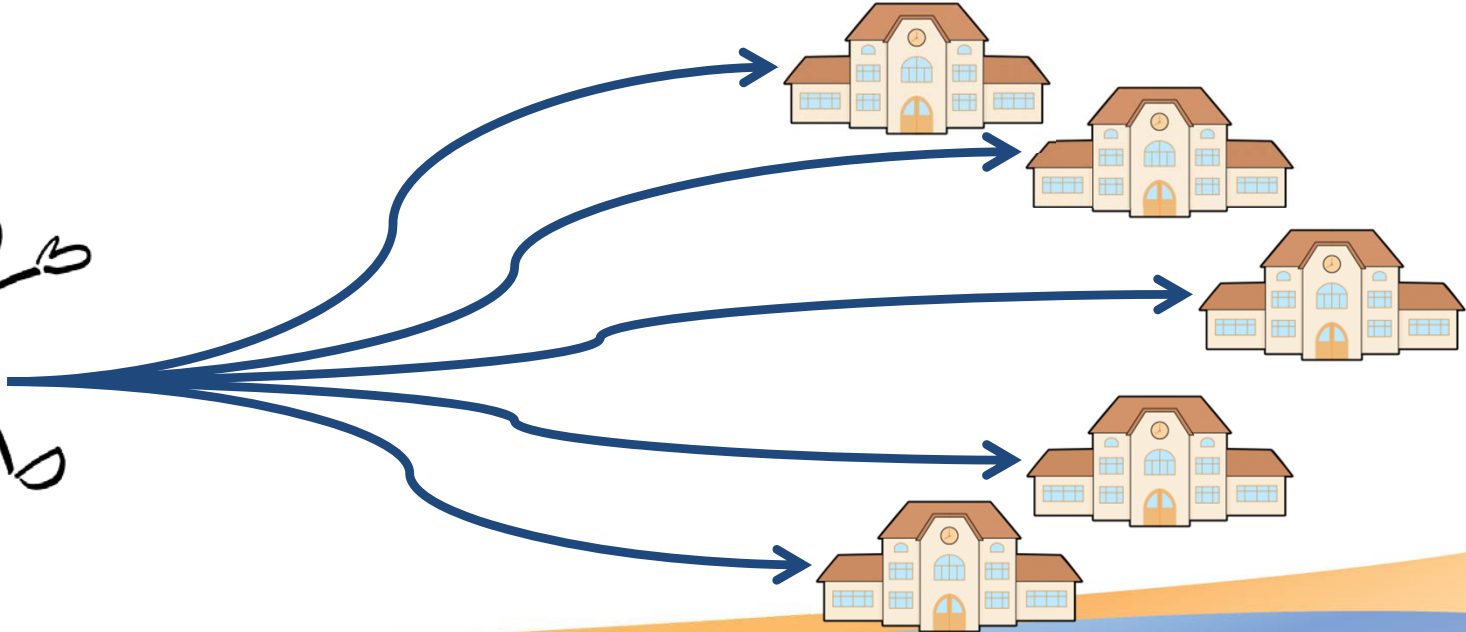
Vote  
Centers



**NOW**  
One-to-One



**FUTURE**  
One-to-Many





# Other Key Dates

MILESTONE	PRIMARY	GENERAL
Sample Ballot & Voter Information Pamphlet Mailing (Start)	April 26	September 27
Mail Ballot Mailing (Start)	May 7	October 8
Last Day To Register	May 21	October 22
Mail Ballot Application Deadline	May 29	October 30
<b>ELECTION DAY</b>	<b>June 5</b>	<b>November 6</b>
Last Day to Certify Election	July 5	December 6



# Candidate Key Dates

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## MILESTONE

Candidate Petition In-Lieu (Start)

Candidate Filing Starts

Petition In-Lieu (Deadline)

Candidate Nomination Filing Deadline

Candidate Filing Extension (5-Day)

Write-In Candidates (First Day)

Write-In Candidates (Last Day)

## PRIMARY

December 29\*

February 12

February 22\*

March 9

March 14

April 9

May 22

# Campaign Finance Key Dates

## PRIMARY

MILESTONE	DATE
Campaign Finance Filing Deadline (Semi-Annual)	January 31, 2018
24-Hour Filing Requirement	March 7 thru June 5
Pre-Election Campaign Finance Filing (1 <sup>st</sup> )	April 26, 2018
Pre-Election Campaign Finance Filing (2 <sup>nd</sup> )	May 24, 2018
Campaign Finance Filing Deadline (Semi-Annual)	July 31, 2018

## GENERAL

MILESTONE	DATE
24-Hour Filing Requirement	August 8 thru November 6
Pre-Election Campaign Finance Filing (1 <sup>st</sup> )	September 27, 2018
Pre-Election Campaign Finance Filing (2 <sup>nd</sup> )	October 25, 2018
Campaign Finance Filing Deadline (Semi-Annual)	January 31, 2019

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