

**ABBREVIATED
SPECIAL ELECTION CALENDAR
November 7, 2023
County of Santa Clara Registrar of Voters**

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E-	125	Wednesday, July 5, 2023	<u>RESOLUTIONS TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE ROV</u> Date for jurisdictions to submit resolutions calling for a candidate election to meet timeline for a full nomination period. The ROV encourages jurisdictions to provide a resolution as early as possible.
E-	113	Monday, July 17, 2023	<u>NOMINATION PERIOD OPENS</u> First day candidates may pick up nomination documents at the office of the Registrar of Voters.
E-	103 to 88	Thursday, July 27, 2023 to Friday, August 11, 2023	<u>¹ PERIOD FOR MEASURE RESOLUTIONS AND TAX RATE STATEMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE ROV</u> Between these dates is the period for jurisdictions to submit a resolution calling for a measure election, and if applicable, tax rate statements. The ROV encourages jurisdictions to provide a resolution as early as possible.
E-	90 to 0	Wednesday, August 9, 2023 to Tuesday, November 7, 2023	<u>² CONTRIBUTION / INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURES</u> Sums of \$1,000 or more to/from a single source must be reported within 24-hours. The Independent Expenditure report is required only for committees (not candidate controlled) that make independent expenditures totaling \$1,000 or more to support or oppose a single ballot measure or a single candidate.
E-	88	Friday, August 11, 2023	<u>¹ NOMINATION PERIOD CLOSES</u> Deadline to file (in the Office of the Registrar of Voters only) all required nomination documents. <u>LAST DAY FOR PROPONENTS TO WITHDRAW AN INITIATIVE</u> Last day for proponents to withdraw an initiative that qualified for the ballot.
E-	87 to 83	Saturday, August 12, 2023 to Wednesday, August 16, 2023	<u>¹ NOMINATION EXTENSION PERIOD</u> If the incumbent fails to file a Declaration of Candidacy by deadline for their office, there will be a 5-calendar-day extension during which any candidate, other than the incumbent, may file for said office.
E-	84	Tuesday, August 15, 2023	<u>¹ DUE DATE FOR PRIMARY ARGUMENTS</u> 5:00 p.m. is the deadline set by the Registrar of Voters for submitting primary arguments in favor of and against a measure. Arguments for City measures must be filed with the City Clerk's office. Contact the City Clerk's office for filing deadlines.
E-	83	Wednesday, August 16, 2023	<u>LAST DAY TO AMEND OR WITHDRAW A MEASURE</u> Deadline for jurisdictions to amend or withdraw a measure from the ballot. The measure must be amended or withdrawn by resolution.
E-	83 to 74	Wednesday, August 16, 2023 to Friday, August 25, 2023	<u>^{1, 4} EXAMINATION PERIOD FOR ALL PRIMARY ARGUMENTS FILED</u> The elections official shall make the arguments available for public examination during business hours for a period of 10-calendar days immediately following the filing deadline for submission of those documents.

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E-	82	Thursday, August 17, 2023	<u>RANDOMIZED ALPHABET DRAWING</u> This day the Secretary of State (SOS) and the local elections official will conduct a drawing of letters of the alphabet to determine the order in which candidates appear on the ballot. For local offices, candidates should refer to the SOS's drawing, and for State or Legislative offices, candidates should refer to the ROV's drawing for order of their name to appear on the ballot.
E-	77	Tuesday, August 22, 2023	<u>¹ DUE DATE FOR REBUTTAL ARGUMENTS AND IMPARTIAL ANALYSES</u> Deadline set by the Registrar of Voters for submitting rebuttal arguments to primary arguments in favor of and against a measure and impartial analyses.
E-	76 to 67	Wednesday, August 23, 2023 to Friday, September 1, 2023	<u>^{1, 4} EXAMINATION PERIOD FOR ALL REBUTTALS AND IMPARTIAL ANALYSES FILED</u> The elections official shall make the rebuttal arguments and Impartial Analyses available for public examination during business hours for a period of 10-calendar days immediately following the filing deadline for submission of those documents.
E-	67	Friday, September 1, 2023	<u>^{1, 4} FINAL PRINTING DEADLINE</u> Any petition for writ of mandate, including any appeals, should be resolved by this date so the Registrar of Voters can meet necessary printing deadlines.
E-	57 to 14	Monday, September 11, 2023 to Tuesday, October 24, 2023	<u>WRITE-IN CANDIDACY PERIOD</u> Between these dates is the period for candidates to obtain and file write-in nomination documents in the Office of the Registrar of Voters.
E-	40	Thursday, September 28, 2023	<u>² F.P.P.C. 1st PRE-ELECTION STATEMENT DUE</u> Deadline for financial disclosure report Form 460 covering the reporting period noted below or the day after the closing date of the last statement filed. Reporting Period: January 1, 2022 to September 23, 2023
E-	29	Monday, October 9, 2023	<u>FIRST DAY TO BEGIN MAILING VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOTS</u> First day to begin mailing vote-by-mail ballots.
E-	29 to 1	Monday, October 9, 2023 to Monday, November 6, 2023	<u>EARLY VOTING PERIOD AT THE ROV OFFICE</u> Early voting is available at the Registrar of Voters office for individuals wishing to drop off ballot or vote in person during normal business hours, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., beginning 29 days prior the election.
E-	15	Monday, October 23, 2023	<u>LAST DAY TO REGISTER TO VOTE FOR NOVEMBER ELECTION</u> Deadline to register to be eligible to vote in this election with a regular ballot.
E-	12	Thursday, October 26, 2023	<u>² F.P.P.C. 2nd PRE-ELECTION STATEMENT DUE</u> Deadline for financial disclosure report Form 460 covering the reporting period noted below or the day after the closing date of the last statement filed. Reporting Period: September 24, 2023 to October 21, 2023

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E-	10 to 0	Saturday, October 28, 2023 to Tuesday, November 7, 2023	<p><u>VOTE CENTERS OPEN 10 DAYS BEFORE AND INCLUDING ELECTION DAY</u></p> <p>Vote Centers are open to all registered voters in Santa Clara County. Vote Centers are open to all registered voters in jurisdictions holding special elections. Any voter can go to any Vote Center location throughout the County. Hours may vary by location and locations may vary with each election – please see listing on our website at sccvote.com or click link below.</p> <p>Official Ballot Drop Box and Vote Center Sites Information (The ROV website will update for each election.)</p>
E-	7	Tuesday, October 31, 2023	<p><u>LAST DAY TO REQUEST VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOT TO BE MAILED</u></p> <p>Deadline at 5:00 p.m. to submit a request for a Vote-by-Mail ballot to be mailed to voter.</p>
E	0	Tuesday, November 7, 2023	<p><u>ELECTION DAY</u></p> <p>All Vote Centers and ROV office are open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. for dropping off ballot or voting in person. Ballots must be postmarked by this date to ensure eligibility of counted votes.</p>
E+	22	Wednesday, November 29, 2023	<p><u>ELECTIONS OFFICIAL TO NOTIFY VOTER OF VERIFICATION OF SIGNATURE</u></p> <p>In the case of a voter whose signature does not match or is missing, the elections official is required to notify the voter at least 8 days before the certification of the election of an opportunity to update the voter's signature.</p>
E+	28	Tuesday, December 5, 2023	<p><u>SIGNATURE VERIFICATION DATE</u></p> <p>Last day to turn in unsigned ballots or signature verification statements.</p>
E+	30	Thursday, December 7, 2023	<p><u>OFFICIAL CANVASS OF VOTE</u></p> <p>Registrar of Voters to certify election results.</p>
E+	85	Wednesday, January 31, 2024	<p><u>² F.P.C. SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT DUE</u></p> <p>Deadline for semi-annual financial disclosure report Form 460 covering the reporting period noted below or the day after the closing date of the last statement filed.</p> <p>Reporting Period: January 1, 2022 to June 30, 2022</p>