

County of Santa Clara

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TUESDAY IS DEADLINE TO REQUEST VOTE BY MAIL BALLOT FOR NOVEMBER 2ND ELECTION

Over 67% of the registered voters in Santa Clara County have opted for the convenience of voting by mail. As of today, 20% of these voters have already voted and returned their ballots prior to the November 2nd Gubernatorial General Election.

Voters who would like to vote by mail but have not requested a ballot still have time to do so. The deadline is 5 p.m., Tuesday, October 26th. Postmarks are not accepted.

Vote by Mail applications are available on the back cover of the Sample Ballot and Voter Information Pamphlet or online at www.sccvote.org.

First in, first counted!

Voters are encouraged to complete and return their mail ballots immediately. Ballots received early are the first to be counted and the results are posted at 8 p.m. on Election Night. First in, first counted!

Returning Vote by Mail Ballots (before Election Day)

Voters should carefully read and follow the **VOTE BY MAIL INSTRUCTIONS** in the mail ballot packet, including the information about the recommended postage. Voters must sign the return envelopes themselves so their ballots can be validated and counted. They can return their ballots in a variety of convenient ways:

- City Clerk Offices in the county (during normal business hours)
- Registrar of Voters' Office, 1555 Berger Drive, Building 2, San Jose (during normal business hours)
- County Government Center at 70 W. Hedding Street, San Jose (during normal business hours)
- White 24-Hour Drop Box located near the flagpole (Registrar of Voters' Office)
- By mail

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Website

Voters can track the status of their Vote by Mail ballots online at the Registrar of Voters' website, www.sccvote.org, to verify their returned ballots are received and counted.

For more information, contact the Registrar of Voters' Office at:

Toll Free:	(866) 430-VOTE [8683]	Spanish:	(408) 282-3095
English:	(408) 299-VOTE [8683]	Vietnamese:	(408) 282-3097
TTY:	(408) 288-9820	Chinese:	(408) 282-3086
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