

Office of the City Clerk

City of Arts & Innovation

April 12, 2021

Dear City of Riverside Voter:

On June 8, 2021, the City of Riverside is conducting an all-mail ballot election for the purpose of electing members of the City Council for Wards 2, 4, and 6. Please see attached map for specific ward locations. All ballots will be cast by mail-in only. Postage-paid envelopes are provided for returning the completed ballot. Ballots may also be dropped off at the City Clerk's Office or the Registrar of Voters Office during regular business hours.

- City of Riverside, City Clerk's Office 3900 Main Street Hours: 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., Monday – Friday (951) 826-5557
- Registrar of Voters Office
  2720 Gateway Drive
  Hours: 8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m., Monday Friday
  1-800-773-VOTE (8683) or (951) 486-7200

For voter convenience, ballot drop-off locations throughout the city will be open Monday, June 7 and Tuesday, June 8, 2021. Please refer to the enclosed materials for sites and hours of operation. Ballots *must be received* by the Registrar of Voters by close of polls on Election Day or be postmarked on or before June 8, 2021 *and* received by the Registrar of Voters by June 11, 2021 for the ballot to be counted.

**All voters are encouraged to vote early.** The last day to register to vote to participate in this election is May 24, 2021. If you have questions, please contact either the City Clerk's Office or Registrar of Voters at numbers provided above.

The City of Riverside and Registrar of Voters are dedicated to serving the voters of Riverside ensuring integrity and security of the elections process. We look forward to counting your vote!

Sincerely.

DONESIA GAUSE, MMC City Clerk

#### CITY OF RIVERSIDE MAIL BALLOT ELECTION JUNE 8, 2021

#### POLLING PLACES <u>WILL NOT</u> BE ESTABLISHED FOR THIS ELECTION.

The enclosed ballot is your **OFFICIAL BALLOT** for this election.

#### **VOTING INSTRUCTIONS**

Your voted ballot must be in the possession of the Registrar of Voters office no later than 8:00 p.m. on Election Day or be postmarked on or before Election Day and received no later than three days after Election Day to be counted.

1. Use a black ink pen or marker. DO NOT use red ink.

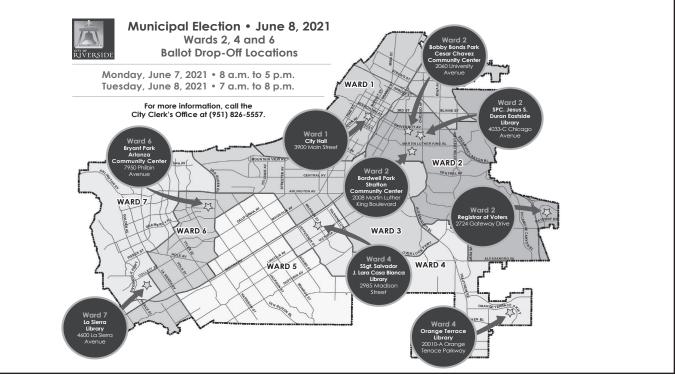
- a. To vote for a candidate whose name appears on the ballot, completely fill in the oval next to the name of the candidate for whom you wish to vote.
- b. To vote for a qualified write-in candidate, print the candidate's name in the space provided below the candidates listed for the same office and completely fill in the oval next to the name you have written in. (*Important!* If you do not completely fill in the oval, your vote will not be counted.)
- c. Completely filling in the oval is preferred. Vote for no more than the number of votes allowed in each contest (e.g. vote for one, vote for no more than two, etc.).
- 2. Remove the top stub and place the voted ballot card in the return envelope provided. Please keep the ballot folded the same way as you received it.
- a. Sign your name and print your address where indicated. If you fail to sign the envelope your vote cannot be counted; and
- b. Seal the envelope.
- 3. Return your ballot:
  - a. By mail:
    - A postage-paid envelope is provided to conveniently return your ballot by mail. Voters residing outside of the territorial limits of the United States must add postage appropriate for their current location.
  - b. In person to:
    - The Registrar of Voters office or the Riverside City Clerk's office during regular business hours and until 8:00 p.m. on Election Day. Since this is a mail ballot election, there are **no established polling places**. For your convenience the Registrar's office has a locked drop box at its entry for ballot drop off 24 hours a day.
    - The Voter Assistance Center located at Blindness Support Services, Inc. 3696 Beatty Dr. #A, Riverside, CA 92506 on Election Day from 7:00 a.m. 8:00 p.m.
      Designated ballot drop off locations listed below.
  - c. You may verify that the Registrar of Voters has received your voted ballot by checking the return status online at <u>www.voteinfo.net</u>.

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- UNABLE TO RETURN YOUR BALLOT PERSONALLY? State law allows you to authorize any individual to return your Vote-by-Mail ballot, as long as the authorized person does not receive any form of compensation based on the number of ballots returned. Have your designated representative complete the authorization statement on the enclosed return envelope.
- SPOILED YOUR BALLOT? Place the ballot card in the enclosed return envelope, place a check mark in the spoiled box on the return envelope and return it to our office. A new ballot will be sent to you if there is sufficient time to do so. If there is not sufficient time to return your ballot and receive another by mail, you may return your ballot personally to the Registrar of Voters office or call for further instructions at (951) 486-7200 or (800) 773-8683.
- · ACCESSIBLE VOTING UNIT. An Accessible Voting Unit is available at the Registrar of Voters office and the Voter Assistance Center.
- REGISTRATION DEADLINE. The registration deadline to vote for this election is May 24, 2021.

Each candidate's statement is volunteered by the candidate and is printed at the expense of the candidate. Statements made on the following pages represent the views of authors and are not endorsed by the City of Riverside or the County of Riverside. Internet website addresses included in any statements are provided by the authors. Neither the County of Riverside nor the City of Riverside assume liability for the accuracy or content of websites listed therein. The text, grammar, and spelling are as submitted by the authors.

For a demonstration on marking your ballot visit www.voteinfo.net.



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**OFFICIAL BALLOT / BOLETA OFICIAL** 

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#### CITY OF RIVERSIDE MAIL BALLOT ELECTION ELECCIÓN DE BOLETA POR CORREO DE LA CIUDAD DE RIVERSIDE RIVERSIDE COUNTY / CONDADO DE RIVERSIDE JUNE 8, 2021 / 8 DE JUNIO DE 2021



**Instructions to Voters:** To vote, completely fill in the oval to the left of your choice, like the example to the left. To vote for a qualified write-in candidate, write the person's name in the write-in space and fill in the oval. Use a black ink pen or marker to mark your ballot. DO NOT USE RED INK.



Instrucciones a los Votantes: Para votar, completamente rellene el óvalo a la izquierda de su deseo, como el ejemplo a la izquierda. Para votar por un candidato calificado por escrito, escriba el nombre de la persona en el espacio por escrito y rellene el óvalo. Use un bolígrafo o marcador de tinta negra para marcar su boleta. NO USE TINTA ROJA.

NONPARTISAN OFFICES CARGOS NO PARTIDARIOS

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CITY OF RIVERSIDE CIUDAD DE RIVERSIDE

Member, City Council, Ward 6 Miembro, Concejo Municipal, Distrito 6 Vote for One / Vote por Uno

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## **CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR**

	CANDIDATE STATEMENT FOR CITY COUNCIL MEMBER, CITY OF RIVERSIDE, WARD 6
	AGE: 63 Councilman / Retired Policeman D QUALIFICATIONS:
My promise today is the same as when I first ran for City Council, to be proactive, accessible and available to make a difference in Riverside.	
is my life's passio	rs of public service experience, serving our community on. I spend the majority of my time in our neighborhoods sets, knocking on doors and making sure people get the
On the City Council, we've continued to make streets safer, from reducing graffiti to resurfacing streets. I've worked to create new jobs and expand a variety of retail and restaurants, including facilitating the opening of Northgate-Gonzalez Market on Magnolia/Tyler.	
Act funding to ass and families. I op programs. As par	e COVID pandemic, I've supported the use of CARES sist small businesses and food programs for our seniors oposed utility shut offs and supported utility assistance rt of my focus on students, I initiated and participated and programs with the Alvord Unified School District.
	ive lived in Riverside for over 30 years. We raised our it to continue serving you with safer, stronger and better manPerry.com.
Jim Perry Councilman/Retir	red Policeman

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### **Conditional Voter Registration**

Did you forget to register or update your voter registration? No Problem! You can register to vote and vote until 8:00 p.m. on Election Day at the Registrar of Voters office, voter assistance center, or any ballot drop off location. This process is called Conditional Voter Registration (CVR) and is commonly referred to as Same Day Voter Registration. Here's how it works:

- 1. Visit the Registrar of Voters office, voter assistance center, or ballot drop-off location.
- 2. Complete a voter registration card or register online at RegisterToVote.ca.gov.
- 3. Vote your ballot.
- 4. Once the Registrar of Voters processes your registration and determines you are eligible, you will be registered to vote and your ballot will be counted.

To learn more about Conditional Voter Registration, visit vote.ca.gov.

If you have questions regarding Conditional Voter Registration, please call (951) 486-7200 or toll free (800) 773-VOTE (8683).

You may check the status of your voter registration at www.voteinfo.net/AmIRegistered.

## California Motor Voter

The California Motor Voter program is making registering to vote at the California Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) more convenient and secure. All eligible individuals completing driver's license or ID card or change of address transactions at the DMV will be registered to vote with the California Secretary of State unless they "opt out" of automatic voter registration.

The California Motor Voter program applies to Californians who are 18 years or older and meet the following criteria:

- A United States citizen and a resident of California.
- Not currently in state or federal prison for the conviction of a felony.
- Not currently found mentally incompetent to vote by a court.

Note: Voter pre-registration is available for those 16 and 17 years of age. Their voter registration will become active automatically when they turn 18.

Before visiting a DMV field office, we recommend making an appointment. Visit <u>https://www.dmv.ca.gov/portal/dmv/</u> <u>detail/portal/foa/welcome</u> to get started. You can also use DMV online services (<u>https://www.dmv.ca.gov/portal/dmv/</u> <u>dmv/onlinesvcs</u>) to renew your driver's license or ID card or change your address.

If you indicate you're eligible to vote, once you complete your driver's license or state ID renewal form transaction online, by mail or in person at the DMV, your voter information is then transmitted securely and electronically to the California Secretary of State.

Please note that drivers with an AB 60 driver's license are not eligible to participate in the California Motor Voter program and are not eligible to vote.

For more information, visit MotorVoter.sos.ca.gov.

To register to vote online, visit <u>RegisterToVote.ca.gov</u>.

### Language Services

The County of Riverside is making voting easier in 2021!

Some locations will have translated sample ballots available for select precincts that can be used as a reference tool when voting.

You may also request one by calling (800) 733-VOTE (8683), or by visiting <u>www.voteinfo.net</u>. Requests must be received no later than 7 days before the election.

### Servicios de Idiomas

¡El Condado de Riverside hace que votar sea más fácil en 2021!

Algunas ubicaciones tendrán boletas de muestra traducidas que estarán disponibles en recintos electorales seleccionados que se podrán usar como una herramienta de referencia al votar.

También puede pedir una llamando al (800) 733-VOTE (8683) o si visita <u>www.voteinfo.net</u>. Las solicitudes deben recibirse a más tardar 7 días antes de la elección.

### 語言服務

河邊縣在 2021 年簡化了投票流程!

有些地方會翻譯選票範例,讓特定選區用來作為投票時的參考工具。

您也可以透過撥打 (800) 733-VOTE (8683) 或造訪 <u>www.voteinfo.net</u> 索取一份範例。我們接收索取要求的期限至選 前 7 天為止。

### Dịch Vụ Ngôn Ngữ

Quận Riverside đang nỗ lực để việc bỏ phiếu trở nên dễ dàng hơn vào năm 2021!

Một số địa điểm sẽ dịch sẵn lá phiếu mẫu cho các phân khu bầu cử được chọn, cử tri có thể sử dụng làm công cụ tham khảo khi bỏ phiếu.

Quý vị cũng có thể yêu cầu nhận một lá phiếu mẫu đã dịch sẵn bằng cách gọi điện đến số (800) 733-VOTE (8683) hoặc truy cập <u>www.voteinfo.net</u>. Quý vị phải gửi yêu cầu trước ngày bầu cử ít nhất 7 ngày.

### 언어 서비스

Riverside 카운티는 2021 년 투표를 용이하게 합니다!

번역된 견본 투표용지가 선정된 선거구의 일부 투표소에 구비되어 투표 시 참조 도구로 사용할 수 있게 됩니다.

(800) 733-VOTE (8683) 으로 전화, 또는 <u>www.voteinfo.net</u> 을 방문하여 요청할 수도 있습니다.요청은 선거 7 일 전까지 접수되어야만 합니다.