## Consolidated District Election Calendar Tuesday, November 3, 2015

County of Stanislaus – Registrar of Voters (ROV)

Code references, unless otherwise stated, refer to California Election Code (EC), Government Code (GC) & Education Code (ED Code).

Prior to Soliciting or Accepting Contributions for Campaign Purposes	All candidates must file FPPC Form 501 - Candidate Intention Statement Form 501 must be filed with the appropriate filing officer <b>before</b> soliciting or accepting contributions to their campaign.  GC 85200
See Attached Measure Consolidation Calendar	Governing Bodies Requesting Measure Consolidation  Pursuant to EC 10403, Measure Resolutions are to be submitted to the Board of Supervisors requesting consolidation with this election by E-88; however the ROV has administrative deadlines necessary to meet vendor and print deadlines. See attached Measure Consolidation Calendar for ROV administrative deadlines.
June 29 – July 13 (E-127 to E-113)	Municipal Notice of Election For cities consolidating with this election, the city clerk shall publish a Notice of Election between these dates. The notice shall contain the date of the election, polling hours, any offices to be filled and/or measures to be voted on, the qualifications required for each office, location where declaration of candidacy forms will be available, where the forms are to be filed and the deadline for filing these forms.  EC 12101, 12102, 12112
July 3 (E-123)	Specifications of the Election Order School boards shall deliver this document to the County Superintendent of Schools and the county elections official.  ED Code 5322
July 6 – August 5 (E-120 to E-90)	County Notice of Election The county elections official shall publish a Notice of Election between these dates. The notice shall contain the date of the general district election, name of the offices for which candidates may file, state the qualifications required for each office, location where declaration of candidacy forms will be available, where the forms are to be filed and the deadline for filing these forms.
July 12 (E-114)	Municipal Calling of Special Election to Fill Vacancy Last date for a city council to call a special election to fill a vacancy on the next regularly established election date, to be held not less than 114 days from the call of the election. If the election is not called by this date, the vacancy cannot go to election on this established election date.  GC 36512 (b)
July 13 – August 7 5:00 p.m. (E-113 to E-88)	Candidate Nomination Period Candidates (including incumbents seeking re-election to the same office) must file nomination documents with the county elections official during this period. Optional Candidate Statements of Qualifications are due.  EC 10220, 10510, 13307
July 31 (E-95)	FPPC Semi-Annual Campaign Statement Due For period covering 1/1/15 – 6/30/15.  GC 84200, 84218
August 5 – November 2 (E-90 to E-1)	FPPC Late Contributions and Independent Expenditures of \$1000 or More Within 24 hours of the transaction, FPPC Form 462, Form 496 or Form 497 must be filed with the appropriate filing officer GC 82036, 82036.5, 84200.6
August 7 5:00 p.m. (E-88)	Close of Candidate Nomination Period Candidate nomination documents are due. Incumbents who wish to file as a candidate for their own office must file by this date. Last day to withdraw declaration of candidacy papers except when there is an extension to that office. FPPC Statements of Economic Interest Form 700 are due.  EC 8020, 10407; GC 87201
August 8 - August 12 5:00 p.m. (E-87 to E-83)	Extension of Candidate Nomination Period  Extension period for candidates other than the incumbent <u>if</u> the incumbent did not file by E-88. This provision does not apply if there is no incumbent to be re-elected.  EC 10225, 10407,10516,10604

August 13 11:00 a.m. (E-82)	Randomized Alphabet Drawing Conducted by the Secretary of State to determine candidate name order as it will appear on the ballot.  EC 13112
August 13 – August 23 (E-82 to E-72)	<b>10-Day Public Examination Period For Statement of Qualifications</b> During this period any voter of the jurisdiction or the county elections official may seek a writ of mandate or an injunction requiring any or all of the materials to be amended or deleted. The writ of mandate or injunction must be filed no later than the end of this period.  EC 13313
September 4 (E-60)	Special Vote By Mail Ballot Requests First day the county elections official may process applications for special Vote by Mail ballot requests (Military and Overseas voters).  EC 300, 3103
September 24 – October 13 (E-40 to E-21)	Sample Ballot Pamphlets Pamphlets are mailed to each registered voter during this time.  EC 13303
September 24 (E-40)	1 <sup>st</sup> FPPC Pre-Election Campaign Statement Due For the period covering 7/1/15 – 9/19/15.  GC 84200.7(b)(1)
October 5 – October 27 (E-29 to E-7)	Regular Vote by Mail Ballot Mailing and processing period for Vote by Mail ballots. Ballots will be available at the county elections office.  EC 15101
October 19 (E-15)	15-Day Close Last day to register for this election. Postmarks, DMV and personal delivery to the elections office are acceptable.  EC 2107
October 22 (E-12)	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> FPPC Pre-Election Campaign Statement Due</b> For the period covering 9/20/15 – 10/17/15.  GC 84200.7(b)(2)
October 27 (E-7)	Municipal Publication  Not later than one week before the election, the city clerk shall publish a list of the nominees and the respective offices for which they have been nominated. If applicable, this publication shall also include a synopsis of any measure that will appear on the ballot.  EC 12110, 12111
October 28 – November 3 (E-6 to E)	Special 7-Day Ballots Available Available at the county elections office for those voters unable to vote at the polls on Election Day.  EC 3021
November 3 (E)	ELECTION DAYPolls are open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.EC 1000, 14212
November 5 –November 23 (E+2 to E+20)	Canvass of the Vote Official canvass of precinct returns shall commence and be completed during this period. The ROV shall prepare a certified statement of the results and submit it to the governing bodies involved with this election.  EC 15301, 15372
December 4	Elected and Appointed District Officials Will Take Office At noon on the first Friday in December following this election.  EC 10554
February 1, 2016	FPPC Semi-Annual Campaign Statement Due  For period covering 10/18/15 – 12/31/15 (if required to file pre-election statements)  For period covering 7/1/15 – 12/31/15 (if not required to file pre-election statements)  GC 84200, 84218
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## **Measure Consolidation Calendar**

## Municipal and Special District Consolidated District Election – November 3, 2015

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## These dates reflect Stanislaus County Registrar of Voters (ROV) administrative deadlines.

Measure Consolidation	Governing Bodies Requesting Measure Consolidation Pursuant to EC 10403, Measure Resolutions are to be submitted to the Board of Supervisors (BOS) requesting consolidation with this election by E-88; however the ROV has administrative deadlines necessary to meet vendor and print deadlines.
July 3, 2015 (E-123)	Consolidation of a Measure with the General District Election (UDEL) Last day to submit a Resolution requesting consolidation to Board of Supervisors to be calendared for the July 14, 2015 BOS meeting. Resolution to include: request for ROV to provide services, ballot question (75 word limit), passage requirements, full text (including Tax Rate Statement and Fiscal Impact Report, if applicable), and Impartial Analysis (if already prepared). Such request shall be made to the Board of Supervisors and a copy of the request to the ROV.  EC 9140, 9160, 9222, 9280, 9313, 10002, 10403
July 6, 2015 (E-120)	Publication For Special District, School District and County Measures, the county elections official shall publish a notice that includes the election date, election location, ballot question, passage requirement and argument and rebuttal deadlines. EC 9163  For Municipal Measures, the city clerk will publish this notice for measures that are consolidated with the UDEL election.  For Municipal Measures, the city clerk shall publish a synopsis of the measure at least one time not later than one week before the election in a newspaper of general circulation in the city.  EC 12111
July 14, 2015	Board of Supervisors Meeting Calendar date for BOS to approve consolidation.
July 17, 2015 (E-109)	Deadline: Arguments For and Against  GC 57146; EC 9162, 9282, 9315
July 27, 2015 (E-99)	Deadline: Rebuttals to Arguments For and Against EC 9167, 9285, 9286, 9317
July 28, 2015 – August 7, 2015 (E-98 to E-88)	10-Day Public Examination Period <i>EC 9190, 9380, 9286, 9295</i>
November 3, 2015	Election Day  EC 1000

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