

## IMPORTANT DATES FOR CANDIDATES NOVEMBER 3, 2020 CONSOLIDATED GENERAL ELECTION

DATE	EVENT
July 13 – Aug 7 E-113 to E-88	Nomination Period. Incumbents must file by Aug 7th at 5:00pm. EC §8070, §8082. <b>Please call the Elections Division at 805-781-5228 to make an appointment.</b>
July 28 E-98	Last day to change candidate designation on ballot for Legislative and Congressional candidates.
July 31	Semi-Annual filing Period covering ** - 6/30/20
Aug 8 – Aug 12 E-87 to E-83	Extension of Nomination Period. <b>(Non-Incumbents Only)</b> EC §8022 & §8024. DOES NOT APPLY WHERE THERE IS NO INCUMBENT DUE TO TERM LIMITS.
Aug 10	Last Day to withdraw Candidate Statement of Qualifications by 5:00PM for races closing Aug 7th (EC §13307(a)(3))
Aug 13	Random Alphabet Drawing (EC §13112)
Aug 13	Last Day to withdraw Candidate Statement of Qualifications by 5:00PM for races closing Aug 12 <sup>th</sup> (EC §13307(a)(3))
Sept 7* – Oct 20 E-57 to E-14	Write-In Candidate Period (EC §8601)
Sept 24	1 <sup>st</sup> Pre-Election Campaign Statement Due (Gov Code §84200.5, §84200.7(a)) (7/1/20-9/19/20)
Oct 5 E-29	29 Day Close of Registration - First day Vote by Mail Ballots are available - Last day to register to vote in order to receive a Sample Ballot & State Ballot Pamphlet (EC §3001, §3003) (E-29)
Oct 19 E-15	15 Day Close of Registration - Voters registering between Oct 5th & 19th will receive notification of their polling place but will not receive any other voter information. (EC §2102, 2107) (E-15)
Oct 22 E-12	2 <sup>nd</sup> Pre-Election Campaign Statement Due (Gov Code §84200.5, §84200.7(a)) (9/20/20-10/17/20)
Oct 27 E-7	Last day for Elections Office to mail Vote-by-Mail Ballots to voters. (EC §3001)
Nov 3, 2020	<b>Election Day. Polls open at 7:00am and close at 8:00pm.</b>
Dec 3	Last day to complete official canvass and certify results.
Jan 31, 2021	Semi-Annual Campaign Statement Due

**\*If a filing deadline falls on a weekend or a holiday, it is moved to the next business day.**

**\*\*The period covered by any statement begins on the day after the closing date of the last statement filed or January 1, if no previous statement has been filed.**