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DATE	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DESCRIPTION
Oct. 27 (119)	City Council	ORDER OF ELECTION (E.C. §§ 11240, 11242) Governing body must order election within 14 days after receiving the certificate of sufficiency of recall petition. The election shall be held not less than 88 and no more than 125 days after the issuance of the order. City Council will be presented with the certificate on October 13.
Oct. 27 (119)	City Council	BOUNDARY CHANGES (E.C. § 12262) Suggested last day boundary changes may be made for this election.
Oct. 27 (119)	City Council / City Clerk	LAST DAY TO ADOPT REGULATIONS REGARDING CANDIDATE STATEMENTS (E.C. § 13307) Last day for local agency to adopt or amend regulations regarding charges for printing candidate's statement.
Oct. 28 – Nov. 2 (118-113)	City Clerk	PUBLISH NOTICE OF ELECTION (E.C. § 12101; G.C. §§ 6060, 6061) Publish Notice of Election one time between these dates. The notice will include date and time of election, nomination deadline, the offices to be filled, and hours the polls will be open. The Notice is to be published in a newspaper of general circulation published in the City. Federal law requires publication to be made in English and Spanish.
Nov. 2 – Dec. 10 (113-75)	Candidates / City Clerk	 NOMINATION PERIOD (E.C. §§ 10220, 11381, 13107, 13307, 13309, 13311; G.C. §§ 36503, 87201 et seq.) Between these dates candidates may take out and file nomination papers with the City Clerk during normal business hours as posted. The ballot designation worksheet must be filed at the same time as the Declaration of Candidacy. Candidate statements must be filed at the same time nomination petitions are filed. Statements are confidential until the deadline for filing has passed. Statement of Economic Interest must be filed by the final filing date.
Nov. 2 – Dec. 10 (113-75)	Candidates / City Clerk	CODE OF FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES (E.C. § 20400 et seq.) At the time a candidate is issued nomination papers, the City Clerk shall issue the Code of Fair Campaign Practices. The City Clerk shall inform the candidate that filing the code is voluntary. The code may be filed anytime prior to the election and is available for public inspection until 30 days after the election.

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		NOTIFY PERSON WHOSE RECALL IS SOUGHT (E.C. § 11327)
Nov. 2 – Nov. 6 (113-109)	City Clerk	Statement may be filed by officer whose recall is being sought. City Clerk will notify officer during first week of nomination period of last day to file statement and of campaign disclosure requirements.
Dec. 10 (75)	Candidates / City Clerk	LAST DAY TO FILE NOMINATION PAPERS AND/OR WITHDRAW (E.C. § 10220 et seq.; G.C. § 87207 et seq.)
		Nomination papers and candidate statements must be filed no later than this date. Candidates may withdraw their nomination until the close of the nomination period.
		PUBLIC EXAM PERIOD (E.C. § 13313) There will be a 10 day exam period for Candidate Statements filed. The period will be held December 11 thru December 20.
Dec. 11	Condidatos /	WITHDRAW CANDIDATE STATEMENTS (E.C. § 13307)
Dec. 11 (74)	Candidates / City Clerk	Last day to withdraw candidate statements. Withdrawal of candidate statements must be in writing to the City Clerk.
Dec. 11	Secretary of State	RANDOMIZED ALPHABET (E.C. § 13112)
Dec. 11 (74)		On this date the Secretary of State shall conduct a drawing of the alphabet for determining the order of candidate's names on the ballot.
Dec. 14 (71)	City Clerk	SUBMIT NAMES OF CANDIDATES TO REGISTRAR OF VOTERS (E.C. §§ 10403, 11381)
		Last day to submit to the Registrar of Voters names and ballot designations of candidates as they are to appear on the ballot. The Certified List should be submitted in alphabetical order by office.
		PUBLISH NOMINEES (E.C. § 12110)
Dec. 18 (67)	City Clerk	Suggested date to publish candidate's names in the random order that they will appear on the ballot, and the respective offices for which they have been nominated.
Dec. 28 (57)	Candidates / City Clerk	FIRST DAY NOMINATION PAPERS FOR WRITE-IN CANDIDACY WILL BE AVAILABLE (E.C. § 8600 et seq.)
		Any qualifying person wishing to file as a write-in candidate may pick up nomination papers beginning on this date. Papers must be filed with the City Clerk no later than 14 days prior to election day. Write-in candidates must also file Statement of Economic Interest and campaign disclosure statements.
Dec. 29 (56)	Registrar of Voters	ORDER PRINTING OF ELECTION MATERIAL (E.C. § 13313)
		Suggested date to prepare copy for printer and order ballots.

DATE	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DESCRIPTION
Jan. 1 – Jan. 31	Candidates / Committees / City Clerk	FILING PERIOD FOR SEMI-ANNUAL CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (G.C. § 84200) Statement covers transactions through December 31. Statements must be sent by personal delivery or first class mail.
Jan. 10 – Jan. 14 (44-40)	Candidates / Committees / City Clerk	 FILING PERIOD FOR FIRST PRE-ELECTION CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (G.C. §§ 84200.5, 84200.8) Filing period for 1st pre-election campaign statement covers transactions through January 9. Statements must be sent by personal delivery or first class mail.
Jan. 11 (43)	Registrar of Voters	 SATELLITE LOCATION PRESS RELEASE (E.C. § 3018) Notice of satellite locations shall be made by the elections official by the issuance of a general news release, issued not later than 14 days prior to voting at the satellite location, except that in a county with a declared emergency or disaster, notice shall be made not later than 48 hours prior to voting at the satellite location. The news release shall set forth the following information: ■ The satellite location or locations. ■ The dates and hours the satellite location or locations will be open. ■ A telephone number that voters may use to obtain information regarding vote-by-mail ballots and the satellite locations.
Jan. 14 – Feb. 2 (40-21)	Registrar of Voters	 MAIL SAMPLE BALLOTS AND OTHER ELECTION MATERIALS TO VOTERS (E.C. §§ 13303, 13307) Between these dates the Registrar of Voters shall mail a sample ballot to each voter, who is registered at least 29 days prior to the election.
Jan. 25 (29)	Registrar of Voters	MAILED BALLOT PRECINCTS (E.C. §§ 3005, 3010, 3017, 3018, 3020) Approximate date to mail notices to voters in mailed ballot precincts, send official ballot and election material. Mail ballot precincts have less than 250 voters.
Jan. 25 – Feb. 16 (29-7)	Registrar of Voters	VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOT APPLICATIONS (E.C. §§ 3001, 3006, 3021, 3200) Applications for Vote-by-Mail ballots may be made in person or by mail during this time frame.
Jan. 25 (29)	Registrar of Voters	 PRECINCTS, POLLING PLACES & ELECTION OFFICERS (E.C. §§ 12280 et seq., 12300 et seq.) Last day for Registrar of Voters to establish polling places and appoint election officers for this election. Immediately following appointment, the Registrar shall mail appointment notices to election officers.

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Jan. 25 – Feb. 13	Jan. 25 – Feb. 13 (29-10) Registrar of Voters	PUBLISH POLLING PLACES & CENTRAL COUNTING PLACE (E.C. §§ 12105, 12109)
		Suggested date to publish polling places. The notice will include the hours that the polls will be open and a Notice of Central Counting Place.
Feb. 7 – Feb. 11 (16-12)	Candidates / Committees / City Clerk	FILING PERIOD FOR SECOND PRE-ELECTION CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (G.C. §§ 84200.5, 84200.8)
		Filing period for 2 nd pre-election campaign statement covers transactions through February 6. Statements must be sent by personal delivery or guaranteed overnight service.
Feb. 8	Registrar of	CLOSE OF REGISTRATION (E.C. §§ 2106, 2107)
(15)	Voters	Last day to register or transfer registration for this election.
		COLLECTION CENTERS PUBLIC NOTICE (E.C. § 15260)
Feb. 8 (15)	Registrar of Voters	In establishing a collection center, the elections official may designate a group of precincts which the center shall serve and this designation shall be available for public inspection no later than 15 days before the election.
		VOTE-BY-MAIL PROCESSING PUBLIC NOTICE (E.C. § 15104)
Feb. 8 (15)	Registrar of Voters	The elections official shall notify vote-by-mail voter observers and the public at least 48 hours in advance of the dates, times, and places where vote-by-mail ballots will be processed and counted.
Feb. 9	Candidates / City Clerk	FILE DECLARATION OF WRITE-IN CANDIDACY (E.C. §§ 8600 et seq., 15340 et seq.)
(14)		Last day for write-in candidates to submit their write-in nomination papers including petitions to the City Clerk.
		POST ELECTION OFFICERS & POLLING PLACES (E.C. § 12105.5)
Feb. 9 – Feb. 16 (14-7)	Registrar of Voters	Not less than one week before the election, the elections official shall post a list of all current polling places and a list of election officers appointed by the 15 th day before the election. The elections official shall post this list in his or her office and on his or her Web site. The list shall remain posted for 30 days after completion of the canvass.
		PROCESS BALLOTS (E.C. § 15101 et. seq.)
Feb. 11 (12)	Registrar of Voters	When ballots are to be counted by computer, the Registrar of Voters may begin processing ballots 7 business days prior to the election. No count may be made until after the polls close on election day.
Lab 15	Registrar of Voters	LIST OF VOTERS AND POLLING PLACE INFORMATION
Feb. 15 (8)		Approximate date that Registrar of Voters will provide list of voters to City Clerk with polling place information.

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		LOGIC AND ACCURACY TESTING (E.C. § 15000)
Feb. 16 (7)	Registrar of Voters	No later than seven days prior to any election, the elections official shall conduct a test or series of tests to ensure that every device used to tabulate ballots accurately records each vote.
		MANUAL TALLY PUBLIC NOTICE (E.C. § 15360)
Feb. 19 (4)	Registrar of Voters	The manual tally shall be a public process, with the official conducting the election providing at least a five day public notice of the time and place of the manual tally and of the time and place of the selection of the precincts to be tallied prior to conducting the tally and selection.
	****	ELECTION DAY
Feb. 23	VOTE	The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. and will close at 8:00 p.m. Vote-by-Mail ballots may be turned in, before the polls close, at any polling place in the jurisdiction.
Feb. 25 (+2)	Registrar of Voters	CANVASS ELECTION RETURNS (E.C. §§ 10260 et seq., 11328, 15301 et seq.)
		Registrar of Voters shall commence the official canvass on this day.
Feb. 26 –	Registrar of	ONE PERCENT MANUAL TALLY (E.C. § 15360)
Mar. 10 +(3-15)	Voters	During the Official Canvass the Elections Official shall conduct a public manual tally in 1 percent of the precincts chosen at random by the elections official
		SEND STATEMENT OF RESULTS (E.C. 10262, 10263, 11381 et. seq.)
Mar. 19 (+24)	City Council/ City Clerk	Upon receipt of certified results from the Registrar of Voters, the governing body shall, no later than the fourth Friday after the election, meet to declare the results of the election. If the recall prevails, the candidate receiving the highest number of votes for the office shall be declared elected for the unexpired term of the recalled officer.
		POST ELECTION OFFICERS & POLLING PLACES (E.C. § 12105.5)
Mar. 23 (+28)	Registrar of Voters	Not later than 28 days after the election, the elections official shall post an updated list of polling places and election officers that actually served on election day. The elections official shall post this list in his or her office and on his or her Web site. The list shall remain posted for 30 days after completion of the canvass.
Mar. 25	Registrar of Voters	COST OF ELECTION
(+30)		Approximate date to send invoice to jurisdiction for cost of election.

DATE	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DESCRIPTION
July 1 – July 31	Candidates / Committees / City Clerk	 FILING PERIOD FOR SEMI-ANNUAL CAMPAIGN DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (G.C. § 84200) Statement covers transactions through June 30. Statements must be sent by personal delivery or first class mail.
Note: Whenever a date prescribed by law falls on a weekend or holiday, such act may be performed on the next business day (E.C. § 15; G.C. §§ 6700, 6701)		