

**REVISED 2/1/21 ABBREVIATED  
MAIL BALLOT ELECTION CALENDAR  
May 4, 2021  
County of Santa Clara Registrar of Voters**

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# of Days Prior to or Following Election	Activity Periods and Due Date(s)	ACTIVITIES / DOCUMENTS	
E-	103 to 88	January 21, 2021 to February 5, 2021	<p><b><sup>1</sup> <u>PERIOD FOR MEASURE RESOLUTIONS AND TAX RATE STATEMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE ROV</u></b></p> <p>Between these dates is the period for jurisdictions to submit a resolution calling for a measure special election, and if applicable, tax rate statements. The ROV encourages jurisdictions to provide a resolution as early as possible.</p>
E-	90 to 0	February 3, 2021 to May 4, 2021	<p><b><sup>2</sup> <u>CONTRIBUTION / INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURES</u></b></p> <p>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.</p>
E-	88	February 5, 2021	<p><b><u>LAST DATE FOR PROPONENTS TO WITHDRAW AN INITIATIVE</u></b></p> <p>Last day for proponents to withdraw an initiative that qualified for the ballot.</p>
E-	84	February 9, 2021	<p><b><sup>1</sup> <u>DUE DATE FOR PRIMARY ARGUMENTS</u></b></p> <p>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.</p>
E-	83	February 10, 2021	<p><b><u>LAST DAY TO AMEND OR WITHDRAW A MEASURE</u></b></p> <p>Deadline for jurisdictions to amend or withdraw a measure from the ballot. The measure must be amended or withdrawn by resolution.</p>
E-	83 to 74	February 10, 2021 to February 19, 2021	<p><b><sup>1,4</sup> <u>EXAMINATION PERIOD FOR ALL PRIMARY ARGUMENTS FILED</u></b></p> <p>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.</p>
E-	77	February 16, 2021	<p><b><sup>1</sup> <u>DUE DATE FOR REBUTTAL ARGUMENTS AND IMPARTIAL ANALYSES</u></b></p> <p>Deadline set by the Registrar of Voters for submitting rebuttal arguments to primary arguments in favor of and against a measure and impartial analyses.</p>
E-	76 to 67	February 17, 2021 to February 26, 2021	<p><b><sup>1,4</sup> <u>EXAMINATION PERIOD FOR ALL REBUTTALS AND IMPARTIAL ANALYSES FILED</u></b></p> <p>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.</p>
E-	67	February 26, 2021	<p><b><sup>1</sup> <u>FINAL PRINTING DEADLINE</u></b></p> <p>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.</p>

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E- 40	March 25, 2021	<p><b><u><sup>2</sup> F.P.P.C. 1<sup>st</sup> PRE-ELECTION STATEMENT DUE</u></b> 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.</p> <p><b>Reporting Period:</b> January 1, 2021 to March 20, 2021</p>
E- 29	April 5, 2021	<p><b><u>FIRST DAY FOR MAILING OF VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOTS</u></b> First day of mailing of Vote-by-Mail ballots.</p>
E- 29 to 1	April 5, 2021 to May 3, 2021	<p><b><u>EARLY VOTING PERIOD AT THE ROV OFFICE</u></b> 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.</p>
E- 15	April 19, 2021	<p><b><u><sup>2</sup> LAST DAY TO REGISTER TO VOTE FOR MARCH ELECTION</u></b> Deadline to register to be eligible to vote in the May 4, 2021 election.</p>
E- 12	April 22, 2021	<p><b><u><sup>2</sup> F.P.P.C. 2<sup>nd</sup> PRE-ELECTION STATEMENT DUE</u></b> 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.</p> <p><b>Reporting Period:</b> March 21, 2021 to April 17, 2021</p>
E- 7	April 27, 2021	<p><b><u>LAST DAY TO REQUEST VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOT TO BE MAILED</u></b> Deadline at 5:00 p.m. to submit a request for a Vote-by-Mail ballot to be mailed to voter.</p>
E 0	May 4, 2021	<p><b><u>ELECTION DAY</u></b> ROV office is 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	May 26, 2021	<p><b><u>ELECTIONS OFFICIAL TO NOTIFY VOTER OF VERIFICATION OF SIGNATURE</u></b> 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	June 1, 2021	<p><b><u>SIGNATURE VERIFICATION DATE</u></b> Last day to turn in unsigned ballots or signature verification statements.</p>
E+ 30	June 3, 2021	<p><b><u>OFFICIAL CANVASS OF VOTE</u></b> Registrar of Voters to certify election results by June 3, 2021.</p>
E+ 90	August 2, 2021	<p><b><u><sup>2,3</sup> F.P.P.C. SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT DUE</u></b> Deadline for semi-annual financial disclosure report Form 460.</p> <p><b>Reporting Period:</b> April 18, 2021 to June 30, 2021</p>