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**ABBREVIATED GUBERNATORIAL PRIMARY
AND SPECIAL RECALL ELECTION CALENDAR
June 5, 2018
Santa Clara County**

DATES	ACTIVITIES / DOCUMENTS
December 14, 2017 - February 7, 2018 (E - 173 to E - 118)	<u>SIGNATURES IN LIEU OF FILING FEE PERIOD</u> All offices for which there is a filing fee.
January 29, 2018 - February 7, 2018 (E - 127 to E - 118)	<u>DECLARATION OF INTENTION PERIOD</u> Judicial offices only. Incumbents must file during this period.
February 6, 2018	<u>CALL OF SPECIAL RECALL ELECTION</u> On this date, the Board of Supervisors accepted the Certification of the Registrar of Voters and ordered a Special Election to Recall Superior Court Judge Persky from Office and that a Successor be Elected.
February 7, 2018 – February 20, 2018	<u>SPECIAL RECALL ELECTION - SIGNATURES IN LIEU OF FILING FEE</u> Available ONLY for those seeking to be a candidate for the successor election.
February 8, 2018 - February 12, 2018 (E - 117 to E - 113)	<u>DECLARATION OF INTENTION EXTENSION PERIOD</u> If the incumbent judge has not filed a Declaration of Intention to succeed to the same office, then any other person, other than the incumbent, may file such a declaration during the extension period.
February 12, 2018 (E - 113)	<u>NOMINATIONS PERIOD OPENS</u> First day candidates may pick up nomination documents at the Office of the Registrar of Voters.
February 21, 2018 – March 2, 2018	<u>SPECIAL RECALL ELECTION - DECLARATION OF INTENTION PERIOD</u> Available ONLY for those seeking to be a candidate for the successor election to the office for the recall of superior court judge.
March 7, 2018 - June 5, 2018 (E - 90 to E)	<u>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.
March 7, 2018 – March 22, 2018	<u>SPECIAL RECALL ELECTION - NOMINATION PERIOD</u> This special nomination period is available ONLY for those seeking to be a candidate for the successor election for the recall of superior court judge. This period is also the timeframe for which an officeholder who is subject to the recall may submit a 200-word statement that will appear in the County Voter Information Guide with any other statements submitted by successor candidates.

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March 9, 2018 (E - 88)	<u>NOMINATION PERIOD CLOSSES*</u> Deadline to file (in the Office of the Registrar of Voters only) all required nomination documents.
March 9, 2018 (E - 88)	<u>DUE DATE FOR MEASURE RESOLUTIONS AND TAX RATE STATEMENTS*</u> Deadline for jurisdictions to submit resolution calling for a measure election, and if applicable, tax rate statements.
March 10, 2018 - March 14, 2018 (E - 87 to E - 83)	<u>EXTENSION PERIOD*</u> If the incumbent fails to file a Declaration of Candidacy by March 9th for his or her office, there will be a 5-calendar-day extension during which any candidate, other than the incumbent, may file for said office.
March 13, 2018 (E - 84)	<u>DUE DATE FOR ARGUMENTS*</u> Deadline set by the Registrar of Voters for submitting arguments in favor of and against a measure.
March 15, 2018 (E - 82)	<u>RANDOMIZED ALPHABET DRAWING</u> This day the Secretary of State 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.
March 20, 2018 (E - 77)	<u>DUE DATE FOR REBUTTAL ARGUMENTS AND IMPARTIAL ANALYSES*</u> Deadline set by the Registrar of Voters for submitting rebuttals to arguments in favor of and against a measure and impartial analyses.
March 22, 2018	<u>SPECIAL RECALL ELECTION NOMINATION PERIOD CLOSSES*</u> Deadline to file (in the Office of the Registrar of Voters only) all required nomination documents for the special recall election. This special nomination period is available ONLY for those seeking to be a candidate for the successor election for the recall of superior court judge.
April 26, 2018 (E - 40)	<u>F.P.P.C. 1ST PRE-ELECTION STATEMENT DUE</u> Deadline for financial disclosure report form 460 covering the period of 1-1-18 to 4-21-18.
April 9, 2018 - May 22, 2018 (E - 57 to E - 14)	<u>WRITE-IN CANDIDACY PERIOD</u> Time for write-in candidates to obtain and file write-in nomination documents in the Office of the Registrar of Voters.
May 7, 2018 (E - 29)	<u>FIRST DAY FOR MAILING OF VOTE BY MAIL BALLOTS</u> First day of mailing of Vote by Mail ballots.

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May 21, 2018 (E - 15)	<u>LAST DAY TO REGISTER TO VOTE FOR JUNE ELECTION</u> Deadline to register to vote in the June 5, 2018 Election.
May 22, 2018 (E - 14 to E)	<u>CONDITIONAL VOTER REGISTRATION</u> Eligible voters who missed the 5-21-18 registration deadline may come to the Office of the Registrar of Voters between 5-22-18 and 6-5-18 to conditionally register and vote.
May 24, 2018 (E - 12)	<u>F.P.P.C. 2ND PRE-ELECTION STATEMENT DUE</u> Deadline for financial disclosure report Form 460 covering the period of 4-22-18** to 5-19-18.
May 29, 2018 (E - 7)	<u>LAST DAY TO REQUEST VOTE BY MAIL BALLOT BY MAIL</u> Deadline at 5:00 p.m. to submit a request for a Vote by Mail ballot to be mailed to voter.
June 5, 2018 (E)	<u>ELECTION DAY</u> Polls are open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
July 5, 2018 (E + 30)	<u>OFFICIAL CANVASS OF VOTE</u> Registrar of Voters to certify election results by July 5, 2018.

This calendar may not contain all of a candidate's or district's filing requirements. The Office of the Registrar of Voters is not open for filings on Saturday, Sunday or holidays.

* Refer to California Elections Code for details of public examination periods and writs of mandate.

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