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IMPORTANT DATES

Mail Ballots Delivered to U.S.
Post Office February 5

Early Voting begins on February 5

February 20, 2024

Voter Registration Deadline

March 5, 2024

Election Day

4 Ways to Cast Your Ballot

1. Vote by Mail
2. Mail Ballot Drop-Off Locations
3. Early Vote Sites
4. Polling Places

For details on locations and hours of
Early Vote Sites and Polling Places,
visit **Elections.SBCounty.gov**

To track your mail ballot, sign up
at **WheresMyBallot.sos.ca.gov**

Voted mail ballots must be
postmarked on or before March 5

San Bernardino County Registrar of Voters

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2024 Presidential Primary Election

Tuesday, March 5, 2024

COUNTY VOTER INFORMATION GUIDE



Comprehensive

Please use this Voter Information Guide to find helpful information about this election...

OR

Access personalized election information from a mobile device or computer using:



My Elections Gateway provides you the following:

- ◆ My Registration Status
- ◆ My Mail Ballot Drop-Off Map
- ◆ My Elected Officials
- ◆ My Polling Place
- ◆ My Election Results
- ◆ And Much More...



To access your personalized election information, go to:
Elections.SBCounty.gov
Click on the M.E. Gateway link.

For additional election information, visit the
California Secretary of State's website
www.sos.ca.gov/elections



For more election resources, visit
Elections.SBCounty.gov
or call (800) 881-VOTE or (909) 387-8300.

Dear San Bernardino County Voter:

Welcome to this San Bernardino County Voter Information Guide (VIG) that explains how, when, and where to vote in the 2024 Presidential Primary Election on March 5.

As your Registrar of Voters, it is my commitment to ensure the election is accessible, secure, and safe for all voters in San Bernardino County. Every active registered voter in the county will receive a mail ballot, which will be delivered to the U.S Postal Service beginning February 5.

Please note the following as you review this document and prepare to cast your ballot:

1. Sample Ballot Pages: When reading the sample ballot pages, they are created from images of official ballot cards. Given the number of candidates in some contests, they may span multiple pages. In these cases, you can follow the list of candidates from each column to the corresponding column on the next page.
2. Crossover Voting: In a Presidential Primary, if you are registered as a No Party Preference voter, you will receive a nonpartisan ballot, which **will not** include candidates for U.S. President. Some parties will allow you to "crossover" and vote for their candidates. Other parties do not. For more information on crossover voting, please go to "What's On Your Ballot" page of this guide.

As a reminder, there are four different ways to cast your ballot this election: 1) Vote-by-Mail, 2) Using a Mail Ballot Drop-Off Location, 3) Visiting an Early Vote Site, or 4) Going to a Polling Place on Election Day.

You can vote by mail by mailing your voted ballot using the U.S. Postal Service. The postage is free. Or, you can drop that same voted ballot at an Early Vote Site or in one of the more than 70 mail ballot drop-off locations across the county. To find an early vote site or mail ballot drop-off location near you, visit **Elections.SBCounty.gov**. Polling places will be open on Election Day, Tuesday, March 5. The location of your polling place is provided on the back cover of this guide. Since polling places may have significant wait times on Election Day, I encourage you to vote before March 5. The first Early Vote Site opens at the San Bernardino County Registrar of Voters office on February 5.

If you have any questions, please call the Registrar of Voters at (909) 387-8300, email at Communications@rov.sbcounty.gov or visit our website at **Elections.SBCounty.gov**.

Sincerely,

Stephenie Shea
Registrar of Voters

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2024 Presidential Primary Election

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Voter Registration

You received this Voter Information Guide because you are a registered voter in San Bernardino County.

Submit a Change of Address form if you move within the county or change your mailing address. To submit an in-county change of address:

- Download the Change of Address form at **Elections.SBCounty.gov/VoterRegistration/incountycoforms**
- Return the completed and signed form to the Registrar of Voters office by:
 - Mail: Registrar of Voters, 777 E. Rialto Avenue, San Bernardino, CA 92415
 - Email: VoterRegistrations@rov.sbcounty.gov
 - Fax: (909) 387-2022

Register or re-register if you move outside the county, change your name, or party preference, or want to update your signature. To register or re-register:

- Online: Go to **RegisterToVote.ca.gov**
- By Mail: Request a voter registration application to be mailed to you. Call (800) 881-VOTE or (909) 387-8300 or email VoterRegistrations@rov.sbcounty.gov
- In-Person: Pick up a voter registration application at locations throughout the County. Maps of voter registration locations within San Bernardino County are available at: **Elections.SBCounty.gov/VoterRegistration/Where**

The voter registration deadline for this election is Tuesday, February 20.

Missed the February 20 voter registration deadline?



Visit the Registrar of Voters office, an Early Vote site, or any polling place to fill out a conditional voter registration application and vote a provisional ballot. For more information, visit **Elections.SBCounty.gov** or call (800) 881-VOTE or (909) 387-8300.

What's On Your Ballot

In the 2024 Presidential Primary Election, all voters will receive an Official Ballot. Depending on which voting precinct you reside in, the following contests and measures may appear on your ballot.

Party Ballot

Voters who have chosen a party preference with a qualified political party will receive a Party Ballot. It will include contests for:

- Party-nominated offices
- Voter-nominated offices
- Nonpartisan offices
- Ballot measures

Nonpartisan Ballot *

Voters who have not chosen a party preference or who chose a party preference with an unqualified political party will generally receive a Nonpartisan Ballot. It will not include a presidential contest. It will only include contests for:

- Voter-nominated offices
- Nonpartisan offices
- Ballot measures

** These voters may request a party ballot from one of the three political parties that allow them to vote in their presidential primary contest.*

How Primaries Are Conducted In California

There are three types of offices: party-nominated, voter-nominated and nonpartisan.

Below are the different types of offices that will appear on the ballot, who can vote in these races, and who advances to the November General Election.

Party-nominated Offices

- Includes President and County Central Committee offices
- Only voters who have chosen a party preference may vote for their party's candidates*
- The winner of each party's presidential primary will represent that party in the November General Election, when all voters, regardless of party preference, can vote for President

Voter-nominated Offices

- Includes Congressional and State offices
- All voters, regardless of party preference, can vote for any candidate in these contests
- The top two vote-getters, regardless of party preference, will advance to the November General Election

Nonpartisan Offices

- Includes Judicial, School, County and City offices
- All voters, regardless of party preference, can vote for any candidate on the ballot
- For Judicial, County and some City offices, the top two vote-getters will proceed to the November General Election. However, if a candidate receives more than 50% of the vote, that candidate is elected to office
- For School and most City offices, candidates that receive the most votes are elected to office

** For this election, the American Independent, Democratic and Libertarian Parties are allowing voters who have not chosen a party preference to vote in their presidential primaries.*

Sample Ballot

The **Combined Sample Ballot** on the following pages has been customized for your voting precinct. It contains party-nominated offices for **all parties**. The **Official Ballot** that you will receive at the polling place, or by mail, will only have the party-nominated offices for **your political party**.

The sample ballot also includes voter-nominated offices, nonpartisan offices and ballot measures for your voting precinct.

The **Nonpartisan Sample Ballot** on the following pages has been customized for your voting precinct. It contains voter-nominated offices, nonpartisan offices and ballot measures.

The sample ballot also includes the presidential primary contests for the American Independent Party, Democratic Party and Libertarian Party, in the event you choose to request to vote their party's ballot. These three parties have agreed to allow you to vote in their presidential primary contest. Otherwise, the **Official Ballot** that you will receive at the polling place, or by mail, **will not** include a presidential contest.

How To Vote For President

It is important that you know how you can vote for President. Generally, voters must be registered with a qualified political party to vote in that party's 2024 Presidential Primary Election.

Therefore, if you are registered with any of the following qualified political parties, you can only vote for that party's presidential primary candidates:

- American Independent Party
- Democratic Party
- Green Party
- Libertarian Party
- Peace and Freedom Party
- Republican Party

If you are registered with a qualified political party but want to vote in a different political party's presidential primary, you will need to re-register to vote and generally choose that political party as your party preference.

If you are not registered with a qualified political party but want to vote for President in the primary, the following three qualified political parties have agreed to allow you to vote in their presidential primary contest. Therefore, you may request one of the following political party ballots:

- American Independent Party
- Democratic Party
- Libertarian Party

If you vote by mail, you may call (909) 387-8300 or (800) 881-VOTE (8683) or visit My Elections Gateway at **MEG.rov.sbcounty.gov** no later than February 27 to request one of these party ballots.

If you vote in person, you may request this ballot when you check in at an Early Vote site or at your assigned polling place.

The Green, Peace and Freedom, and Republican Parties have chosen to only allow their party members to vote in their presidential primary. If you are not registered with a qualified political party but prefer to vote for a candidate in either the Green, Peace and Freedom, or Republican Party's presidential primary, you will need to re-register to vote and choose that political party as your party preference.

For more information about how to vote for President, visit **HowToVoteForPresident.sos.ca.gov**.

Voting Information

Four Ways to Receive Your Ballot

- 1) **A ballot will be mailed to you**
 - Mail ballots will be delivered to the U.S. Postal Service on Monday, February 5.
- 2) **Request a replacement mail ballot**
 - If you do not receive your ballot, or your ballot is damaged, or you mismatch your ballot.
 - Call (909) 387-8300 or visit the Registrar of Voters' website at **Elections.SBCounty.gov**.
 - Visit the Registrar of Voters office from Monday to Friday, February 5 through March 4 (Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.). The office will also be open on Saturday, March 2 (8 a.m. - 5 p.m.) and Election Day, March 5 (7 a.m. - 8 p.m.)
 - Visit any Early Vote site (*see next page for hours and locations*).
- 3) **Access a Remote Accessible Vote By Mail Ballot (RAVBM)**
 - Voters may use their computer to access and vote using an accessible ballot. Once selections are marked, voters will print their ballot, place it in an envelope, and return it to the Registrar of Voters main office, a Polling Place, Mail Ballot Drop-off location or Early Vote site.
 - To access the RAVBM and the Accessible Voter Information Guide, visit the Registrar of Voters' website at **Elections.SBCounty.gov**.
- 4) **Visit your Polling Place**
 - Polling Places are open on Election Day, March 5 (7 a.m. - 8 p.m.)
 - At a Polling Place, you may vote in person, register to vote to receive a ballot, request a replacement ballot, and receive accessibility and language assistance.

Four Ways to Cast Your Voted Ballot

- 1) **By Mail**
 - Place your voted ballot in the mail ballot return envelope provided, sign and seal the envelope.
 - Mail your voted ballot via U.S. Postal Service.
 - Postage is already paid.
- IMPORTANT REMINDER:** *In order for your ballot to be eligible to be counted, the return envelope MUST be postmarked on or before March 5 and received by the Registrar of Voters office no later than March 12.*
- 2) **Mail Ballot Drop-off Location**
 - Place your voted ballot in the mail ballot return envelope provided, sign and seal the envelope.
 - Drop off your voted ballot at any secure mail ballot drop-off location listed at **Elections.SBCounty.gov/Voting/MailBallotDropOff**.
 - 3) **Early Vote Site**
 - Place your voted ballot in the mail ballot return envelope provided, sign and seal the envelope.
 - Drop off your voted ballot at any Early Vote site (*see next page for hours and locations*).
 - At any Early Vote site, you may also register to vote to receive a ballot, request a replacement ballot, and receive accessibility and language assistance.
 - 4) **Polling Place**
 - Place your voted ballot in the mail ballot return envelope provided, sign and seal the envelope.
 - Drop off your voted ballot at any polling place.
 - You may also cast an in-person ballot at your polling place.
 - You may also register to vote to receive a ballot, and receive accessibility and language assistance.
 - Polling Places are open on Election Day, March 5 (7 a.m. - 8 p.m.)

You may track your mail ballot using California Secretary of State's tracking tool at:
WheresMyBallot.sos.ca.gov

In-Person Voting Locations

1) San Bernardino County Registrar of Voters

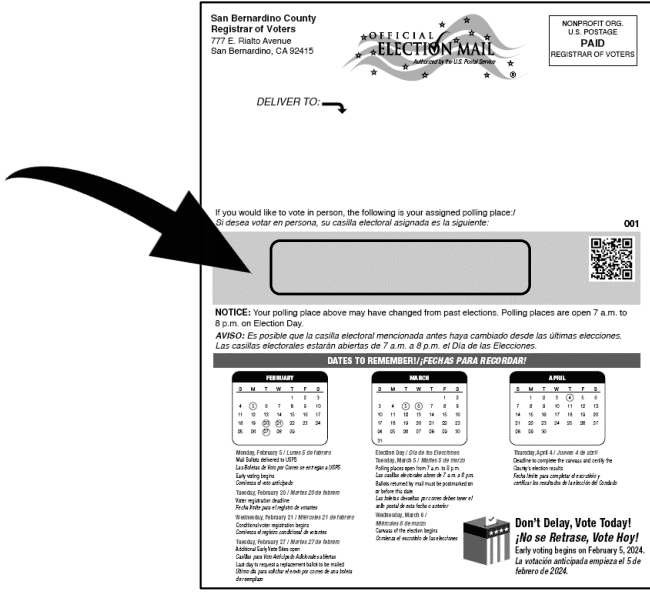
- 777 E. Rialto Avenue, San Bernardino, CA 92415
- Open Monday through Friday, February 5 to March 4, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Closed on Monday, February 19 in observance of the holiday.
- Open Saturday, March 2, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Open Election Day, Tuesday, March 5, from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

2) Additional Early Vote Sites

- Vote at any of the following additional four locations
- Open Tuesday, February 27 to Saturday, March 2, and Monday, March 4, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
 - Town of Apple Valley Recreation Center
14955 Dale Evans Parkway, Apple Valley, CA 92307
 - Joshua Tree Community Center
6171 Sunburst Street, Joshua Tree, CA 92252
 - Ontario Conference Center
1947 E. Convention Center Way, Ontario, CA 91764
 - Victorville City Hall
14343 Civic Drive, Victorville, CA 92392

3) Polling Places

- Open Election Day, Tuesday, March 5, from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.
- To find your assigned polling place, refer to the back of this guide.



For more information:

- Use the My Elections Gateway online application on the Registrar of Voters' website at **Elections.SBCounty.gov**
- Use the Polling Place Look-Up Tool on the Registrar of Voters' website at **Elections.SBCounty.gov**
- Call (800) 881-VOTE or (909) 387-8300


Voting Instructions

Marking your official ballot

1. Use only **Blue** or **Black** pen or marker to completely fill in the oval voting target to the left of your choice like this: DO NOT USE RED INK.

Example:

Contest Name	
Vote for one	
<input type="radio"/>	Candidate A
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Candidate B
<input type="radio"/>	Candidate C
<input type="radio"/>	(Write-In / En-escrito)



2. To vote for a candidate, completely fill in the oval voting target to the left of the candidate's name. Do not vote for more candidates than the number indicated for each office.
3. To vote for a qualified write-in candidate, fill in the voting target for the write-in and write the person's name in the blank space provided.
4. To vote on any measure, completely fill in the oval voting target to the left of the word **"YES"** or **"NO"**.
5. If you make a mistake or damage your ballot, request a replacement ballot.

Marking your sample ballot

1. On the following pages, you will find your sample ballot.
2. For your convenience, you may pre-mark your sample ballot to assist you with marking your official ballot at home, or at your polling place.

Special Notice: Contests for United States Senator

There are two U.S. Senate contests on the March 5, 2024, Presidential Primary Election ballot. You may vote for both contests.

- **The first contest is the regular election for the full 6-year term ending January 3, 2031.**
 - There are 27 candidates in this contest.
 - The candidates are listed in multiple columns on the Official Ballot.
 - You may only vote for one candidate in this contest.
- **The second contest is a special vacancy election (the current officeholder is temporarily filling a vacancy) for the remainder of the current term ending January 3, 2025.**
 - There are 7 candidates in this contest.
 - The candidates are listed in only one column on the Official Ballot.
 - You may only vote for one candidate in this contest.

SAMPLE BALLOT Presidential Primary Election March 5, 2024 San Bernardino County	BOLETA DE MUESTRA Elecciones Primarias Presidenciales 5 de marzo de 2024 Condado de San Bernardino
INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS: 1. Use only Blue or Black pen or marker to completely fill in the oval voting target <input type="radio"/> to the left of your choice like this: <input checked="" type="radio"/> DO NOT USE RED INK. 2. To vote for a candidate, completely fill in the oval voting target to the left of the candidate's name. Do not vote for more candidates than the number indicated for each office. 3. To vote for a qualified write-in candidate, fill in the voting target for the write-in and write the person's name in the blank space provided. 4. To vote on any measure, completely fill in the oval voting target to the left of the word "YES" or "NO". 5. If you make a mistake or damage your ballot, request a replacement ballot.	INSTRUCCIONES PARA LOS VOTANTES: 1. Use únicamente una pluma o un marcador de color Azul o Negro para llenar por completo el área ovalada <input type="radio"/> a la izquierda de su elección de la siguiente manera: <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO USE TINTA ROJA. 2. Para votar por un candidato, llene completamente el área ovalada a la izquierda del nombre del candidato. No vote por más candidatos que el número indicado para cada cargo. 3. Para votar por un candidato por escrito calificado, llene el área para candidato por escrito y escriba el nombre de la persona en el espacio en blanco proporcionado. 4. Para votar sobre cualquier medida, llene completamente el área ovalada a la izquierda de la palabra "SI" o "NO". 5. Si comete un error o daña su boleta, solicite una boleta de reemplazo.
No Party Preference Voters	Votante Sin Preferencia de Partido
1. You are registered as a No Party Preference voter and therefore ineligible to vote for a presidential candidate unless you request and vote a political party ballot. 2. The following parties allow a No Party Preference voter to vote in the Presidential Primary Election. You may request a ballot to vote in one of these parties: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> American Independent Party Democratic Party Libertarian Party 3. You may find information on how to request a political party ballot in the San Bernardino County Voter Information Guide or by visiting Elections.SBCounty.gov. 4. To vote in the Presidential Primary Election for all other qualified parties, you must re-register to vote and select the political party whose primary you want to vote in. You can re-register online at www.registertovote.ca.gov.	1. Está registrado como un votante Sin Preferencia de Partido y por lo tanto no es elegible para votar por un candidato presidencial a menos que solicite y vote en una boleta de partido político. 2. Los siguientes partidos permiten que un votante Sin Preferencia de Partido vote en las Elecciones Primarias Presidenciales. Puede solicitar una boleta para votar en uno de estos partidos: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Partido Americano Independiente Partido Demócrata Partido Libertario 3. Puede encontrar información sobre cómo solicitar una boleta de partido político en la Guía de Información para el Votante del Condado de San Bernardino o visitando Elections.SBCounty.gov. 4. Para votar en las Elecciones Primarias Presidenciales para todos los demás partidos calificados, debe volver a registrarse para votar y seleccionar el partido político en cuyas elecciones primarias desea votar. Puede volver a registrarse en línea en www.registertovote.ca.gov.

Party Nominated Offices <i>Cargos Nominados por los Partidos</i>	President of the United States <i>Presidente de los Estados Unidos</i>	President of the United States <i>Presidente de los Estados Unidos</i>
President of the United States <i>Presidente de los Estados Unidos</i>	Democratic Party Ballot <i>Boleta del Partido Demócrata</i>	Green Party Ballot <i>Boleta del Partido Verde</i>
American Independent Party Ballot <i>Boleta del Partido Americano Independiente</i>	Voters registered as a member of the Democratic Party may vote in this primary election for President and party committee. Some parties may allow voters with no party preference to vote in the party's primary election for President. <i>Los votantes registrados como miembros del Partido Demócrata pueden votar en estas elecciones primarias para Presidente y comité del partido. Algunos partidos pueden permitir que los votantes sin una preferencia de partido voten en las elecciones primarias del partido para Presidente.</i>	Only voters registered as a member of the Green Party may vote in this primary election for President and party committee. <i>Únicamente los votantes registrados como miembros del Partido Verde pueden votar en estas elecciones primarias para Presidente y comité del partido.</i>
Voters registered as a member of the American Independent Party may vote in this primary election for President and party committee. Some parties may allow voters with no party preference to vote in the party's primary election for President. <i>Los votantes registrados como miembros del Partido Americano Independiente pueden votar en estas elecciones primarias para Presidente y comité del partido. Algunos partidos pueden permitir que los votantes sin una preferencia de partido voten en las elecciones primarias del partido para Presidente.</i>	Presidential Preference <i>Preferencia de Candidato Presidencial</i> Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i>	Presidential Candidate Preference <i>Preferencia de Candidato Presidencial</i> Vote for a candidate. Delegates to the national convention will be selected after the presidential preference primary election. <i>Vote por un candidato. Se seleccionarán los delegados para la convención nacional después de las elecciones primarias de preferencia presidencial.</i>
Presidential Preference <i>Preferencia de Candidato Presidencial</i> Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i>	<input type="radio"/> STEPHEN P LYONS	Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i>
<input type="radio"/> JAMES BRADLEY	<input type="radio"/> EBAN CAMBRIDGE	<input type="radio"/> JILL STEIN
<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	<input type="radio"/> GABRIEL CORNEJO	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
	<input type="radio"/> PRESIDENT R BODDIE	
	<input type="radio"/> JOSEPH R BIDEN JR	
	<input type="radio"/> MARIANNE WILLIAMSON	
	<input type="radio"/> DEAN PHILLIPS	
	<input type="radio"/> ARMANDO "MANDO" PEREZ-SERRATO	
	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	

President of the United States <i>Presidente de los Estados Unidos</i>	President of the United States <i>Presidente de los Estados Unidos</i>	Democratic Party Ballot <i>Boleta del Partido Demócrata</i>
Libertarian Party Ballot <i>Boleta del Partido Libertario</i>	Republican Party Ballot <i>Boleta del Partido Republicano</i>	Member, Democratic Central Committee, District 45 <i>Miembro, Comité Central del Condado, Distrito de Asamblea 45</i>
Voters registered as a member of the Libertarian Party may vote in this primary election for President and party committee. Some parties may allow voters with no party preference to vote in the party's primary election for President. <i>Los votantes registrados como miembros del Partido Libertario pueden votar en estas elecciones primarias para Presidente y comité del partido. Algunos partidos pueden permitir que los votantes sin una preferencia de partido voten en las elecciones primarias del partido para Presidente.</i>	Only voters registered as a member of the Republican Party may vote in this primary election for President and party committee. <i>Únicamente los votantes registrados como miembros del Partido Republicano pueden votar en estas elecciones primarias para Presidente y comité del partido.</i>	Vote for no more than Six <i>Vote por no más de Seis</i>
Presidential Preference <i>Preferencia de Candidato Presidencial</i>	Presidential Preference <i>Preferencia de Candidato Presidencial</i>	<input type="radio"/> FRANK GARCIA
Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i>	<input type="radio"/> NIKKI HALEY	<input type="radio"/> JAMES R. ALBERT Office Assistant <i>Asistente de Oficina</i>
<input type="radio"/> CHARLES BALLAY	<input type="radio"/> ASA HUTCHINSON	<input type="radio"/> MARK J. ALVAREZ
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/> DONALD J. TRUMP	<input type="radio"/> RAFAEL TRUJILLO City Councilmember <i>Miembro del Concejo Municipal</i>
(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	<input type="radio"/> CHRIS CHRISTIE	<input type="radio"/> STEPHANIE LIGGINS Retired Educator <i>Educadora Jubilada</i>
President of the United States <i>Presidente de los Estados Unidos</i>	<input type="radio"/> RYAN L BINKLEY	<input type="radio"/> SHANNON L. O'BRIEN Business Owner <i>Propietaria de Empresa</i>
Peace and Freedom Party Ballot <i>Boleta del Partido Paz y Libertad</i>	<input type="radio"/> DAVID STUCKENBERG	<input type="radio"/> JENNIFER B. XICARA Youth Program Coordinator <i>Coordinadora de Programa para Jóvenes</i>
Only voters registered as a member of the Peace and Freedom Party may vote in this primary election for President and party committee. <i>Únicamente los votantes registrados como miembros del Partido Paz y Libertad pueden votar en estas elecciones primarias para Presidente y comité del partido.</i>	<input type="radio"/> RACHEL SWIFT	<input type="radio"/> TIM PRINCE Consumer Attorney <i>Abogado del Consumidor</i>
Presidential Preference <i>Preferencia de Candidato Presidencial</i>	<input type="radio"/> RON DESANTIS	<input type="radio"/> CHRISTINA M. MARQUEZ Fifth Grade Teacher <i>Maestra de Quinto Grado</i>
Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i>	<input type="radio"/> VIVEK RAMASWAMY	<input type="radio"/> ED MILLICAN College Professor <i>Profesor de Colegio</i>
<input type="radio"/> CORNEL WEST	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> JASMINE SHERMAN	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> CLAUDIA DE LA CRUZ	<input type="radio"/>	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	<input type="radio"/>	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
	<input type="radio"/>	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)

Party Nominated Offices <i>Cargos Nominados por los Partidos</i>	Member, Democratic Central Committee, District 53 <i>Miembro, Comité Central del Condado, Distrito de Asamblea 53</i>	
Democratic Party Ballot <i>Boleta del Partido Demócrata</i>	Vote for no more than Six <i>Vote por no más de Seis</i>	
Member, Democratic Central Committee, District 50 <i>Miembro, Comité Central del Condado, Distrito de Asamblea 50</i> Vote for no more than Six <i>Vote por no más de Seis</i>	<input type="radio"/> MARIAN ARGUELLO Retired <i>Jubilada</i>	<input type="radio"/> BRYAN MILLIGAN Field Representative <i>Representante de Campo</i>
	<input type="radio"/> JOCELYN BETANCOURT HERRADA Mother / Student <i>Madre / Estudiante</i>	<input type="radio"/> LUCIANO QUEZADA Labor Organizer <i>Organizador Laboral</i>
<input type="radio"/> NANCY GLENN Retired Teacher <i>Maestra Jubilada</i>	<input type="radio"/> TINA M. SILVA	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> KAREEM GÓNGORA Public Information Officer <i>Oficial de Información Pública</i>		(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> TARIQ AZIM Nonprofit Manager <i>Gerente de Organización sin Fines de Lucro</i>	<input type="radio"/> STEPHANO PADILLA	<input type="radio"/>
		(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> BOBBI JO CHAVARRIA	<input type="radio"/> MARTINA RANGEL ORTEGA Customer Care Representative <i>Representante de Atención al Cliente</i>	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> LORRAINE ENRIQUEZ Insurance Broker <i>Corredora de Seguros</i>		(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> KRISTIN WASHINGTON	<input type="radio"/> JOSE ARMANDO RODRIGUEZ Small Business Owner <i>Propietario de Pequeña Empresa</i>	<input type="radio"/>
		(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> KASSANDRA WILSON Educator <i>Educadora</i>	<input type="radio"/> CLAUDIA ISABEL RODRIGUEZ Licensed Vocational Nurse <i>Enfermera Vocacional Certificada</i>	<input type="radio"/>
<input type="radio"/> CHRISTIAN T. SHAUGHNESSY Housing Community Organizer <i>Organizador Comunitario de la Vivienda</i>		(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> STACEY MARIE RAMOS Executive Assistant <i>Asistente Ejecutiva</i>	<input type="radio"/> HECTOR D. MARTINEZ Part Time Instructor <i>Instructor de Medio Tiempo</i>	<input type="radio"/>
		(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> CHRIS "CHRISTOPHER" ROBLES Teacher <i>Maestro</i>	<input type="radio"/> FLORA MARTINEZ Ontario-Montclair School District, Member, Governing Board Area 1 <i>Miembro, Junta Gobernante Área 1, Distrito Escolar de Ontario-Montclair</i>	
<input type="radio"/> IWONA M. ROBERTS Business Woman <i>Empresaria</i>	Republican Party Ballot <i>Boleta del Partido Republicano</i>	
<input type="radio"/>	Member, County Central Committee, Supervisor District 1 <i>Miembro, Comité Central del Condado, Distrito de Supervisores 1</i>	
(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	Vote for no more than Seven <i>Vote por no más de Siete</i>	
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/> DAKOTA HIGGINS Supervisor's Deputy Chief <i>Jefe Adjunto del Supervisor</i>	<input type="radio"/>
(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)		(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/> LEYDA R. FERNANDEZ Real Estate Salesperson <i>Vendedora de Bienes Raíces</i>	<input type="radio"/>
(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)		(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/> VALERIE EMICK	<input type="radio"/>
(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)		(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
	<input type="radio"/> SHANNON SHANNON Small Business Owner <i>Propietaria de Pequeña Empresa</i>	<input type="radio"/>
		(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
	<input type="radio"/> SAMUEL JOSEPH SHOUP Constituent Services Director <i>Director de Servicios a los Constituyentes</i>	<input type="radio"/>
		(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
	<input type="radio"/> ERIC M. SWANSON Board Member, Hesperia Unified School District <i>Miembro de la Junta, Distrito Escolar Unificado de Hesperia</i>	<input type="radio"/>
		(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
	<input type="radio"/> REBEKAH J. SWANSON Councilmember, City of Hesperia <i>Miembro del Concejo, Ciudad de Hesperia</i>	<input type="radio"/>
		(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
	<input type="radio"/> THURSTON "SMITTY" SMITH	

Republican Party Ballot <i>Boleta del Partido Republicano</i>	
Member, County Central Committee, Supervisor District 2 <i>Miembro, Comité Central del Condado, Distrito de Supervisores 2</i>	
Vote for no more than Seven <i>Vote por no más de Siete</i>	
<input type="radio"/> AGNES GIBBONEY	<input type="radio"/> ROSS SEVY Small Business Owner <i>Propietario de Pequeña Empresa</i>
<input type="radio"/> MARK GIBBONEY Retired Police Officer <i>Oficial de Policía Jubilado</i>	<input type="radio"/> JOSEPH EDWARD MONTALVO
<input type="radio"/> WENDY D. GISH	<input type="radio"/> AMANDA MORALES Special Projects Coordinator <i>Coordinadora de Proyectos Especiales</i>
<input type="radio"/> MARY HEIL	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> DANIELLE HOLLEY Small Business Advocate <i>Defensora de Pequeñas Empresas</i>	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> MALENE LEE	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> LUIS CETINA	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> PHILLIP WAYNE COTHRAN JR City of Fontana Council Member <i>Miembro del Concejo de la Ciudad de Fontana</i>	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> PHIL COTHRAN Small Business Owner <i>Propietario de Pequeña Empresa</i>	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> ROBERT MICHAEL FEKAY	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> CATHERINE LORRAINE SAGE-LARA	

Party Nominated Offices <i>Cargos Nominados por los Partidos</i>		Member, County Central Committee, Supervisor District 4 <i>Miembro, Comité Central del Condado, Distrito de Supervisores 4</i>
Republican Party Ballot <i>Boleta del Partido Republicano</i>		
Member, County Central Committee, Supervisor District 3 <i>Miembro, Comité Central del Condado, Distrito de Supervisores 3</i>		Vote for no more than Six <i>Vote por no más de Seis</i>
Vote for no more than Nine <i>Vote por no más de Nueve</i>		<input type="radio"/> CAROL HOUGHTON Retired Teacher <i>Maestra Jubilada</i>
<input type="radio"/> DANIEL B. GULBRANSON	<input type="radio"/> RHODES L. RIGSBY Internal Medicine Physician <i>Médico de Medicina Interna</i>	<input type="radio"/> TONI HOLLE
<input type="radio"/> GALE HUNT	<input type="radio"/> PAUL RICHARD KIELHOLD SBVMWD, Member, Board of Directors <i>Miembro, Junta Directiva, SBVMWD</i>	<input type="radio"/> JEFFREY HOLLE
<input type="radio"/> CHUCK HICKS Big Bear Airport District, Member, Board of Directors <i>Miembro, Junta Directiva, Distrito del Aeropuerto de Big Bear</i>	<input type="radio"/> ROBERTA VIRGINIA MARTINEZ Small Business Owner <i>Propietaria de Pequeña Empresa</i>	<input type="radio"/> ROBERT BERNARD TORMEY
<input type="radio"/> TRAVIS HIBBS University Student <i>Estudiante Universitario</i>	<input type="radio"/> DAVID ALAN MARKO	<input type="radio"/> BRIAN JOHSZ Councilmember, City of Chino Hills <i>Miembro del Concejo, Ciudad de Chino Hills</i>
<input type="radio"/> MARGARET E. TIEFENTHALER	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	<input type="radio"/> BENJAMIN "BEN" LOPEZ Montclair City Councilman <i>Concejal de la Ciudad de Montclair</i>
<input type="radio"/> PENNY T. LILBURN City of Highland, Member, City Council District 3 <i>Miembro, Concejo Municipal Distrito 3, Ciudad de Highland</i>	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	<input type="radio"/> ROMAN GABRIEL NAVA Small Business Owner <i>Propietario de Pequeña Empresa</i>
<input type="radio"/> PAUL FOURNIER Church Relations Representative <i>Representante de Relaciones de la Iglesia</i>	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	<input type="radio"/> KATHERINE KOLCHEVA Chief of Staff <i>Jefa de Personal</i>
<input type="radio"/> BONNIE S. SHAFFER	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	<input type="radio"/> DAVID JAMES MATZA Government Relations Manager <i>Gerente de Relaciones Gubernamentales</i>
<input type="radio"/> MICHELLE SABINO Business Owner <i>Propietaria de Empresa</i>	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	<input type="radio"/> MATTHEW GARY MUNSON Office Assistant <i>Asistente de Oficina</i>
<input type="radio"/> KATHLEEN M. STAUNTON Retired Congressional Staff <i>Empleada del Congreso Jubilada</i>	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> ALEXA M. SONCK District Director <i>Directora del Distrito</i>	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> SIDNEY SONCK	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	Member, County Central Committee, Supervisor District 5 <i>Miembro, Comité Central del Condado, Distrito de Supervisores 5</i>
<input type="radio"/> CHRISTINE SMITH	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	Vote for no more than Three <i>Vote por no más de Tres</i>
<input type="radio"/> OVIDIU POPESCU Small Business Owner <i>Propietario de Pequeña Empresa</i>	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	<input type="radio"/> JANICE HAUSER
		<input type="radio"/> DOUGLAS LEE HAUSER Retired Scientist / Author <i>Científico Jubilado / Autor</i>
		<input type="radio"/> HENRY NICKEL
		<input type="radio"/> FRED SHORETT City Council Member <i>Miembro del Concejo Municipal</i>
		<input type="radio"/> ROBERT FRANCIS REGO Small Business Owner <i>Propietario de Pequeña Empresa</i>
		<input type="radio"/> DAVID MLYNARSKI
		<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
		<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
		<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)

Voter-Nominated Offices <i>Cargos Nominados por los Votantes</i>		United States Senator (Short Term) <i>Senador de los Estados Unidos (Termino Corto)</i>
Voter-Nominated Offices All voters may vote in these contests. Candidates display a party preference (or None) for the information of voters. This is not a party endorsement or approval. <i>Cargos Nominados por los Votantes</i> <i>Todos los votantes pueden votar en estas contiendas.</i> <i>Los candidatos muestran una preferencia de partido (o Ninguna) para la información de los votantes. Esto no es un apoyo o respaldo del partido.</i>		Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i>
There are two U.S. Senate contests on this ballot. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One for the regular 6-year term ending January 3, 2031 • One for the remainder of the current term ending January 3, 2025 You may vote for both contests. <i>Se incluyen dos contiendas del Senado de los EE. UU. en esta boleta electoral.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Una para el periodo ordinario de 6 años que termina el 3 de enero de 2031. • Una para lo que resta del periodo actual que termina el 3 de enero de 2025. <i>Puede votar por las dos contiendas.</i>		<input type="radio"/> STEVE GARVEY Party Preference: Republican Professional Baseball Representative <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Representante de Béisbol Profesional</i>
		<input type="radio"/> SEPI GILANI Party Preference: Democratic Physician / Surgeon / Professor <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Médico / Cirujano / Profesor</i>
		<input type="radio"/> BARBARA LEE Party Preference: Democratic Congresswoman / Mother <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Congresista / Madre</i>
United States Senator (Full Term) <i>Senador de los Estados Unidos (Termino Completo)</i>		<input type="radio"/> ERIC EARLY Party Preference: Republican Business Owner / Attorney <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Propietario de Negocio / Abogado</i>
Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i>		<input type="radio"/> ADAM B. SCHIFF Party Preference: Democratic United States Representative <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Representante de Estados Unidos</i>
<input type="radio"/> STEVE GARVEY Party Preference: Republican Professional Baseball Representative <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Representante de Béisbol Profesional</i>	<input type="radio"/> MAJOR SINGH Party Preference: None Software Engineer <i>Preferencia de Partido: Ninguna</i> <i>Ingeniero de Software</i>	<input type="radio"/> CHRISTINA PASCUCCI Party Preference: Democratic <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i>
<input type="radio"/> DENICE GARY-PANDOL Party Preference: Republican Retired Security Analyst <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Analista de Seguridad Jubilada</i>	<input type="radio"/> STEFAN SIMCHOWITZ Party Preference: Republican Art Dealer <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Comerciante de Arte</i>	<input type="radio"/> KATIE PORTER Party Preference: Democratic U.S. Representative <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Representante de EE. UU.</i>
<input type="radio"/> LAURA GARZA Party Preference: None Freight Railroad Worker <i>Preferencia de Partido: Ninguna</i> <i>Trabajadora de Tren de Carga</i>	<input type="radio"/> CHRISTINA PASCUCCI Party Preference: Democratic <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i>	<input type="radio"/> JAY OBERNOLTE Party Preference: Republican Congressman / Business Owner <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Congresista / Propietario de Negocio</i>
<input type="radio"/> SEPI GILANI Party Preference: Democratic Physician / Surgeon / Professor <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Médico / Cirujano / Profesor</i>	<input type="radio"/> DAVID PETERSON Party Preference: Democratic Small Business Owner <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Propietario de Pequeña Empresa</i>	<input type="radio"/> DEREK MARSHALL Party Preference: Democratic Community Organizer <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Organizador Comunitario</i>
<input type="radio"/> DON J. GRUNDMANN Party Preference: None Doctor of Chiropractic <i>Preferencia de Partido: Ninguna</i> <i>Doctor en Quiropráctica</i>	<input type="radio"/> PERRY POUND Party Preference: Democratic Small Business Owner <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Propietario de Pequeña Empresa</i>	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> FORREST JONES Party Preference: American Independent <i>Preferencia de Partido: Americano Independiente</i>	<input type="radio"/> KATIE PORTER Party Preference: Democratic U.S. Representative <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Representante de EE. UU.</i>	United States Representative District 23 <i>Representante de los Estados Unidos</i> Distrito 23
<input type="radio"/> BARBARA LEE Party Preference: Democratic Congresswoman / Mother <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Congresista / Madre</i>	<input type="radio"/> DOUGLAS H. PIERCE Party Preference: Democratic Missing Persons' Investigator <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Investigador de Personas Desaparecidas</i>	Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i>
<input type="radio"/> GAIL LIGHTFOOT Party Preference: Libertarian Retired Registered Nurse <i>Preferencia de Partido: Libertario</i> <i>Enfermera Titulada Jubilada</i>	<input type="radio"/> RAJI RAB Party Preference: Democratic Aviator / Educator / Entrepreneur <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Aviador / Docente / Emprendedor</i>	<input type="radio"/> JAMES "JIM" MACAULEY Party Preference: Republican Sales Associate <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Asociado de Ventas</i>
<input type="radio"/> SARAH SUN LIEW Party Preference: Republican Pastor / Nonprofit CEO <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Pastora / CEO de Organización Sin Fines de Lucro</i>	<input type="radio"/> MARK RUZON Party Preference: None Software Engineer <i>Preferencia de Partido: Ninguna</i> <i>Ingeniero de Software</i>	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)
<input type="radio"/> SHARLETA BASSETT Party Preference: Republican Businesswoman / Mother / Farmer <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Empresaria / Madre / Agricultora</i>	<input type="radio"/> JONATHAN REISS Party Preference: Republican <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i>	
<input type="radio"/> JAMES BRADLEY Party Preference: Republican Chief Executive Officer <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Director Ejecutivo</i>	<input type="radio"/> JOHN ROSE Party Preference: Democratic Office Manager <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Gerente de Oficina</i>	
<input type="radio"/> MARTIN VEPRASKAS Party Preference: Republican Retired Operations Manager <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Gerente de Operaciones Jubilado</i>	<input type="radio"/> HARMESH KUMAR Party Preference: Democratic Psychologist / Social Entrepreneur <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Psicólogo / Emprendedor Social</i>	
<input type="radio"/> ERIC EARLY Party Preference: Republican Business Owner / Attorney <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Propietario de Negocio / Abogado</i>	<input type="radio"/> JAMES "JIM" MACAULEY Party Preference: Republican Sales Associate <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Asociado de Ventas</i>	
<input type="radio"/> ADAM B. SCHIFF Party Preference: Democratic United States Representative <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Representante de Estados Unidos</i>	<input type="radio"/> (Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	

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<p>United States Representative District 25 <i>Representante de los Estados Unidos Distrito 25</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> TOM HERMAN Party Preference: Republican <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> LISA MIDDLETON Party Preference: Democratic Palm Springs City Council Member <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Miembro del Ayuntamiento de Palm Springs</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> CECI "CECILIA" TRUMAN Party Preference: Republican Small Business Owner <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Propietaria de Pequeña Empresa</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> PETE AGUILAR Party Preference: Democratic United States Representative <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Representante de Estados Unidos</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> ROSILICIE OCHOA BOGH Party Preference: Republican State Senator / Businesswoman <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Senadora Estatal / Empresaria</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> MIGUEL CHAPA Party Preference: Republican Home Finance Advisor <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Asesor de Finanzas del Hogar</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>
<p><input type="radio"/> RYAN DEAN BURKETT Party Preference: None Retail Counter Sales <i>Preferencia de Partido: Ninguna</i> <i>Ventas Minoristas de Mostrador</i></p>	<p>United States Representative District 35 <i>Representante de los Estados Unidos Distrito 35</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>	<p>State Senator District 23 <i>Senador Estatal Distrito 23</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> IAN M. WEEKS Party Preference: Republican Financial Advisor <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Asesor Financiero</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> NORMA J. TORRES Party Preference: Democratic US Representative <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Representante de EE. UU.</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> OLLIE M. MCCAULLEY Party Preference: Democratic Businessman / Educator / Minister <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Empresario / Docente / Ministro</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> OSCAR ORTIZ Party Preference: Democratic Councilmember / Education Director <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Miembro del Concejo / Director de Educación</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> MIKE CARGILE Party Preference: Republican Small Businessman <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Empresario de Pequeña Empresa</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> KIPP MUELLER Party Preference: Democratic Workers Rights Attorney <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Abogado de Derecho Laboral</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> RAUL RUIZ Party Preference: Democratic Emergency Physician / Congressman <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Médico de Emergencias / Congresista</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> VIJAL SUTHAR Party Preference: Republican <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> JAMES "DJ" HAMBURGER Party Preference: Republican Teacher / Army Officer <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Maestro / Oficial del Ejército</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> BLANCA AZUCENA GOMEZ Party Preference: Democratic Victorville Councilwoman <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Concejala de Victorville</i></p>
<p>United States Representative District 28 <i>Representante de los Estados Unidos Distrito 28</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> SUZETTE MARTINEZ VALLADARES Party Preference: Republican Small Business Owner <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Propietaria de Pequeña Empresa</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> JUDY CHU Party Preference: Democratic United States Representative <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Representante de Estados Unidos</i></p>	<p>United States Representative District 40 <i>Representante de los Estados Unidos Distrito 40</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>
<p><input type="radio"/> JOSE CASTANEDA Party Preference: Libertarian Customer Service Representative <i>Preferencia de Partido: Libertario</i> <i>Representante de Servicio al Cliente</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> ALLYSON MUÑIZ DAMIKOLAS Party Preference: Democratic Governing Board Member, Tustin Unified School District <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Miembro de la Junta Directiva, Distrito Escolar Unificado de Tustin</i></p>	<p>State Senator District 25 <i>Senador Estatal Distrito 25</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> APRIL A. VERLATO Party Preference: Republican Mayor / Business Owner <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Alcaldesa / Propietaria de Negocio</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> JOE KERR Party Preference: Democratic Retired Firefighter Captain <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Capitán de Bomberos Jubilado</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> YVONNE YIU Party Preference: Democratic Councilmember / Small Businesswoman <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Concejala / Empresaria de Pequeña Empresa</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> WILLIAM PATTERSON Party Preference: Peace and Freedom Consultant <i>Preferencia de Partido: Paz y Libertad</i> <i>Consultor</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> YOUNG KIM Party Preference: Republican U.S. Representative <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Representante de EE. UU.</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> TEDDY CHOI Party Preference: Democratic Professor / Insurance Agent <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Profesor / Agente de Seguros</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> SASHA RENÉE PÉREZ Party Preference: Democratic Alhambra Vice Mayor <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Vicealcaldesa de Alhambra</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> ELIZABETH WONG AHLERS Party Preference: Republican Crescenta Valley Councilmember <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Miembro del Concejo de Crescenta Valley</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> SANDRA ARMENTA Party Preference: Democratic Rosemead Councilmember / Teacher <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Miembro del Concejo de Rosemead / Maestra</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p>(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>

<p>State Senator District 29 <i>Senador Estatal Distrito 29</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>	<p>Member of the State Assembly District 36 <i>Miembro de la Asamblea del Estado Distrito 36</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>	<p>Member of the State Assembly District 41 <i>Miembro de la Asamblea del Estado Distrito 41</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> CARLOS A. GARCIA Party Preference: Republican Business Owner <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Propietario de Negocio</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> KALIN MORSE Party Preference: Republican Nonprofit Director <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Director de Organización Sin Fines de Lucro</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> MICHELLE DEL ROSARIO MARTINEZ Party Preference: Republican Community Volunteer <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Voluntaria de la Comunidad</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> KATHLEEN TORRES HAZELTON Party Preference: Republican Mother / Homemaker <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Madre / Ama de Casa</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> WAYMOND FERMON Party Preference: Democratic Peace Officer / Councilmember <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Oficial del Orden Público / Miembro del Concejo</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> JOHN HARABEDIAN Party Preference: Democratic California State Boardmember <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Miembro de la Junta del Estado de California</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> JASON O'BRIEN Party Preference: Democratic Police Detective / Businessman <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Detective de la Policía / Empresario</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> ERIC L. RODRIGUEZ Party Preference: Democratic Social Worker <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Trabajador Social</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> JED LEANO Party Preference: Democratic Small Businessman / Councilmember <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Empresario de Pequeña Empresa / Miembro del Concejo</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> ELOISE GOMEZ REYES Party Preference: Democratic Assemblymember / Attorney / Businesswoman <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Miembro de la Asamblea / Abogada / Empresaria</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> TOMAS OLIVA Party Preference: Democratic Councilmember / Congressional Aide <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Miembro del Concejo / Asistente del Congreso</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> PHLUNTÉ RIDDLE Party Preference: Democratic Public Safety Commissioner <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Comisionada de Seguridad Pública</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> JEFF GONZALEZ Party Preference: Republican Business Owner / Parent <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Propietario de Negocio / Padre</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p>
<p>State Senator District 31 <i>Senador Estatal Distrito 31</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> EDGARD GARCIA Party Preference: Democratic Councilmember / Attorney <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Miembro del Concejo / Abogado</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> ANGELO FAROOQ Party Preference: Democratic Educator / Workforce Boardmember <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Docente / Miembro de la Junta de Fuerza Laboral</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> JOSE "JOEY" ACUÑA JR. Party Preference: Democratic School Board Member <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Miembro de la Junta Escolar</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>
<p><input type="radio"/> SABRINA CERVANTES Party Preference: Democratic California State Assemblymember <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Miembro de la Asamblea Estatal de California</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p>Member of the State Assembly District 45 <i>Miembro de la Asamblea del Estado Distrito 45</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> CYNTHIA NAVARRO Party Preference: Republican Educator / Parent / Businesswoman <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Docente / Madre / Empresaria</i></p>	<p>Member of the State Assembly District 39 <i>Miembro de la Asamblea del Estado Distrito 39</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> JAMES C. RAMOS Party Preference: Democratic Assemblymember / Business Owner <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Miembro de la Asamblea / Propietario de Negocio</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> PAUL ANDRE MARSH Party Preference: Republican Community Services Liaison <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Enlace de Servicios Comunitarios</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>
<p>Member of the State Assembly District 34 <i>Miembro de la Asamblea del Estado Distrito 34</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> JUAN CARRILLO VENTURA Party Preference: Democratic State Assemblymember <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Miembro de la Asamblea Estatal</i></p>	<p>Member of the State Assembly District 47 <i>Miembro de la Asamblea del Estado Distrito 47</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> TOM LACKEY Party Preference: Republican Assemblyman <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Legislador Estatal</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> CHRISTY HOLSTEGE Party Preference: Democratic City Councilmember / Businesswoman <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Concejala de la Ciudad / Empresaria</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/> RICARDO ORTEGA Party Preference: Democratic Los Angeles County Commissioner <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Comisionado del Condado de Los Angeles</i></p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> GREG WALLIS Party Preference: Republican Member of the State Assembly <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Miembro de la Asamblea Estatal</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p>	<p><input type="radio"/> JAMIE SWAIN Party Preference: Democratic Truck Driver <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Conductora de Camiones</i></p>
<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p>
<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p><input type="radio"/></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>

Voter-Nominated Offices <i>Cargos Nominados por los Votantes</i>	Member of the State Assembly District 58 <i>Miembro de la Asamblea del Estado Distrito 58</i>	School Offices <i>Cargos Escolares</i>
Voter-Nominated Offices All voters may vote in these contests. Candidates display a party preference (or None) for the information of voters. This is not a party endorsement or approval. <i>Cargos Nominados por los Votantes</i> <i>Todos los votantes pueden votar en estas contiendas. Los candidatos muestran una preferencia de partido (o Ninguna) para la información de los votantes. Esto no es un apoyo o respaldo del partido.</i>	<p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>	Member, Governing Board Area 3, Chaffey Community College District <i>Miembro, Junta Gobernante Área 3, Distrito de Colegios Comunitarios de Chaffey</i> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>
Member of the State Assembly District 50 <i>Miembro de la Asamblea del Estado Distrito 50</i>	<input type="radio"/> RONALDO FIERRO Party Preference: Democratic Restaurant Owner / Councilmember <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Propietario de Restaurante / Miembro del Concejo</i>	<input type="radio"/> JENNIFER M. CARDENAS Community Organizer <i>Organizadora Comunitaria</i>
<p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p> <input type="radio"/> ROBERT GARCIA Party Preference: Democratic Etiwanda School District Member, Governing Board <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Miembro del Distrito Escolar de Etiwanda, Junta Directiva</i>	<input type="radio"/> CLARISSA CERVANTES Party Preference: Democratic Councilmember / Businesswoman / Mother <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Miembro del Concejo / Empresaria / Madre</i>	<input type="radio"/> LEE CHARLES MCDUGAL Chaffey Community College District, Member, Governing Board Area 3 <i>Miembro, Junta Gobernante Área 3, Distrito de Colegios Comunitarios de Chaffey</i>
<input type="radio"/> DEJONAE MARIE SHAW Party Preference: Democratic Licensed Vocational Nurse <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Enfermera Vocacional Certificada</i>	<input type="radio"/> LETICIA CASTILLO Party Preference: Republican Licensed Psychotherapist <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Psicoterapeuta Certificado</i>	<p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>
<input type="radio"/> ADAM PEREZ Party Preference: Democratic Local School Boardmember <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Miembro de la Junta Escolar Local</i>	Member of the State Assembly District 59 <i>Miembro de la Asamblea del Estado Distrito 59</i>	San Bernardino County Offices <i>Cargos del Condado de San Bernardino</i>
<p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p> <input type="radio"/> PHILLIP CHEN Party Preference: Republican Assemblyman / Business Owner <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Legislador Estatal / Propietario de Negocio</i>	Member, Board of Supervisors District 1 <i>Miembro, Junta de Supervisores Distrito 1</i> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>
Member of the State Assembly District 53 <i>Miembro de la Asamblea del Estado Distrito 53</i>	<input type="radio"/> DAVE OBRAND Party Preference: Democratic Deputy County Counsel <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Abogado Adjunto del Condado</i>	<input type="radio"/> CLIFTON HARRIS Private Investigator <i>Investigador Privado</i>
<p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p> <input type="radio"/> JAVIER HERNANDEZ Party Preference: Democratic Nonprofit Executive Director <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Director Ejecutivo de Organización Sin Fines de Lucro</i>	<p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<input type="radio"/> MARCUS HERNANDEZ School Board Trustee <i>Fideicomisario de la Junta Escolar</i>
<input type="radio"/> ROBERT S. TORRES Party Preference: Democratic City Councilmember / Businessman <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Concejal de la Ciudad / Empresario</i>	Nonpartisan Offices <i>Cargos No Partidarios</i>	<input type="radio"/> PAUL COOK San Bernardino County Supervisor <i>Supervisor del Condado de San Bernardino</i>
<input type="radio"/> MICHELLE RODRIGUEZ Party Preference: Democratic Public Safety Commissioner <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Comisionada de Seguridad Pública</i>	Nonpartisan Offices All voters may vote in these contests. Candidates for these offices do not display a party preference. <i>Cargos No Partidarios</i> <i>Todos los votantes pueden votar en estas contiendas. Los candidatos para estos cargos no muestran una preferencia de partido.</i>	<input type="radio"/> RAFAEL A. PORRAS Pastor <i>Pastor</i>
<input type="radio"/> NICK WILSON Party Preference: Republican Law Enforcement Educator <i>Preferencia de Partido: Republicano</i> <i>Docente de Cumplimiento de la Ley</i>	Judicial Offices <i>Cargos Judiciales</i>	<input type="radio"/> CHRIS CARRILLO East Valley Water District Governing Board Member <i>Miembro de la Junta Gobernante del Distrito de Aguas de East Valley</i>
<input type="radio"/> CARLOS GOYTIA Party Preference: Democratic Division One Director, Three Valleys Municipal Water District <i>Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata</i> <i>Director División Uno, Distrito Municipal del Agua de los Tres Valles</i>	Judge of the Superior Court, Office 15 <i>Juez de la Corte Superior, Oficina 15</i>	<input type="radio"/> ROBERT W. BLOCK Small Business Owner <i>Propietario de Pequeña Empresa</i>
<p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p> <input type="radio"/> MICHELLE A. LAURON San Bernardino County Supervising Deputy District Attorney <i>Fiscal Adjunta Supervisora del Condado de San Bernardino</i>	<input type="radio"/> GRAHAM M. SMITH Small Business Owner <i>Propietario de Pequeña Empresa</i>
<p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<input type="radio"/> DIETER CARLOS DAMMEIER Administrative Law Judge, State of California Unemployment Insurance Appeals Board <i>Juez de Derecho Administrativo, Junta de Apelaciones del Seguro de Desempleo del Estado de California</i>	<input type="radio"/> DAWN ROWE San Bernardino County Supervisor <i>Supervisora del Condado de San Bernardino</i>
<p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>	Member, Board of Supervisors District 5 <i>Miembro, Junta de Supervisores Distrito 5</i> <p style="text-align: right;">Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i></p>
	<input type="radio"/> JOE BACA JR Incumbent <i>Titular</i>	<p style="text-align: center;">(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)</p>

City of Loma Linda Offices <i>Cargos de la Ciudad de Loma Linda</i>	Member, City Council Ward 6 <i>Miembro, Concejo Municipal Distrito Electoral 6</i>	City of Adelanto <i>Ciudad de Adelanto</i>
Member, City Council District 1 <i>Miembro, Concejo Municipal Distrito 1</i>	Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i>	Measure U <i>Medida U</i>
<input type="radio"/> BHAVIN JINDAL Councilmember <i>Miembro del Concejo</i>	<input type="radio"/> MARIO FLORES County Field Representative <i>Representante de Campo del Condado</i>	Adelanto Vacant Property Tax Shall the City of Adelanto's measure to fund public safety, parks/recreation programs, capital improvements such as roadway projects, and illegal dumping enforcement, approving a vacant parcel tax that only applies to vacant land and does not apply to occupied residential properties or operating business properties, at rates based on zoning ranging from \$50.00 to \$600.00/acre annually for 20 years raising about \$6,200,000/year that includes citizen oversight, be adopted? Impuesto sobre las Propiedades Desocupadas de Adelanto Con el fin de financiar seguridad pública, programas de parques/recreación, mejoras de capital como proyectos de caminos, y cumplimiento de ley sobre desechos ilegales, ¿debería adoptarse la medida de la Ciudad de Adelanto que aprueba un impuesto parcelario a terrenos sin ocupar que solo se aplique a los terrenos desocupados y no se aplique a las propiedades residenciales ocupadas o a propiedades comerciales en operación, en tasas basadas en zonas que estén en un rango de \$50.00 a \$600.00 por acre anualmente por 20 años recaudando aproximadamente \$6,200,000 por año y que incluya supervisión ciudadana?
<input type="radio"/> OVIDIU "OVI" POPESCU Healthcare Provider / Entrepreneur <i>Proveedor de Atención Médica / Emprendedor</i>	<input type="radio"/> BESSINE LITTLEFIELD RICHARD Job Training Manager <i>Gerente de Capacitación Laboral</i>	
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	
Member, City Council District 4 <i>Miembro, Concejo Municipal Distrito 4</i>	Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i>	Member, City Council Ward 7 <i>Miembro, Concejo Municipal Distrito Electoral 7</i>
<input type="radio"/> JOHN LENART Physician / Educator <i>Médico / Educador</i>	<input type="radio"/> DAMON L. ALEXANDER Retired Law Enforcement <i>Agente de la Ley Jubilado</i>	City of Chino <i>Ciudad de Chino</i>
<input type="radio"/> RHONDA K. SPENCER-HWANG Professor <i>Profesora</i>	<input type="radio"/> TREASURE ORTIZ College Professor / Businesswoman <i>Profesora de Colegio / Empresaria</i>	
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/> JAMES F. "JIM" PENMAN Attorney-at-Law <i>Abogado</i>	
(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	
Member, City Council District 5 <i>Miembro, Concejo Municipal Distrito 5</i>	Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i>	Measures Submitted to the Voters <i>Medidas Sometidas a los Votantes</i>
<input type="radio"/> JUAN CARLOS "JC" BELLARD Professor / University Administrator <i>Profesor / Administrador Universitario</i>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/> YES SÍ
<input type="radio"/> RHODES RIGSBY Internal Medicine Physician <i>Médico de Medicina Interna</i>	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	<input type="radio"/> NO NO
<input type="radio"/>	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	State <i>Estado</i>
(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	Proposition 1 <i>Proposición 1</i>	Measure V <i>Medida V</i>
City of San Bernardino Offices <i>Cargos de la Ciudad de San Bernardino</i>	AUTHORIZES \$6.38 BILLION IN BONDS TO BUILD MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT FACILITIES FOR THOSE WITH MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE USE CHALLENGES; PROVIDES HOUSING FOR THE HOMELESS. LEGISLATIVE STATUTE. Amends Mental Health Services Act to provide additional behavioral health services. Fiscal Impact: Shift roughly \$140 million annually of existing tax revenue for mental health, drug, and alcohol treatment from counties to the state. Increased state bond repayment costs of \$310 million annually for 30 years. Supporters: California Professional Firefighters; CA Assoc. of Veteran Service Agencies; National Alliance on Mental Illness – CA Opponents: Mental Health America of California; Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association; CalVoices	City of Chino Public Safety, Roads, Essential Services Measure Shall the measure providing Chino funding for general government use, such as maintaining 911 response, police/fire protection; recruiting/retaining well-trained police officers; preventing crime; repairing streets/potholes; protecting local drinking water sources; addressing homelessness; maintaining veterans/senior/youth/after-school programs by enacting a 1¢ sales tax providing approximately \$28,000,000 annually until ended by voters; requiring audits/public spending disclosure/all funds benefitting Chino residents, be adopted? <i>Medida de Servicios Esenciales, Caminos y Seguridad Pública de la Ciudad de Chino</i> ¿Debería adoptarse la medida que proporciona a Chino financiamiento para el uso general del gobierno, como mantener la respuesta del 911, la policía/protección contra incendios; reclutar/retener oficiales de policía bien capacitados; prevenir el delito; reparar calles/baches; proteger las fuentes locales de agua potable; abordar la falta de vivienda; apoyar a los programas para veteranos/adultos mayores/jóvenes/después de la escuela mediante la aprobación de un impuesto de 1¢ sobre las ventas lo que generará aproximadamente \$28,000,000 al año hasta que los votantes decidan ponerle fin; solicitando auditorías/declaración pública de gastos/y que todos los fondos beneficien a los residentes de Chino?
Member, City Council Ward 3 <i>Miembro, Concejo Municipal Distrito Electoral 3</i>	Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i>	<input type="radio"/> YES SÍ
<input type="radio"/> JUAN FIGUEROA Medical Professional <i>Profesional Médico</i>	<input type="radio"/> CHRISTIAN T. SHAUGHNESSY Housing Community Organizer <i>Organizador Comunitario de la Vivienda</i>	<input type="radio"/> NO NO
<input type="radio"/>	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	City of Colton <i>Ciudad de Colton</i>
Member, City Council Ward 5 <i>Miembro, Concejo Municipal Distrito Electoral 5</i>	Vote for One <i>Vote por Uno</i>	Measure T <i>Medida T</i>
<input type="radio"/> HENRY NICKEL Business Owner <i>Propietario de Empresa</i>	<input type="radio"/> ROSE WARD Account Executive <i>Ejecutiva de Cuentas</i>	Shall the office of Colton City Clerk be appointive? ¿Debería designarse el cargo del Secretario Municipal de Colton?
<input type="radio"/> BEN REYNOSO Councilman <i>Concejal</i>	<input type="radio"/> KIM KNAUS Businesswoman / Non-Profit Director <i>Empresaria / Directora de Organización sin Fines de Lucro</i>	<input type="radio"/> YES SÍ
<input type="radio"/>	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	<input type="radio"/> NO NO
(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)	(Write-In / <i>En-Escrito</i>)

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Medidas Sometidas a los Votantes

San Bernardino County Fire Protection District
Distrito de Protección Contra Incendios Condado de San Bernardino

Measure W
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REPEAL THE SPECIAL TAX FOR SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT SERVICE ZONE FP-5

Shall the measure to repeal the special tax for San Bernardino County Fire Protection District Service Zone FP-5 be adopted?

REVOCACIÓN DEL IMPUESTO ESPECIAL A LA ZONA FP-5 DE SERVICIO DEL DISTRITO DE PROTECCIÓN CONTRA INCENDIOS DEL CONDADO DE SAN BERNARDINO

¿Se debería adoptar la medida para revocar el impuesto especial a la Zona FP-5 de Servicio del Distrito de Protección contra Incendios del Condado de San Bernardino?

YES / SÍ

NO / NO

Candidate Information

Political Party Endorsements for Voter-Nominated Offices

Political parties have the option to endorse candidates for Voter-Nominated Offices. Below is a list of candidates who have been endorsed by qualified political parties.

Democratic Party	
United States Representative	
District 23	Derek Marshall
District 25	Raul Ruiz
District 28	Judy Chu
District 33	Pete Aguilar
District 35	Norma J. Torres
State Senator	
District 19	Lisa Middleton
District 23	Kipp Mueller
District 25	Sasha Renée Pérez
District 29	Eloise Gomez Reyes
Member of the State Assembly	
District 34	Ricardo Ortega
District 39	Juan Carrillo Ventura
District 45	James C. Ramos
District 47	Christy Holstege
District 50	Robert Garcia
District 53	Robert S. Torres
District 59	Dave Obrand

Libertarian Party	
United States Senator	
Gail Lightfoot	

Republican Party	
United States Representative	
District 23	Jay Obernolte
District 25	Ian M. Weeks
District 28	April A. Verlato
District 40	Young Kim
State Senator	
District 19	Rosilicie Ochoa Bogh
District 25	Elizabeth Wong Ahlers
District 29	Carlos A. Garcia
Member of the State Assembly	
District 34	Tom Lackey
District 41	Michelle Del Rosario Martinez
District 47	Greg Wallis
District 53	Nick Wilson
District 58	Leticia Castillo
District 59	Phillip Chen

Peace and Freedom Party	
United States Representative	
District 23	Mahnoor Mohammad Arif
State Senator	
District 23	Wadjia Sharif Danish

American Independent Party	
United States Representative	
District 35	Mike Cargile
State Senator	
District 31	Angelo Farooq
Member of the State Assembly	
District 58	Ronaldo Fierro

Voluntary Expenditure Limits

The following candidates for State Senator and Member of the State Assembly have voluntarily agreed to the expenditure limitations set forth in California Government Code Sections 85400 and 85601(c), allowing them the option to have a candidate statement appear in this guide.

State Senator	
District 19	Party Preference
Rosilicie Ochoa Bogh	Republican
District 25	Party Preference
Elizabeth Wong Ahlers	Republican
Sandra Armenta	Democratic
District 29	Party Preference
Eloise Gomez Reyes	Democratic
District 31	Party Preference
Angelo Farooq	Democratic
Sabrina Cervantes	Democratic

Member of the State Assembly	
District 36	Party Preference
Tomas Oliva	Democratic
Jose "Joey" Acuña Jr.	Democratic
District 39	Party Preference
Juan Carrillo Ventura	Democratic
District 41	Party Preference
Jed Leano	Democratic
District 50	Party Preference
Robert Garcia	Democratic
DeJonae Marie Shaw	Democratic
Adam Perez	Democratic

District 53	Party Preference
Javier Hernandez	Democratic
Robert S. Torres	Democratic
Nick Wilson	Republican
District 58	Party Preference
Ronaldo Fierro	Democratic
Clarissa Cervantes	Democratic
District 59	Party Preference
Phillip Chen	Republican

Candidate Statements

Candidate statements in this guide provide the candidate an opportunity to speak directly to voters.

Candidate statements are optional and printed at the candidate's own expense. Some candidates choose not to purchase space for a statement; therefore, this guide may not contain a statement for every candidate on your ballot.

Statements are printed as submitted by the candidates.

The following pages may contain statements for candidates for the following offices appearing on your ballot:

- United States Representative
- State Senator
- Member of the State Assembly
- Judicial Offices
- County Offices
- City Offices

Information about candidates for Statewide Elective Offices, including candidate statements, is available in your California Official Voter Information Guide and on the California Secretary of State's website. Visit voterguide.sos.ca.gov for more details.

CANDIDATE(S) FOR UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 23

JAY OBERNOLTE

Age: 53

Congressman / Business Owner

Americans are finding it more and more difficult to get by due to rampant inflation and brazen crime. Do we continue down a path of economic malaise and lawlessness, or do we work to restore order and prosperity to our country? I believe our values are worth fighting for.

America's best days can still be ahead of us. In Congress, I am fighting to reduce nonsensical regulations and create energy independence and greater economic prosperity for all Americans.

As a husband and father, I know how government-caused inflation is squeezing family budgets, which is why I fought for and helped pass the largest cut in wasteful spending ever. By cutting spending and producing more American-made energy, we can get control of inflation.

The crisis at our southern border has led to an increase in fentanyl overdoses and crime in our community. That's why I voted for the strongest border protection package ever and I am fighting to secure the border to keep our country safe.

I'm also fighting to ensure we keep our promise to our veterans. I am leading investigations into our local VA and I've authored legislation to hold abusive employees accountable. Veterans deserve our very best and I am fighting for just that.

I hope you will join our local law enforcement officers, the High Desert Taxpayers Association, veterans, and small business owners in supporting Jay Obernolte for Congress. I would be honored to earn your vote.

Learn more about me and my values at ElectJay.com

CANDIDATE(S) FOR UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 25

MIGUEL CHAPA

Age: 52

Housing Placement Specialist

As a congressional candidate, I bring 32 years of invaluable experience helping families in the Coachella Valley and Imperial Valley achieve the American dream of home ownership. Guided by a passion for community and service, I assist first-time home buyers, military personnel, and first responders.

One of my proudest accomplishments is the creation of the American Heroes Initiative, a groundbreaking closing cost home purchase assistance program. This initiative has played a vital role in empowering first responders to overcome financial barriers and fulfill their aspirations of home ownership.

In Congress, my commitment to you is unwavering. I will champion legislation that strives to increase home ownership. Our communities deserve safety, and I'll stand strong with our first responders and work to secure the border once and for all.

Our farm workers are the backbone of the farm industry. Every day families around the valley and the country are consuming what our local farm workers deliver to our table. I will support our farming families in the Imperial and Coachella Valley.

With a proven track record of transforming dreams into reality for countless families, I am eager to bring my expertise to Congress and build a brighter future for all.

OSCAR ORTIZ

Age: 33

Councilmember / Education Director

Growing up in Indio, CA, after immigrating from Mexicali, I've been fortunate to experience the incredible support of our valley. My journey led me to Stanford University, where I earned a degree in chemistry with the hope of making a positive impact on others' lives.

Over the Past 5 years, I've had the privilege of representing our community as Mayor and Councilmember in the City of Indio, where I work to educate and empower our residents in our City's decision-making process.

In addition to my public servant role, I'm an Education Director for a local environmental non-profit. I take pride in educating all ages to better understand our surroundings and the local issues impacting our environment and public health.

Currently, I serve as the Chair of the Coachella Valley Energy and Sustainability Commission. This position has allowed me to contribute to crucial conversations about water conservation, renewable energy, and climate resilience in our region.

I am a leader that is attentive, effective, and efficient. Through my work and experiences, I've built strong relationships with community leaders throughout our district. These connections empower me to shape legislation that addresses our toughest issues, whether it's improving healthcare access, tackling the environmental challenges at the Salton Sea, or addressing the economic struggles of our hardworking families.

I am ready to continue collaborating with our community to build a better government for the benefit of future generations. Together, we can make a lasting impact on the path our district takes for years to come.

RAUL RUIZ

Age: 51

Emergency Physician / Congressman

These are difficult and chaotic times. Extremism and divisiveness are threatening everything we love about this country.

Now more than ever, we need leaders who put people over politics.

I grew up in Coachella, the son of farmworkers. I know what it's like to struggle to make ends meet. And I know that getting things done requires putting people first.

I'm not a career politician; I'm an emergency physician who ran for Congress to serve people. When I treat patients, it doesn't matter their political party, or whether they're wealthy or underserved. All that matters is helping them.

I've brought that same commitment to Congress:

Fighting for Retirees and Veterans: I've fought hard to protect Social Security, Medicare, and Veterans' benefits. I helped local retirees and veterans collect millions in Social Security and other benefits they earned. And I wrote the historic law taking care of veterans exposed to toxic burn pits.

Lowering cost of living: I wrote a law improving MediCal coverage for thousands of local families. I helped pass the Inflation Reduction Act, helping to reduce the cost of energy and prescription drugs and I voted for legislation helping to reduce the cost of housing and childcare.

Protecting a woman's right to choose: The Supreme Court's decision repealing the right to abortion has allowed extremists to pursue their dangerous agenda, putting women's health and freedom at risk. I have always fought for women's right to choose, and always will.

People over politics. That's what I believe in.

CANDIDATE(S) FOR UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 33

PETE AGUILAR

Age: 44

United States Representative

Inland Empire families deserve a leader who will work with Democrats and Republicans to lower costs and help families get ahead. That's why in Congress, I'm working to bring down prescription drug and healthcare costs, expand access to affordable housing, create good-paying jobs in our communities, and protect Social Security and Medicare.

I grew up in a working-class family in San Bernardino. My dad worked for a local utility company and my first job was bussing tables at the San Bernardino County Courthouse cafeteria. I was taught from an early age the values of family, hard work and helping my community. With the help of federal grants and student loans, I was able to work my way through college.

I understand that families are working harder than ever to make ends meet and household budgets are stretched thin. That's why I've been working to lower costs by:

- Taking on special interests to lower prescription drug costs for seniors
- Passing legislation to bring down utility costs
- Expanding manufacturing to make more things in America

But we cannot move America forward without protecting a woman's right to make her own healthcare decisions. Women, not politicians, should make decisions about their bodies. In Congress, I've been fighting Republican efforts to implement a national abortion ban. I've always voted to protect a woman's right to an abortion and will never stop defending women's reproductive healthcare.

It is a privilege to work on your behalf in Congress and I'd be honored to earn your vote.

CANDIDATE(S) FOR UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 40

ALLYSON MUÑIZ DAMIKOLAS

Age: 49

Governing Board Member, Tustin Unified School District

Allyson Muñiz Damikolas: Vice President of Tustin School Board, engineer, mother of three, and reproductive rights advocate. As a child, Allyson's family faced financial instability, but teachers showed her that education was a pathway to the American Dream. Allyson worked hard, earned a degree in chemical engineering, and joined an environmental engineering firm. When her daughters faced complex medical conditions, she put her career aside to be their full-time mom and advocate. Allyson battled insurance companies to get her daughters the treatments they needed. She advocated in their schools to ensure their classrooms addressed their needs and challenged them to reach their full potential. In 2020, Allyson became the first Latina in over 30 years to join the Tustin Unified School Board. On the board, she prioritized resources for all students and mental health services for both students and teachers. In Congress, Allyson will fight for the priorities of hardworking families and seniors, from commonsense gun safety laws to addressing the runaway costs of housing, groceries, and healthcare. Allyson is 100% pro-choice. Access to reproductive healthcare is a personal issue for Allyson. Because of the medical condition her daughters face, access to reproductive healthcare could one day mean the difference between life and death. Allyson's experience, background, and priorities for District 40 have earned her the endorsements of the California Teachers Association, The Congressional Hispanic Caucus, a multitude of local elected officials, and national organizations dedicated to electing women to Congress. Find out more at AllysonForCongress.com.

JOE KERR

Retired Firefighter Captain

Congress is a dysfunctional circus, progress is at a standstill because of political games, and MAGA extremists are only adding fuel to the fire. As a 34-year Fire Captain for the OCFA, I know how to put those out.

That's why I'm running for Congress. Washington D.C. is filled with career politicians who have done nothing but cozy up to the most extreme. I spent decades running into burning buildings, putting out fires, and saving lives. As the first elected President of the Orange County Professional Firefighters Association and proud labor movement leader, I helped over 200 bills get passed that addressed public safety, climate change, and policies that help working families, balanced OCFA's budget and saved nearly a billion dollars for taxpayers and worked with lawmakers to negotiate a refund of over \$400 million in Vehicle License Fees. To put it plainly, I get things done.

That's why I've earned endorsements from Representatives Katie Porter, Adam Schiff, Mike Levin, and Lou Correa, Former Governor Jerry Brown, State Treasurer Fiona Ma, state legislators Josh Newman, Tom Umberg, Dave Min, Avelino Valencia and Sharon Quirk-Silva, Mayor Ashleigh Aitken, and hundreds of unions including the OC Labor Federation, OCEA, OC Professional Firefighters, Anaheim Firefighters, and Teamsters.

With your vote, I'll go to Congress and fight to protect reproductive freedom, tackle climate change, end gun violence, create an economy that works for all, lower costs, and increase affordability.

Together, we can restore stability and common sense in Congress.

www.JoeKerrForCongress.com

YOUNG KIM

Age: 61

U.S. Representative

I ran for U.S. Congress because, like you, I believed our country was heading in the wrong direction and I was fed up with the status quo. Washington politicians were appeasing special interest groups instead of working on solutions to address the real issues hurting American families.

As a Member of Congress, I've worked to end gridlock and deliver results - by leading efforts to bolster our economy, combat skyrocketing inflation, lower taxes, and support our law enforcement to keep our communities safe.

Taxes & Inflation: Inflation is making life harder for all Americans. I've worked to combat inflation and cut taxes so things are more affordable for families.

Jobs & Economy: I have passed legislation to bring high paying, quality jobs back to our region, and strengthen the economy.

Public Safety: My top priority is keeping our communities and families safe, and I will continue to support law enforcement and keep criminals off our streets.

Border Security: I am fighting tirelessly to secure our border and address the fentanyl crisis.

My record has earned me endorsements from the California Republican Party, Republican Party of San Bernardino County and nearly 100 other local, county, and state elected officials who I've worked with personally to get positive results for our communities.

I am a trusted voice standing up to Washington politicians and their out-of-touch agenda, and I hope to earn your vote and continue fighting for you in Congress. Learn more at www.YoungKimforCongress.com

CANDIDATE(S) FOR STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 19

ROSILICIE OCHOA BOGH

State Senator / Small Businesswoman

I'm grateful to say I have lived the American Dream. The daughter of Mexican immigrants, I was taught that personal responsibility, hard work, and an education could unlock my future potential. That mentality combined with the opportunities America provides allowed my husband and I to have a family, grow a local business, and to be able to serve my community in the California State Senate.

Now, I am running for reelection to protect those values and opportunities for all Californians, so they have the chance to achieve their American Dream.

Strengthen our Economy & Stop Inflation: I've taken on Sacramento politicians and led efforts to bolster our economy, lower taxes, and stop inflation to help working class families.

Supporting Law Enforcement: Crime is out-of-control and instead of empowering our police, there are efforts to defund them. I will always support the police and ensure that criminals are prosecuted for the crimes they commit. That's why I'm supported by Sheriff Shannon Dicus and Sheriff Chad Bianco.

Improve Education: As a former educator and school boardmember, I've worked hand-in-hand with our local teachers to enhance our classrooms. Every child deserves a chance at an exceptional education, and it has been a top priority to improve our schools to make that a reality.

I'm endorsed by the California Republican Party and dozens of our local leaders because they trust me to keep Sacramento accountable and always working for us. I would be honored to earn your vote.
www.OchoaBoghforSenate.com

CANDIDATE(S) FOR STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 25

ELIZABETH WONG AHLERS

Age: 57

Council Member

In these days when record numbers of Californians are moving out of state, and we suffer a \$31.5 billion deficit, informed voters support me, Elizabeth Wong Ahlers, to represent them for State Senate District 25.

Councilwoman in Crescenta Valley, Doctor of Practical Ministry, graduate of UCLA, married 34 years, and mother of six—I have lived a life of service. I bring 33 years of experience with a deep commitment to uphold personal liberties, promote loving communities, empower parents and families, stand with law enforcement, and champion educational excellence for all our children.

As fifth-generation Californian, our family, like many others, is deeply rooted in our diverse Foothill and San Gabriel Valley community. Raising children and grandchildren here, I understand the problems of high cost of living, public safety, jobs, and schools.

In addition to public service on Crescenta Valley Town Council with a focus on Community Emergency Response and Land Development, professionally, I have invested in the future of many students as professor of English at UCLA, L A Valley College, Glendale Community College, and internationally.

Beyond professional roles, I have volunteered on international boards supporting humanitarian causes in South America, India, Asia; and locally for schools, Scouts, and community support groups.

In these insecure times, I offer you thoughts of peace, and not of evil; to give you a future and a hope. As your future California State Senator, Elizabeth Wong Ahlers will represent you for a brighter and prosperous California. This is Our Time.

SANDRA ARMENTA

Age: 51

Rosemead Councilmember / Teacher

Over her 15-year tenure on the Rosemead City Council, Sandra Armenta has consistently showcased effective, solution-based leadership and a results-oriented approach that has thrived both in the classroom and within city hall.

The Choice of Public Safety Organizations- Sandra is endorsed by SB County D.A. Jason Anderson and public safety organizations like, the Association of Los Angeles Deputy Sheriffs, and the Upland Police Officers' Association. She stands firmly against defunding local law enforcement. Sandra spearheaded Connections, a forum for combatting youth involvement in drugs, alcohol, and gangs. As your State Senator, Sandra will work with local law enforcement agencies to write common sense legislation that returns holding criminals accountable for criminal activity like smash-and-grabs and theft. Sandra understands that supporting law enforcement creates safer communities, neighborhoods, and cities for California families!

Fiscal Responsibility - While serving as Mayor, the City of Rosemead achieved top honors for financial stability and was ranked #1 among all San Gabriel Valley cities by the State Auditor's Office. With California facing fiscal challenges ahead, Sandra brings the fiscal leadership needed to protect taxpayers and fight wasteful spending.

Quality Education- With over two decades of experience as a special and general education teacher, Sandra understands California's prosperous future depends on our children. Sandra is committed to providing quality K-12 education and expansion of career and technical education to prepare our children for their futures. Her teaching career emphasizes her commitment to ensuring every student receives a quality education, setting the stage for a brighter tomorrow in California.

CANDIDATE(S) FOR STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 29

ELOISE GOMEZ REYES

Assemblymember / Attorney / Businesswoman

The Inland Empire is where I was born, opened my law practice, raised my family, and volunteered. For 30 years, I provided free legal services to help vulnerable residents defend against corporations, and worked with our youth, seniors, and Veterans. Hard work is not new to me. I worked hard as a girl picking onions at the age of 12. I worked hard as your Assemblymember delivering resources to working families. That work ethic will continue as your State Senator. We have much to do, but I'm proud to have delivered results for our community as your representative.

Together we:

- Delivered billions in investments in clean vehicles that support the Inland Empire.
- Led the effort to eliminate costly childcare fees on low-income families.
- Ensured individuals who have served their time in fire camps have pathways to become firefighters.
- Increased protections for employees facing workplace discrimination and provided resources to small businesses.
- Passed legislation to ensure every student in California has access to financial aid to pursue higher education.
- Protected our Veterans in courts and made sure they're part of our state housing plans.
- Fought for resources to address our housing and homelessness crisis.
- Protected our seniors from abuse and mistreatment.

As your Senator, I'll continue to help Inland Empire families get ahead. I'm proudly endorsed by the California Democratic Party, Teachers, Labor, Firefighters, Police, Nurses, Seniors, and Veterans, along with local and state elected officials. I hope to earn your vote and continue fighting for our community. Vote Eloise Gomez Reyes for State Senate. I'll be on your side. www.eloiseforsenate.com @reyes4senate

CANDIDATE(S) FOR STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 31

ANGELO FAROOQ

Educator / Economic Director

Age: 39

I've learned a lot since announcing my candidacy for State Senate. My reasons for running for Senate remain clear, despite the push-back I've received from political insiders hellbent on defending the status quo. For me, deciding to run for office was simple. As the son of a single immigrant mom who struggled to make ends meet, I understand what it means to be given the chance for a better life. For me that chance was an education which led to a good job that provides for my family and allows me to be part of our community and give back in important ways. It's why I serve as an Economic Development Director at U.C. Riverside and have taught classes to help students understand what it takes to succeed. It's why I serve on the Riverside School Board investing in programs to provide career technical education for jobs in the 21st century and curriculums that prepare our kids for college. It's why I serve on the California Workforce Development Board overseeing the state's \$6 billion workforce system and fighting for quality career pathways for over 1.5 million Californians. It's why I served on the California Planned Parenthood Board of Directors protecting reproductive freedom and healthcare. We need people in public office who care about what matters, not politicians who are creating political dynasties that benefit their own families. I hope you will join California Firefighters, California Teachers and local leaders in supporting me for State Senate.

Sincerely,

Dr. Angelo Farooq

SABRINA CERVANTES

California State AssemblyMember

Dear Neighbor,

I'm running for State Senate because our communities need a senator with a strong track record of getting things done for working families. As a working mom of triplets, lifelong Riverside County resident, UCR graduate, and State Assemblymember, my commitment to delivering results for the Inland Empire is unwavering.

I've advocated for legislation to protect women's rights, environmental measures, and our right to vote. I've delivered over \$650 million in state funding for Inland Empire schools, veterans, parks, and infrastructure improvements. As Chair of the Jobs Committee, I've delivered historic levels of funding to support small businesses and nonprofits.

In the State Assembly, I've fought to:

- Fully fund public schools and make college more affordable.
- Protect abortion rights and improve healthcare access.
- Build affordable housing and student housing.
- Combat climate change and improve air quality through impactful initiatives.
- Expand the UC Riverside School of Medicine.
- Develop the Norco College Veterans Resource Center.
- Support student veterans with college and career pathways through investments in the Military Articulation Platform.
- Ensure \$33 million for a new trade school in Jurupa Valley offering in-demand job skills.
- Secure \$427 million to improve our roads and bridges.

I'm proud to have the support of over 150 organizations and Democratic leaders throughout Riverside and San Bernardino Counties, including Congressman Mark Takano and outgoing State Senator, Richard Roth. I'm endorsed by the California Professional Firefighters, California Nurses Association, California Teachers Association, and have a 100% rating from Planned Parenthood. I'd be honored to earn your vote.

Sabrina Cervantes sabinacervantes.com

CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 36

TOMAS OLIVA

Age: 39

Councilmember / Congressional

My name is Tomas Oliva, and I am running for the State Assembly. With experience in city, state, and federal governments in policy writing, community organizing, and delivering resources to our community, I have the skills and heart our district needs to continue the success of outgoing leadership.

I was raised in El Centro, earned a B.A. from UCSD and MPA from SDSU, and have dedicated my life towards improving our communities. As a Councilmember and former Mayor for El Centro, we have made investments in infrastructure, community revitalization, affordable housing, creation of new parks, small business development and all while maintaining a balanced budget. Now, I want to take that same advocacy to the state level as your next Assemblymember.

Having worked for the Southern California Association of Governments and representing Members of Congress – covering both Imperial and Coachella Valleys – for the past 12 years, I have been personally involved in the efforts towards protecting the environment, long term transportation planning, ensuring Veteran's benefits, Salton Sea mitigation/restoration, and Colorado River Water allocations. New investment is coming with Lithium Valley, which will play a major role in job creation and creating a strong local economy. That will require investment in affordable housing, infrastructure, transportation, in both the Imperial County and Eastern Riverside County.

With the support and mentorship from leaders in both Imperial and Coachella Valleys, I will work toward improving the quality of life for our district's people, workers, and families. I ask for your vote on March 5th.

JOSE "JOEY" ACUÑA JR

School Board Member

Jose "Joey" Acuña is a local School Boardmember, Healthcare advocate, and longtime community leader who has the experience needed to deliver results for our district and fight for positive change.

Joey is strongly supported by our outgoing Assemblymember, Eduardo Garcia, and by former Assemblymember Manuel Perez because of his experience, values, and work ethic.

As our Assemblymember, Joey will fight to:

- Help families who are struggling with rising costs.
- Address homelessness by focusing on mental health and housing.
- Raise wages and help local industries grow and create new jobs.
- Fully fund schools and improve teacher recruitment and retention.
- Fight climate change, build parks, and improve air quality.

As a local School Boardmember, Joey has worked to improve graduation rates, expand after-school programs, college and career programs and support wellness programs. Professionally, Joey works as Development Manager for local Health Clinics and a grant writer for Tribes. He has also worked as a coordinator for a local after-school program.

Join Democratic leaders throughout the 36th District in voting for Joey Acuña for State Assembly.

"I'm running for State Assembly because I believe in the promise of California, and I want to make sure the kids who grow up in our district have access to world-class schools, good-paying jobs, and clean air and water. I'll listen to residents and work hard every day to improve and protect our quality of life. I'd be honored to earn your vote."

- Joey Acuña

CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 39

JUAN CARRILLO VENTURA
State Assemblymember

Age: 51

My story, like many of yours, is rooted in humble beginnings. I am a proud Mexican immigrant who came to this country for a better life, working as a dishwasher to put myself through school, earning a degree, becoming a city planner, and being elected your State Assemblymember.

I am running for re-election to continue to fight alongside you. My family and I know how hard life can be for people in our community. We've lived it. I understand the challenges we face: the need for quality education, the struggle for affordable housing, and the right to fair wages for work. I believe education is the pathway to better lives for our kids. That's why I fought for historic investments in education, including \$300 million for economically disadvantaged schools.

Too many people are struggling to find quality housing. That's why I worked to make it easier to build the housing that seniors, young people and working families can afford.

I know that many workers can't make ends meet, despite working full-time jobs. That's why I've fought to increase wages and improve working conditions.

Together, we've achieved a great deal but there's still more to do. I want to continue building a community where everyone can thrive, a community where our children can dream and achieve, just like I did. Re-electing me means choosing a proven leader who not only understands our struggles but has a track record of working across the aisle to deliver results.

Let's keep moving forward, together.
www.VoteJuanCarrillo.com

CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 41

JED LEANO

Age: 44

Small Businessman / Councilmember

I'm running for State Assembly to be a champion for the Eastern San Gabriel Valley and Inland Empire to fight for our fair share. As a parent and small business owner, I understand the challenges our communities face. With the rising cost of living, home prices, and homelessness, I fear that future generations will not have the opportunities to succeed they deserve.

As a Claremont City Councilmember, I've built a track record of delivering on the issues that matter most: homelessness, housing affordability, safe communities, and high paying jobs.

I reduced homelessness by 41% within my first two years in office by fast tracking new services, shelters, and housing

I partnered with public safety to launch a groundbreaking mental health first responder team, freeing up our officers to focus on crime

As Chair of the San Gabriel Valley Housing Trust, I created hundreds of new affordable housing options assisting families and seniors out of homelessness

I've delivered here at home and I'll do the same in the State Assembly. As your Assemblymember, I will:

Build more affordable housing and create pathways to homeownership

Address homelessness with a results-first approach of housing, prevention, and treatment

Increase access to quality and affordable mental healthcare

CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 50

ROBERT GARCIA

Educator / School Boardmember

Age: 45

Inland Empire residents are working harder than ever to make ends meet because of rising costs, while corporations make record profits and special interests get their way with some politicians. I understand the challenges families face and I'm running for State Assembly to keep putting people first.

As a son of immigrants, growing up in a union household, I defied odds, becoming the first in my family to graduate high school and college, earning degrees from UCLA and USC. Now, my wife and I are raising our three children in Rancho Cucamonga, as I successfully work towards excellence in education for Inland Empire students.

For 20 years, I've served our communities as a classroom teacher, school administrator, and Etiwanda School Boardmember, delivering results to strengthen education, keep students safe, and focus on mental health for middle schoolers.

I'm running for State Assembly to put people ahead of special interests and deliver results:

- Keep neighborhoods safe by ensuring public safety departments have the resources they need.
- Fully fund our local schools so students have the tools they need to succeed.
- Get costs under control, make housing more affordable, and work on innovative solutions to tackle homelessness.
- Stand up to corporate polluters to improve our air quality and keep our water clean.

I'm proud to be the only candidate endorsed by the California Democratic Party, California Teachers Association, California Latino Legislative Caucus, California Progressive Legislative Caucus, and local leaders including Assemblymember Eloise Reyes.

I'm here to serve and will stand up for you. I hope to earn your vote. RobertGarcia4CA.com

DEJONAE MARIE SHAW

Nurse

Age: 35

I'm DeJonaé Shaw — a nurse, a leader in my health care union, and I work with San Bernardino County based community groups to help uplift our youth and make the local economy stronger and more fair for working people.

I'm grateful to be endorsed by our local firefighters, nurses, educators, clean air advocates, and the Inland Empire Labor Council. I'd be honored to earn your vote.

I grew up in San Bernardino County with an absent father and a mother battling addiction. I faced many of the economic, educational, and health obstacles that too many people throughout the Inland Empire are struggling to overcome. I worked hard, sought mentors, and lifted myself out of the cycle of poverty to help other hard-working people get ahead.

I worked nights and attended classes during the day to become a Licensed Vocational Nurse (LVN) and then worked my way up to be a leader in my union to fight for fair contracts that improve wages and patient care in San Bernardino County.

I believe in empowering people to succeed. I serve on the board of the Optimist Youth and Family Home Services and have partnered with Just Us 4 Youth and the Young Women's Empowerment Summit to help young people in our communities create their own paths to the middle class.

As your Assemblymember, I will work to help everyone in our communities succeed through:

- Greater educational opportunities
- Good-paying local jobs
- Stronger economy for working people
- Addressing the housing crisis and homelessness
- Healthier and safer neighborhoods

Please visit www.ShawForAssembly.com for more information.

ADAM PEREZ

Local School Boardmember

Dear Neighbor,

San Bernardino County is an incredible place to call home, but rising homelessness, the skyrocketing cost of living, and a lack of good-paying local jobs are big problems that require thoughtful leadership and a lot of hard work.

My name is Adam Perez, and I'm a local School Boardmember, police detective, combat veteran, and community leader. I am running for State Assembly today for the same reasons I enlisted in the Army as an 18-year-old, because I believe in public service, and I want to give back to my community in the most impactful way that I can. I also think that I have the experience needed to be effective in this role and deliver results for our San Bernardino County communities.

In the State Assembly, I'll fight to:

- Reduce homelessness with a focus on mental health and housing.
- Improve schools and work to make college more affordable.
- Help families struggling to address rising costs of gas and groceries.
- Protect our environment, ensure cleaner air, and build more parks.
- Encourage innovation to help local businesses grow and create jobs.
- Make neighborhoods safer and ensure fast 911 response times.

I'm proud to have been endorsed by local Assemblymember James Ramos; along with leaders throughout Bloomington, Colton, Fontana, Loma Linda, Rancho Cucamonga, and Redlands. I hope to earn your vote.

Feel free to contact me directly at (909) 600-0408 or [Hello@AdamPerezForAssembly.com](mailto>Hello@AdamPerezForAssembly.com) if you have any questions that I can answer or ideas that you want to share.

Adam Perez www.AdamPerezForAssembly.com

CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 53

JAVIER HERNANDEZ Age: 35
Non Profit Executive Director

It's getting harder for working families to get ahead as wages don't keep up with rising prices while corporations and developers rake in record profits. I get it. Too many politicians who are part of the system sell out and fail to take action for people.

I'm a nonprofit leader, coalition builder, and lifelong organizer focused on putting people first.

A Dreamer who was brought to this country at 6 months old, I was raised in Pomona, Montclair, and Ontario. Leading a community advocacy organization for nearly 10 years. I've been working to ensure families throughout the Inland Empire have access to healthcare, education, and the chance to pursue the American Dream.

But we need more action from our legislature. We need a change from the old politics. I've successfully led efforts that made real impacts on people's lives, expanding healthcare access and increasing investments in safety-net programs, small businesses, and working families.

I will champion progressive priorities and bring people together to:

- Expand access to housing that's affordable, stable, and secure;
- Make healthcare affordable by passing Medicare for All;
- Ensure safe communities by tackling the root causes of crime and investing in youth programs; and
- Stand up to corporate polluters and protect access to clean air and water.

I'm proud to have the support of California Environmental Voters, the California Teachers Association, the National Union of Healthcare Workers, Equality California, the California Legislative Progressive Caucus, and local leaders like former Senator Connie Leyva.

I'm running for Assembly to put you first. I'd be honored to earn your vote.
Hernandez4Assembly.com

ROBERT S. TORRES Age: 37
City Councilmember / Businessman

Robert Torres is a local city councilmember and small business owner who is running for the State Assembly to make a tangible difference for families in our community. As a former union warehouse worker and a father of two, Robert understands the struggles of working Californians facing rising costs of living and stagnant wages.

Robert knows that families in our community are struggling to make ends meet and they need help.

That's why in the Assembly, Robert's number one priority will be to reduce the cost of housing, rent, food, and gas.

As our State Assemblymember, Robert will work to eliminate outdated laws so we can build more housing faster, create good-paying construction jobs, and prioritize housing that is affordable for working families. Robert will also work to expand programs to help first time homebuyers.

On the City Council, Robert has fought to require higher wages for healthcare workers, and in the state legislature, Robert will fight to ensure that workers in every industry are able to earn a living wage.

Robert also understands that community safety is vital, which is why he supports a new law to take guns from individuals who violate red flag laws, including domestic violence restraining orders, and requires they receive mental health treatment.

Nurses, educators, and construction workers support Robert Torres because he stands with us.

By March 5th, Vote for Robert Torres for State Assembly to bring real change to our community.

To learn more about his vision and policies, visit RobertTorres.org.

NICK WILSON Age: 40
Law Enforcement Educator

The greatest state in our union is collapsing. Irrespective of political affiliation, we must come together to fix what's broken. I'm a husband and father, I'm not a career politician. I medically retired as a police officer after 13 years, I combatted white supremacy, domestic and international extremism. I founded a nonprofit that focuses on first responder mental health/suicide prevention and teach law enforcement mental health. As I see Sacramento redefine laws and truth, I'm sickened to see where our state is today.

My top priorities are parental rights, public safety, cost of living & homelessness. I firmly believe that parents should have the fundamental right to make decisions for their children's well-being and education. Unfortunately, these rights are under attack, we must stand together to protect them.

Public safety, crime victims and cops must be supported. I will fight to improve public safety so that families are safe in public without becoming victimized.

The cost of living must be improved, economic opportunities must open, taxes cut. Families deserve to provide for their children.

The homelessness crisis must end, starting with the mismanagement of public funds designed to fix homelessness. These priorities can be achieved by putting principles over politics.

We cannot afford to remain silent or complacent. Families are the backbone of our community; they deserve to have their voices heard. I'll fight to preserve and strengthen parental rights. Together, we can preserve the values that make District 53 a great place to call home.

CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 58

RONALDO FIERRO

Restaurant Owner / Councilmember

Age: 39

I grew up in the Inland Empire and am raising my own family here. You might know me from The Salted Pig restaurant and W. Wolfskill bar, local businesses I opened and built from the ground up. As a small business owner who weathered the pandemic, I know what it takes to meet a payroll and keep the doors open, even in the toughest times. In the State Assembly, you can count on me to expand economic opportunity, improve public education and ensure safe communities.

I will fight for resources to support our small businesses and create good paying jobs that spur economic growth. When it comes to our children, everyone deserves the opportunity for a quality education. In the Assembly, I will advocate for career technical education programs that train students for 21st century jobs or ensure they are prepared for college.

As a Riverside City Councilmember, I've seen how hard it is to build affordable, quality housing. I am focused on making sure we get our fair share of resources to invest in housing that our families, young people and seniors can afford.

As a father of a young daughter, nothing is more important to me than the safety of our neighborhoods. In the Assembly, I will be dedicated to ensuring that our public safety is well-equipped to keep our communities safe.

I am backed by Congressman Mark Takano and our local heroes – teachers, firefighters, first responders, – and working families like yours. I'd be honored to earn your vote. <https://www.ronaldofierro.com/>

CLARISSA CERVANTES

Councilmember / Businesswoman / Mother

Inland Empire families are having a harder time making ends meet while big corporations are making record profits, and warehouses are encroaching on our neighborhoods. We need someone on our side. I'm a mom, businesswoman, and results-driven Riverside Councilmember. I'm running for State Assembly to continue to put people first and get things done.

Born to a family with Southern California farmworker heritage, I worked for Democratic campaigns and a labor union representing Registered Nurses after earning my college degree. I ran for Riverside City Council to stand up for underserved communities. On the Council, I've stood up for residents against warehouse overdevelopment and utility rate increases, fought for funds to repair roads, strengthen public safety, support small businesses, and tackled housing and homelessness by helping to build more homes that are affordable and draft the city's 5-year plan to reduce the unhoused population.

I've been accessible and responsive, and I've brought people together to deliver results. I'll do the same in the Assembly to:

- Make housing more affordable and tackle the unhoused crisis;
- Create good-paying jobs beyond the warehouse industry;
- Expand affordable healthcare by passing Medicare For All Act;
- Invest in public schools;
- Protect our environment, air, and water;
- Keep our neighborhoods safe; and
- Stand up to special interests in Sacramento

I'm proud to be endorsed by local and state Democratic leaders and unions like the California Federation of Teachers, SEIU California, United Food and Commercial Workers, and the National Union of Healthcare Workers, along with Equality California, civil rights leader Dolores Huerta, and more. I'll take action and get results for you.

ClarissaCervantes.com

CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY DISTRICT 59

PHILLIP CHEN

Assemblyman / Business Owner

As your State Assemblyman and a proud small business owner, I'm leading efforts to reduce the higher cost of living, stop crime, keep taxes down, hold government accountable, and lower the costs of healthcare.

To combat rising inflation, I am working to reduce the cost of energy and gas, strengthen our supply chain, support policies to create more jobs, better opportunities, and a stronger middle-class.

Violent crime is on the rise in California due to AB 109, Prop. 47 and Prop. 57, which lowered penalties for crimes to misdemeanors and allowed for the early release of felons.

As a former Reserve Deputy Sheriff, I am working on reversing these disastrous policies by supporting legislation to hold criminals accountable, stop "smash and grab robberies" and ensure our law enforcement personnel have the resources to keep our communities safe.

That is why Sheriff Shannon Dicus and the San Bernardino County Professional Firefighters have endorsed me.

To protect our tax dollars, I have been a fierce defender of Proposition 13, opposed schemes to raise your taxes, and demanded audits of states agencies to stop waste, fraud, abuse.

Health care costs too much. That's why I backed the most comprehensive drug price transparency bill in U.S. history to make prescription drugs more affordable.

I would be honored to earn your support and your vote.

Please visit www.phillipchen.org to learn more about how I'm working to reduce the cost of living and build a better tomorrow in California.

CANDIDATE(S) FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT, OFFICE 15

MICHELLE A. LAURON

San Bernardino County Supervising Deputy District Attorney

Michelle Lauron is a successful prosecutor who has dedicated her career keeping the people of San Bernardino County safe from crime and violence for 28 years.

As a San Bernardino County Deputy District Attorney, Michelle has prosecuted murders, rapes, child sexual assaults, domestic violence, drug trafficking, violent crimes, and welfare fraud. As a Supervising Deputy District Attorney, Michelle has overseen prosecutions of major crimes, cold case homicides, felonies, and misdemeanors.

Now Michelle Lauron is ready to put her experience to work for us as a Judge.

Michelle's judicial philosophy is clear: Judges must enforce our laws as written, protect the Constitutional rights of all, ensure the guilty are appropriately punished, never silence the voices of victims, and always free the innocent.

A longtime San Bernardino County resident, Michelle grew up in the High Desert and graduated from Apple Valley High School. She earned a bachelor's degree from the University of California, Irvine, and then her Law Degree from the University of California, Davis.

Michelle and her husband have been married for over 27 years. The couple are active members of their church and community. They have two adult children.

Michelle Lauron is supported by District Attorney Jason Anderson and Sherrif Shannon Dicus. She would be honored to have your vote to serve you as a Judge.

Learn more at Lauron4Judge2024.com

**CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS DISTRICT 1
SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY**

PAUL COOK

San Bernardino County Supervisor

San Bernardino County's High Desert is our home, but it faces formidable challenges from our own government. Sacramento has unleashed a surge of criminals, suffocated small businesses, and eroded our quality of life at an unprecedented pace in California's history.

It's time for us to take a stand locally. As your County Supervisor, I will staunchly defend our rural way of life.

During my service in the U.S Marine Corps, I protected our nation from foreign threats. Now, as your County Supervisor, I stand with law enforcement officers who safeguard our communities from perilous criminals. During my time as your Supervisor, we have added over 60 officers.

I'm equally dedicated to investing in future generations. After serving our nation in the Marines, I transitioned into education because the strength of our society lives in our children's education. As the High Desert expands, I will actively seek housing solutions, address infrastructure challenges, and support our Veterans.

Our region has always been a fantastic place to call home. I'm deeply honored to receive the endorsement of our law enforcement officers, Sheriff Shannon Dicus, District Attorney Jason Anderson, and local small businesses.

Learn more at: JoinPaulCook.com

**CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS DISTRICT 3
SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY**

CHRIS CARRILLO

Age: 44

Business Owner / Water Board Member / Attorney

People first.

It's a value I've taken with me throughout my career in public service, representing San Bernardino County for the United States Senate, County Supervisor James Ramos, and as a governing board member and former Chairman of the East Valley Water District.

I've spent my career fighting for our community. As an attorney, I've won cases for small business owners, residents, and a county fire division chief who was wrongfully fired. On the East Valley Water District Board, I led the effort to build the Sterling Natural Resource Center, a world-class water recycling center that created jobs and secured our county's water supply.

This is my home. I grew up here, graduated from Redlands High School, and today as a dad raising my two young sons, I want to ensure our county has a bright future.

As your County Supervisor I will—

- Strengthen public safety and weather-related emergency response
- Tackle the homelessness crisis and housing affordability
- End wasteful spending of your taxpayer dollars
- Address the short-term rental crisis impacting our desert and mountain communities
- Eliminate corruption in all county departments

Join the San Bernardino County Firefighters, CalFire Firefighters, Redlands Firefighters, IBEW Local 477, and the 40+ community and elected leaders supporting our campaign.

Let's build a better community together.

I would be honored to have your vote.

www.VoteChrisCarrillo.com

DAWN ROWE

Age: 55

San Bernardino County Supervisor

As the widow of a U.S. Marine who was killed in Iraq, I take very seriously my oath of office. As your County Supervisor, I pledged to put your interests above my own, and I've delivered on that promise. With your support, I will continue to fight for issues that matter most to our families.

Inflation continues to cut into household budgets, which is why I'm advocating for policies to strengthen our local economy and create new and high-paying jobs.

The growing fentanyl epidemic is the reason I've led efforts to dedicate \$10 million toward specialized enforcement of drug cartels and organized crime. We are sending a message to criminals that our County is no place to do business.

Despite state and federal policies hampering local government's ability to appropriately manage the surge in homelessness, our County has implemented a strategic plan that integrates behavioral and mental health programs with job training. We can't continue with the same failed policies.

I humbly ask for your support this election. I'm proud to be supported by Sheriff Shannon Dicus, District Attorney Jason Anderson, my colleagues on the Board of Supervisors, and our deputy sheriff's association. Learn more: RoweForSupervisor.com.

**CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS DISTRICT 5
SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY**

JOE BACA JR
Incumbent

I am proud of the work we have done here in San Bernardino County despite the challenges we faced during Covid. On the Board of Supervisors, I have continued to fight for our neighborhoods.

We are investing millions of dollars into local parks, schools, and libraries throughout this community. We increased public safety by adding additional officers, and giving our law enforcement the tools, they need. We even worked to add a state-of-the-art animal shelter to provide a safe haven for animals.

I fought for resources to start an affordable housing project in Bloomington. And increased affordable housing by providing funding to the Rialto Metrolink South Affordable Housing. Investing in these projects stops homelessness before it can start. We also initiated a program to help distribute free meals for senior citizens in the county.

All my life I have focused on helping this community. As a Correctional Officer and Probation Officer, I saw what happens to young people when they make mistakes. I became a teacher so I could support young people. I will continue this focus as we work on keys issues while working on untreated mental illness and homelessness. I would be honored to have your continued support.

**CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER, CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 1
CITY OF LOMA LINDA**

BHAVIN JINDAL
Councilmember

Age: 29

Dear Neighbor—

It's been an honor to serve as your councilmember for the past four years. Together, we tackled pandemic challenges, protected our community, and preserved what makes Loma Linda special.

In my first term, I championed policies that increased transparency and directed the city to adopt social media platforms to keep residents informed.

Together, we revitalized the first city community garden, and devoted resources to increase tree planting—earning us the designation of Tree City, USA. And to create a welcoming atmosphere for residents and businesses, we've invested in public art spaces to showcase our talented local artists.

There is still work to be done.

In this next term, I will continue to work diligently to attract diverse, quality, and innovative businesses to our community.

I will keep working on climate friendly policies to increase tree cover, cool zones, and bring electric vehicle charging stations to our city, boosting sustainability. And I will keep working with community partners and businesses to maintain our Blue Zone and increase amenities to our seniors and veterans.

I am committed to serving our community and delivering the quality of life our residents deserve. I'd be honored to earn your vote.

Bhavin Jindal
(909)583-5906
www.votejindal.com

OVIDIU (OVI) POPESCU
Healthcare Provider / Entrepreneur

Age: 53

Loma Linda has been my home for over four decades. I am passionate about our unique community. I raised my family here, earned my degree from LLU, helped create thousands of jobs in our region, and served on city council for 12 years.

As your City Councilmember, my priorities will include:

- Public Safety
- Creating Well-Paying Jobs
- Fiscal Responsibility
- Supporting Thoughtful and Beneficial Development
- Protecting our Open Spaces and Quality of Life

The safety of our community is a top priority. I will work to increase the number of first responders and reduce emergency response times.

Infrastructure investment attracts economic opportunity, which is why I secured millions in grant funding when I was a City Councilmember, and will work to do so again.

Taxpayer money is precious; we work hard for it. That is why I helped balance the city budget and increase revenues, without raising taxes, and will do so again.

I will work to promote a healthy community, make housing more affordable to residents, and address homelessness.

I would be honored to earn your support. With your vote, we can continue making Loma Linda a prosperous haven. Thank you, and may God Bless Loma Linda. Please Vote Popescu.

**CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER, CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 4
CITY OF LOMA LINDA**

JOHN LENART
Physician / Educator

Age: 65

I have been a resident of this fine city for more than 42 years. During my time on the City Council, I have endeavored to keep fees and taxes as low as possible, reduce regulatory burdens, apply rules fairly to all citizens, and ensure public safety. I have worked to balance the concerns of the residents and the community with the needs of the University. Limiting traffic to acceptable levels, increasing law enforcement presence, and protecting the open spaces of Loma Linda continue to be priorities of mine.

It has been an honor to serve as your representative on the City Council. I thank you for your vote and continued support.

DR. RHONDA K. SPENCER-HWANG
Professor

Dear Neighbors,
Let's build a thriving, healthy Loma Linda! I'm running for City Council District 4, because I am passionate about creating a thriving community for all. As a 22-year resident, wife to Joe, and mother of three (my youngest enrolled at Bryn Mawr Elementary), Loma Linda is my home.

My vision prioritizes public health, local businesses, and tackling issues like homelessness and transportation. Together, we can preserve Loma Linda's unique character while fostering a vibrant future.

As a Professor of Public Health and author of "Raising Resilient Kids," I have several years of research on longevity in our city. I'm inspired by our city's centenarians because they offer insights for building healthy communities. I'm eager to use this expertise by developing practical initiatives that improve our city.

As City Council Member, I will:

- Listen to residents: Conduct surveys and town halls to identify opportunities for improvement and solutions.
- Secure funding: Seek grants for initiatives like preserving open spaces, parks, and trails.
- Enhance infrastructure: Improve sidewalks, roads, and street lighting for a safer, runner-, biker-, and walker-friendly community.
- Boost economy: Encourage smart economic growth that supports businesses and public health.

With your support, we can build a healthier, more prosperous Loma Linda for all.

**CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER, CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 5
CITY OF LOMA LINDA**

DR. JUAN CARLOS "JC" BELLIARD

Age: 55

Professor / University Administrator

My wife and I have lived in Loma Linda since 1992. It has been a wonderful place to raise our children, care for aging parents, and grow professionally. I have dedicated my career to health equity, community engagement, and partnership building. A seat on the city council will enable me to apply my public health skills to the area of urban planning.

I support a health in all policies approach to development. Loma Linda's global reputation of health, service, and longevity is fertile ground for being recognized as an age-friendly community. We should leverage this reputation to attract businesses that align with our city's values and wellness culture. We should also pursue existing funding that supports sustainable and regenerative growth. We can do well by doing good. My priorities include:

- A focus on the built environment and sustainable growth
- A commitment to finding human-centered and effective solutions to homelessness
- Fostering civic engagement that promotes responsive governance

I am committed to collaboratively creating a clear shared vision for our city that will guide our policies and help make decisions that will allow us to live up to our reputation. We can do better together.

RHODES RIGSBY

Age: 61

Internal Medicine Physician

I have lived, studied, trained, or practiced medicine in Loma Linda for over four decades, serving in many leadership roles, and since 2006 as your City Councilman, and for 10 years as your Mayor.

The fact that you seldom think about the inner workings of the City is by design. I and my colleagues on the Council favor quiet competence:

- Enhancing traffic flow
- Renovating aging infrastructure
- Approving family-friendly new home construction
- Balancing consumer and business interests
- Muzzling or eliminating punishing bureaucracies
- Arranging efficient waste removal
- Protecting the natural beauty of our hills
- Attracting desirable businesses
- Housing homeless veterans
- Protecting private property from criminal damage
- Facilitating healthy built environments
- Cooperating with our world-class healthcare and educational institutions
- Advising regional transportation priorities
- Attracting cargo and passenger service to San Bernardino International Airport
- Partnering with surrounding communities, charities, congregations, and governments

What more could you want from local government? Beware candidates who propose a more forceful, overreaching, or annoying City government. Run away from candidates who might sacrifice public safety to advance questionable political agendas. With cities as well-run as Loma Linda, needless changes more than likely will make things worse. If you agree with my prescription for Loma Linda, please vote Rigsby.

**CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER, CITY COUNCIL WARD 3
CITY OF SAN BERNARDINO**

JUAN FIGUEROA

Age: 44

City Councilman / Medical Social Worker

As your City Councilman, I'm dedicated to working hard and delivering results for you. I secured funding to improve Lytle Creek Park, restore the bridge on Mt. Vernon Avenue, and install a new crosswalk to improve safety in the Colony Park neighborhood. Other successes include:

- Hiring more Police Officers to fight crime and patrol our streets.
- Opening a new Police Substation at Inland Center Mall to bring community policing closer to our neighborhoods.
- Working with Assemblyman James Ramos to provide more mental health and addiction treatment resources to combat homelessness.
- Supporting new home construction to help more San Bernardino families afford housing.

Organizing Community Cleanups: I also work regularly with City Code Enforcement and community groups to clean up local parks and blighted properties.

Proudly endorsed by our San Bernardino Firefighters and Police Officers.

Lifelong San Bernardino resident who grew up in the 3rd Ward with my parents and grandparents. Served as a Citizen Commissioner and President of my local Neighborhood Association.

Professionally, I'm a Medical Social Worker who empowers patients and helps families, veterans and seniors get needed healthcare services.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me personally at 909-648-7171 or juanfigueroasb3@gmail.com.
www.VoteJuanFigueroa.com

CHRISTIAN T. SHAUGHNESSY

Age: 29

Housing Community Organizer

I love San Bernardino and was born and raised here. But after a friend died from gun violence 3 blocks from my childhood home, I knew we needed change.

I started my decade experience in community organizing at Ward 3's San Bernardino Valley College serving working families and immigrants. I mentored at-risk youth full-time for multiple nonprofits. I lead 2 San Bernardino County government bodies full-time as Youth Coordinated Entry System Chair and San Bernardino County Youth Advisory Board on Homelessness Staff Liaison. We work with elected officials to earn anti homelessness funding, rental assistance and house homeless youth. I am a GPAC City Commissioner building San Bernardino's future vision.

As councilman I will:

- Fight corruption.
- Create outstanding jobs, affordable housing and revitalize downtown.
- Foster small businesses, not just warehouses.
- Take on slumlords, polluters, and violent crime.

I will never take Corporate PAC or developer money. I will never support spending taxpayer's funds on politician's sexual harassment lawsuits. I am the anti Pay-to-Play and anticorruption candidate, which is why I was endorsed by State Assembly Members Eloise Reyes, Corey Jackson, Councilmember Bhavin Jindal, School Board Member Mary Ellen Abilez Grande, IE Labor Council, Steelworkers, School Employees, National Organization of Women, and IE Votes PAC.

See our huge full list of endorsements at <https://christianforsbward3.com/endorsements> and call me at 951-465-5320. Let's clean up San Bernardino!

**CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER, CITY COUNCIL WARD 5
CITY OF SAN BERNARDINO**

HENRY NICKEL
Business Owner

Age: 45

Our family has called San Bernardino "home" for over a century. Today our city suffers from the devastation of blight, crime, substandard development, low quality housing, divisiveness, and poor quality of life. Together through active citizen involvement we can revive our city by:

- Advancing responsible development that encourages homeownership over detrimental excess rental housing.
- Ending political corruption while restoring accountability at City Hall by holding regular community discussions with residents to review City Council meeting agendas.
- Returning collegiality and collaboration among members of our community, elected leadership and city staff.

As a homeowner, born and raised in San Bernardino we must revitalize our All-American city. As your next City Council Member, together we must:

- Reduce Homelessness – Shut down illegal outdoor encampments, while working to secure more resources to keep homeless individuals off our streets.
- Combat Crime – Advance community policing without "defunding" our police. We need more police officers patrolling our neighborhoods and parks, not fewer!
- Invest in our Community – Continue to correct decades of neglect by repaving crumbling streets, citing vacant and blighted properties, and improving quality of life for all.

Learn more at www.henrynickel.com or call me at (909) 704-4653 with any questions or concerns.

Vote Henry Nickel for City Council.

ROSE WARD
Account Executive

San Bernardino is a city of opportunity and growth. We are the Gateway to Big Bear with a rich history. We have an amazing University and Community College.

As a businesswoman for over 33 years, I will be the voice of the citizens. I will support a balanced budget and be fiscally responsible.

I will prioritize public safety and crime reduction.

Promote business friendly policies to ensure future growth.

Support efforts to end homelessness.

Ensure transparency, integrity, communication trust and fairness.

Restore proper planning, better streets, and lighting.

I will be the voice of our constituents.

BEN REYNOSO
Councilman

Ben Reynoso is a champion for working families! He leads with his commitment to genuine, heartfelt representation. His personal journey, marked by the loss of his father and the joys of becoming a father during his first term, reflects a leader who wears his heart on his sleeve.

As the only council member always opposed to warehouses, Ben prioritizes San Bernardino's well-being over industrial and corporate interests. His inspiring leadership engages people of all ages, particularly our youth, urging them to actively participate in shaping our city's future.

Ben's impactful initiatives include LED lighting for enhanced safety in our neighborhoods, repairing our infrastructure, bringing Park Rangers to our city parks, increasing police presence on the north end, protecting renters, increasing access through spanish translation services, supporting small businesses through micro-grants, creating an Entrepreneurial Resource Center in partnership with CSUSB and more.

Ben's personal dedication extends to intimate issues like homelessness, transforming our downtown, and even bringing familiar franchises like Chick-Fil-A, Panera Bread, and Dutch Bros Coffee to the north end. Ben Reynoso's holistic approach touches every corner of San Bernardino, fostering a safer, more vibrant community. With your support, he'll continue to champion positive change and a brighter future for us all.

CHAS A. KELLEY
Medical Assistant

You deserve a City Councilman who will return your phone calls and respond promptly to your concerns. That's why I ask for your vote on March 5th.

I am a health care professional and a 25-year homeowner in the 5th Ward. I currently serve as President of my Neighborhood Association.

From 2003 to 2013, I was honored to represent you on the City Council. Back then, we didn't have homeless encampments or rampant crime. As your Councilman, I delivered results for local residents, including: a new Fire Station; 6 new neighborhoods parks; the Chesnut Nature Trail system; and new traffic signals and sidewalks to protect our children's safety.

Many residents asked me to run for Council because of my track record for getting things done. With your support, I will work to restore our quality of life by:

Increasing Police Protection: Hire more police officers and ensure a higher level of patrols in our North End neighborhoods.

Reducing Homelessness: Stop illegal camping and panhandling by transients. Move the drug addicted and mentally ill homeless off the streets and into effective treatment programs.

Your views are important. Please call me at 909-648-3506 if you have questions or concerns.

KIM KNAUS

Businesswoman / Non-profit Director

Dear Neighbors,

I'm Kim Knaus. I'm not just running for City Council in Ward 5; I'm fighting for the life of our city! I was raised here, I'm raising my family here, and I've seen the challenges firsthand. But I'm not just itemizing problems; I'm here to take action.

Our city deserves more than broken promises and overlooked potential.

We need a fighter with proven experience. I'm ready to roll up my sleeves and dive into the work that will transform our community.

Working together, we can make a difference. I am committed to:

- Strengthening public safety with proper tools, funding, and proactive measures to tackle crime.
- Creating local jobs by championing small businesses, revitalizing our economy.
- Smart, strategic planning that prioritizes the urgent needs of our community.
- Tackling homelessness through collaboration with local, regional, and state decision-makers for lasting solutions.
- Revamping our infrastructure, improving roads and sidewalks, for a safer, more efficient city.

I'm endorsed by the San Bernardino Police Officers Association, labor unions, business, and community leaders. But what truly matters is your support.

Join me in this fight. Vote Kim Knaus for City Council in Ward 5. Let's move San Bernardino forward.

**CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER, CITY COUNCIL WARD 6
CITY OF SAN BERNARDINO**

MARIO FLORES

County Field Representative

Dear Neighbor,

As a first-generation Latino, running for city council was never an ambition of mine, but I could not stand by and continue to see our city leaders neglect our community. We must have a representative who understands and listens to the needs of all and not just some. I excitedly enter this race with experience as a San Bernardino County Field Representative that has prepared me to best serve our beloved community.

I am committed to tackling these core issues that plague our city.

- Respectful and integral approach to homelessness
- Fixing our city streets
- Reducing crime
- Revitalizing our parks

My vision for the city involves a new generation of innovative leadership dedicated to taking our community to the next level. We must bring back dignity and respect to our city hall for the sake of our residents.

It is time for a fresh and dedicated approach to lead our city towards a brighter future. I proudly step up to serve you as your next council member. I hope to earn your trust and support as I embark on this journey of creating a brighter and thriving San Bernardino.

Mario Flores
909-453-3559

BESSINE LITTLEFIELD RICHARD

Job Training Manager

Four years ago, we didn't have the rampant homelessness and crime that is afflicting our neighborhoods in our City. Let's restore common sense to our local government and City Hall!

During my past service as your City Councilwoman, I worked successfully to deliver more community services for Westside residents:

- More Funding for Local Parks: \$150,000 in upgrades and amenities at Nicholson Park and \$119,000 for improvements at Delmann Heights Park.
- Affordable Housing: A new high-quality residential community located at 5th Street and Meridian.
- Expanded Community Policing: A new community-based crime prevention approach which included a future police substation on the West Side for faster police response.
- Added 5,000 New Jobs and 1st commercial passenger service to our San Bernardino International Airport.

As a lifelong San Bernardino resident, graduate of San Bernardino High School, mother of four and advocate for local Veterans, I am dedicated to building a better future for our community. I will appoint 6th Ward residents, not outsiders, to our city commissions!

San Bernardino won't achieve a better quality of life without new leadership on our failing City Council. Vote for Change on March 5th!

Please call me personally at 909-915-8749.

**CANDIDATE(S) FOR MEMBER, CITY COUNCIL WARD 7
CITY OF SAN BERNARDINO**

DAMON L. ALEXANDER
Retired Law Enforcement

As your Councilman, I have been proactively addressing significant issues in our city. In response to the homelessness challenges of our city we have enacted 3 new outreach teams, budgeted \$21 million for a homeless navigation center and other homeless projects to support individuals and families. I have engaged our ward with community forums inclusive of an economic summit displaying my commitment. I also collaborated with CalTrans Outreach for highway cleanliness.

I focused on public safety, by increasing the number of code enforcement officers from 4 to 20, implemented restricted truck routes, doubling the parking enforcement officers from 3 to 6, and approved new police officers, specializing as a Quality-of-Life Team, contributing to the enhanced safety of our city.

In the realm of business and development, I advocated for \$2.5 million for small business grants, benefiting 105 local businesses and non-profits. I also initiated a graffiti program and held a 7th Ward small business grant forum. I supported infrastructure improvements, including a residential lighting project and street repaving in the 7th Ward.

My commitment to change has resulted in numerous positive developments for our community. Your vote for Damon Alexander is vital to continuing positive progress!

TREASURE ORTIZ
College Professor / Business Owner

Are you over the status quo of decades of failure and corruption in San Bernardino?

Are you ready for real change? Ready for real plans that bring positive outcomes to our city?

If you answered YES, then I am your candidate!

I will bring forward initiatives to:

(1) Support our community and Police Department and fight against harmful laws that make it easier to be a criminal and harder to protect our city.

(2) Implement real plans that address homelessness by adopting components of Laura's Law that will allow us to help those who are mentally ill/drug addicted get out of our parks and into proper treatment facilities.

(3) Create a Highland Ave. and 40th Street specific plan that will help our current local businesses and bring in new ones.

(4) Address blight and code violations by reinvesting code enforcement fines back into the community with the creation of a stipend program for local businesses to help homeowners and renters maintain their properties.

(5) Fix our pothole ridden streets by utilizing CIP and Water funds together to update our underground main lines and pave all our streets within the next 7 years.

Together let's make San Bernardino an All-America City again!

JAMES F. "JIM" PENMAN
Attorney-at-law

Endorsed by the San Bernardino Police Officers Association, Mayor Judith Valles, and more. We need experienced, effective leadership to reduce crime and homelessness in San Bernardino.

Law Enforcement: As your City Prosecutor, I organized neighborhood crime sweeps to crack down on street gangs and drug pushers. We shut down over 500 drug and gang houses and oversaw the removal of a number of corrupt city officials.

Hometown Values: San Bernardino has been my life-long home including dedication to our community as a Firefighter, Police Commissioner, City Attorney, United States Army Reservist, and Home of Neighborly Service Director.

You deserve a Councilman who will put residents ahead of political agendas at City Hall! My priorities include:

- Safety: Increase neighborhood police patrols. Expand the use of innovative law enforcement technologies to prevent criminal activity.
- Homeless Solutions: Utilize the "Reno model" to get long-term homeless individuals off our streets and into effective mental health and addiction treatment programs.
- Housing: Expand new home construction to make housing more affordable for San Bernardino families. Strengthen code enforcement to clean up blighted properties and hold irresponsible landlords accountable.

With your support, we will turn San Bernardino around and build a better future for our community. www.ElectPenman.com (909) 882-8986.

Jim Penman

**MEASURE U
CITY OF ADELANTO**

IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE U

This Impartial Analysis of Measure U has been prepared by the City Attorney pursuant to Section 9280 of the California Elections Code.

This measure imposes a special parcel tax on *vacant* properties to fund public safety such as police services and fire protection, parks and recreation, capital improvements such as roadway projects, illegal dumping enforcement and blight elimination, and related programs.

The tax does not apply to homes occupied by either owners or tenants. The tax also does not apply to operating business property or property that is used, for example, once a week to host a farmers' market. The tax applies to properties that are used less than 50 days a year.

The tax establishes rates ranging from \$50 per acre per year for vacant properties zoned "desert living" to \$600 per acre per year for vacant properties zoned "commercial," "manufacturing," or "business park." The rate for a vacant property zoned "single-family residential" is \$300 per acre per year. The tax rates are automatically adjusted each year by the Consumer Price Index.

In the first year, 65% of the revenue would be spent on public safety, 10% on parks and recreation, 20% on capital improvement projects, and 5% on illegal dumping enforcement and blight elimination. In future years, 50%-80% of the revenue could be spent on public safety, 5%-20% on parks and recreation, 10%-30% on capital improvement projects, and 2%-15% on illegal dumping enforcement and blight elimination. These percentages could be modified by the City Council.

Exemptions exist for low income property owners including seniors, owners with disabilities, and properties owned by non-profit organizations. Owners who demonstrate special circumstances that prevent the use of property are exempt. Property in the process of being developed, and vacant property adjacent to land that is being used and is owned by the same owner, is exempt.

The tax will be collected by the County along with the property taxes, with collection starting in the 2024-25 tax year.

The tax is based on the use of property for the calendar year immediately preceding the tax year in which the tax is collected. For example, the tax collected in the 2024-25 tax year would be based on the use of property in the 2023 calendar year.

The measure creates a five-member oversight commission composed of Adelanto residents tasked with preparing an annual report on the implementation of the tax along with recommendations on how the revenues should be spent.

The tax is estimated to raise \$6.2 million per year, beginning in the 2024-25 fiscal year.

The measure must be approved by at least 2/3 of votes cast at the March 5, 2024 election.

The tax expires 20 years after it is first levied.

The measure was placed on the ballot by the City Council.

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure U. If you desire a copy of the measure, please call the City Clerk's office at **760-246-2300 x11123** and a copy will be mailed at no cost to you.

s/ Todd Litfin, City Attorney

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE U

This Argument in Favor of Measure U was submitted pursuant to Section 9282 of the California Elections Code. It is the opinion of the author(s), and has been printed exactly as submitted.

Vote Yes on Measure U to improve essential city services and protect public safety in Adelanto with locally controlled funding that cannot be taken away by the State or County.

The City of Adelanto has been working hard to attract and retain local businesses and industry, provide more job opportunities, and improve public safety services. However, in the past two decades the County has taken millions in local revenue away from our community – even now when we need it most.

Vacant lots, mostly owned by outsiders and corporations, tarnish our neighborhoods and pose a threat to our community. It is time those areas are put to use – for local shopping, building green spaces, providing jobs and helping our city thrive.

That is why we need to take things into our own hands and Vote YES on Measure U.

Seconds count in emergencies. Measure U will help keep the local Sheriff substation open 24 hours a day to support rapid 911 emergency calls.

Vote YES on Measure U:

- Maintain fire, paramedic and 911 emergency response times
- Support crime prevention and neighborhood safety
- Replace aging infrastructure including drinking water pipes
- Improve streets and keep public areas safe and clean
- Attract and retain businesses, industry and increase job opportunities

Strict Fiscal Accountability:

- Mandatory annual audits are required
- By law, San Bernardino County or Sacramento cannot touch a penny of Measure U
- All funds must be spent locally for programs and services in Adelanto
- Measure U does not apply to lots with homes or businesses – only vacant lots
- A hardship exemption is available

Join neighbors, first responders and community leaders – vote YES on Measure U to hold vacant lot owners responsible and ensure Adelanto is a great place to grow up, work and thrive.

s/ Gabriel Reyes, Mayor of Adelanto

FULL TEXT FOR MEASURE U

ORDINANCE NO. 647

AN ORDINANCE OF THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF ADELANTO AS APPROVED BY THE CITY'S QUALIFIED ELECTORS AT THE ELECTION HELD ON MARCH 5, 2024, TO ESTABLISH A SPECIAL PARCEL TAX ON VACANT PROPERTIES

WHEREAS, the City of Adelanto ("City") has been suffering from a lack of economic development since its incorporation on December 22, 1970; and

WHEREAS, since May 28, 1985, the State of California Department of Transportation has enforced a Controlled Access Highway Agreement along State Highway Route 395 in the City, which has severely restricted economic development within the corridor; and

WHEREAS, roughly 74 percent of the City's land area is vacant, undeveloped, and unoccupied by any legal use; and

WHEREAS, properties that are vacant or undeveloped deprive the community of the economic opportunity and housing that could be provided if those properties were put into use; and

WHEREAS, properties that are vacant also deprive the City of the revenue needed to provide public services by reducing the tax revenue that is generated when properties provide space for active uses or are developed for housing or businesses; and

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WHEREAS, members of the community have placed a clear priority on the need for parks and recreation programs; blight and illegal dumping remediation; public safety services, including police, firefighters, and paramedics; and capital projects to improve City infrastructure, including the construction and maintenance of roads, construction and maintenance of sidewalks, and storm water runoff and drainage; and

WHEREAS, the lack of economic development within the City has led to an insufficient revenue base that cannot fund the services that the members of the community have requested; and

WHEREAS, despite significant cost saving measures the City Council has employed in recent years to address the ongoing budget crisis, including the consolidation of job duties, significant reductions in staffing levels, and the sales of assets and deferment of equipment purchases, current revenue forecasts indicate that the City's General Fund will struggle to maintain basic service levels in future fiscal years; and

WHEREAS, in order to address these issues as soon as possible, the City Council desires to submit to the qualified electors of the City a proposed ordinance to adopt a special tax on vacant properties to support services important to members of the community; and

WHEREAS, such a special tax will also discourage property owners from keeping properties vacant; and

WHEREAS, the proposed tax will have a hardship exemption process so that people with financial difficulty or other valid reason the property had to be vacant can have the tax waived, and non-profits are exempt; and

WHEREAS, a citizen oversight committee will be established to provide transparency regarding the special tax by recommending the allocation of the proposed tax revenue to the City Council and monitoring the use of the proceeds of the proposed tax to ensure it is meeting the needs of the community; and

WHEREAS, a non-ad valorem tax on parcels of real property may be approved by the voters as a special tax under California Constitution, Article XIII A, Section 4 and California Constitution, Article XIII D, Section 3(a)(2); and

WHEREAS, Government Code section 37100.5 provides in relevant part: "Except as provided in section 7282 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, the legislative body of any city may levy any tax which may be levied by any charter city, subject to the voters' approval pursuant to Article XIII A of the Constitution of California"; and

WHEREAS, Government Code section 50075 further provides: "It is the intent of the Legislature to provide all cities, counties, and districts with the authority to impose special taxes pursuant to the provisions of Article XIII A of the California Constitution"; and

WHEREAS, at its Meeting of November 8, 2023, the City Council of the City of Adelanto ("City Council") approved Resolution No. 23-81, which (i) called for and gave notice of the placement of a parcel tax measure as set forth in this Ordinance onto the March 5, 2024, ballot by approval of Resolution No. 23-81; (ii) requested consolidation of such election with the County of San Bernardino; and (iii) requested that the County of San Bernardino provide specific election administration services; and

WHEREAS, the ballot measure question seeking approval of this Ordinance appeared as follows:

<p>Adelanto Vacant Property Tax <i>Shall the City of Adelanto's measure to fund public safety, parks/recreation programs, capital improvements such as roadway projects, and illegal dumping enforcement, approving a vacant parcel tax that only applies to vacant land and does not apply to occupied residential properties or operating business properties, at rates based on zoning ranging from \$50.00 to \$600.00/acre annually for 20 years raising about \$6,200,000/year that includes citizen oversight, be adopted?</i></p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
	<input type="checkbox"/> No

WHEREAS, the calling of an election contest for Adelanto voters to consider the parcel tax measure was made in a manner consistent with Government Code sections 53971.5 and 53978 and Government Code section 50077, which provides in relevant part: "Except as provided in section 7282 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, the legislative body of any city ... may, following notice and public hearing, propose by ordinance or resolution the adoption of a special tax"; and

WHEREAS, the City Council approved this Ordinance for first reading at a public hearing conducted as part of its Regular Meeting of November 8, 2023, provided that the Ordinance may not take effect unless approved by Adelanto voters at the Election of March 5, 2024; and

WHEREAS, this Ordinance, by its terms, may only take effect if the ballot measure requesting its approval is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) majority of Adelanto voters at the Election of March 5, 2024; and

WHEREAS, at the Election of Tuesday, March 5, 2024, Adelanto voters approved the measure requesting approval of this Ordinance by a margin of ___% voting in favor ("Yes") and ___% voting in opposition ("No"); and

WHEREAS, the election results were certified at the City Council's meeting of _____, 2024, by way of Resolution No. __-__.

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF ADELANTO, CALIFORNIA DO HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Title.

This Ordinance may be referred to as the "Adelanto Vacant Property Tax."

SECTION 2. Purpose.

The taxes imposed under this Ordinance are solely for the purpose of raising revenue necessary to support and fund services for parks and recreation, illegal dumping remediation, public safety, capital improvement projects, and the related programs, described below. Because the proceeds of the parcel tax will be deposited into a special fund restricted for the services and programs specified in this Ordinance, the tax is a special tax.

SECTION 3. Code Amendment.

A new Chapter 3.70 of Title 3 (Revenue and Finance) is hereby added to the Adelanto Municipal Code to read as follows:

Chapter 3.70 - ADELANTO VACANT PROPERTY TAX.

Sections:

3.70.010 - Definitions.

"Active use" means the occupancy of a legal residential unit, the performance of a business function or operation, or the presence of a functional structure, agricultural site, or landscaping and parking which is being maintained or operated and serves an adjacent structure.

"City" means the City of Adelanto, California, a municipal corporation and charter city.

"City Council" means the Council of the City of Adelanto.

"Commission" means the Adelanto Vacant Property Tax Advisory Commission.

"Consumer Price Index" means the Consumer Price Index published by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistic for "All Urban Consumers" in the Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario Area. In the event this index ceases to be published, the Consumer Price Index shall be another index as determined by the City that is reasonably comparable to the Consumer Price Index for the Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario Area.

"County" means the County of San Bernardino, California.

"Developed parcel" means all parcels, regardless of zoning or other land use designation, upon which permanent improvements have been constructed or placed.

"Finance Director" means the Director of Finance of the City of Adelanto.

"Owner" means the owner or owners of the real property located within the City of Adelanto.

"Parcel" means a legal parcel of real property in the City of Adelanto as shown on the most current official assessment roll of the San Bernardino County Assessor.

"Residential unit" means a building or structure, or portion thereof, designed for or occupied exclusively by one household, including unrelated persons who live together and maintain a common household.

"Tax" means the special tax authorized by this Ordinance.

"Undeveloped parcel" means all parcels, regardless of zoning or other land use designation, upon which no permanent improvements have been constructed or placed.

"Vacant" is as defined by section 3.70.020 of this chapter.

3.70.020 - Determination of Vacancy

- A. For the purposes of this ordinance, a parcel of real property shall be deemed "vacant" and subject to the tax imposed by Section 3.70.030 below if the parcel is not otherwise wholly exempt from ad valorem tax by state law, and is any of the following:
1. A developed parcel of land that is in active use less than 50 days during a calendar year.
 2. An undeveloped parcel of land that is in Active use less than 50 days during a calendar year.
 3. A condominium, duplex, or townhouse residential unit under separate ownership that is in Active use less than 50 days during a calendar year.
 - a. Except as provided in subdivision 4 below, for parcels with multiple units, whether residential or non-residential, the parcel is not vacant if any unit on it is not vacant. A condominium, duplex, or townhouse unit under separate ownership is treated as a separate parcel for the purposes of this Chapter, and if it is vacant, is subject to the tax regardless of the status of any other unit on the same lot or that is part of the same development.
 4. A parcel of land where ground floor commercial activities are allowed by the applicable zoning (with or without a use permit), or are a legal nonconforming use, and all of the ground floor space that could be lawfully occupied by commercial activities is in Active use less than fifty 50 days in a calendar year.
 - a. Parcels determined to be vacant under this section shall be subject to the tax regardless of whether any other portion of the structures on the parcel are occupied.
- B. The City Council shall establish, by ordinance, a method for determining and identifying the use and vacancy status of each parcel of real property in the City.

3.70.030 - Imposition of Special Parcel Tax on Vacant Property

- A. A special tax in the amounts set forth below is hereby imposed on every vacant parcel of real property within the City, other than those exempted in Section 3.70.030 K. of this chapter.
- B. The tax constitutes a debt owed by the Owner of each parcel to the City.
- C. Unless the City Council selects another method for collection of the tax, the County shall levy and collect the tax on each parcel of real property in the City for which the Owner receives a separate ad valorem property tax bill, at the same time and manner, and subject to the same penalties and procedures as ad valorem property taxes collected by the County except as otherwise set forth in this Ordinance.
- D. If the City Council selects collection of the tax by the County, the tax shall be imposed on the ad valorem property tax bill for the fiscal year that begins July 1 following the end of the calendar year in which the parcel was vacant. The special tax shall first be imposed and collected no sooner than the ad valorem property tax bill for fiscal year 2024-2025 for parcels that were vacant in the 2023 calendar year.

E. Tax Rates.

1. The maximum tax rates for each property type shall be as set forth in the table below. The City shall be responsible for assigning a tax rate for each parcel.

Zoning District	Zoning Description	Annual Tax Rate
ADD	Airport Development District	\$200 per acre per parcel
AP	Airport Park	\$200 per acre per parcel
BP	Business Park	\$600 per acre per parcel
C	Commercial	\$600 per acre per parcel
DL-2.5	Desert Living 2.5	\$50 per acre per parcel
DL-5	Desert Living 5	\$50 per acre per parcel
DL-9	Desert Living 9	\$50 per acre per parcel
LM	Light Manufacturing	\$600 per acre per parcel
MI	Manufacturing/Industrial	\$600 per acre per parcel
MU	Mixed Use	\$600 per acre per parcel
OS	Open Space	\$50 per acre per parcel
PU	Public Utilities	\$0 per acre per parcel
R1	Single Family Residential	\$300 per acre per parcel
R3-30	High Density Residential	\$300 per acre per parcel
R3-8	Medium Density Residential	\$400 per acre per parcel
R-M12	Medium Density Residential	\$400 per acre per parcel
R-S1	Single Family Residential	\$300 per acre per parcel
R-S5	Single Family Residential	\$300 per acre per parcel
U	Uncategorized or unassigned	\$200 per acre per parcel

For purposes of calculating the maximum tax rates set forth herein, parcels that are a fraction of an acre shall be rounded up to the nearest whole acre.

- F. Real property otherwise wholly exempt from ad valorem tax by state law shall also be exempted from the tax imposed by this Ordinance.
- G. City Council Discretion to Temporarily Reduce Maximum Authorized Tax Rates and Authorize Additional Exemptions.
 1. The City Council, in its sole discretion, may, by resolution, temporarily decrease the annual tax rate imposed less than the maximum amount authorized in Section 3.70.030, subsection E. Following any such temporary decrease in the annual tax rate, the City Council may, by resolution, restore the annual tax rate back up to the maximum rate authorized in Section 3.70.030, subsection E, or to any other amount less than the maximum rate authorized in Section 3.70.030, subsection E, without obtaining voter approval.
 2. The City Council may, in its discretion, adopt and/or repeal additional categories of exemption, provided that such exemptions are approved or repealed by Ordinance. The foregoing notwithstanding, in no event may the City Council repeal exemptions expressly approved by the voters as part of this Ordinance.
- H. Automatic Cost of Living Adjustments to Tax Rates.

The maximum special tax rates specified in subsection E shall be automatically adjusted by an increment not to exceed the annual percentage change in the March Consumer Price Index (CPI). Regardless of whether the special tax rate has been reduced to an amount below the maximum special tax rate allowed in Section 3.70.030, subsection E, the maximum tax rate applicable for the following year shall be the maximum special tax rate that could have otherwise been levied, not to exceed CPI. Even if the City Council elects to impose a lesser special tax in any fiscal year, in any later fiscal year the City Council may still elect to impose up to the full authorized maximum special tax rate.

- I. For properties wholly within San Bernardino County and divided by Tax Rate Area lines into multiple parcels, the property shall be taxed as a single parcel at the rates set forth above.

J. Imposition of Tax by Zones.

The City Council may, by ordinance, establish zones or areas within the City and may restrict the levy of the tax to properties within the zones or areas established.

K. Exemptions.

1. For purposes of the exemptions set forth in this section, the term "Owner" shall be defined as a natural person. "Owner" shall not include a business entity, such as a limited liability company, corporation, partnership, or other business entity, trust, or any other private organization which may be considered a "person" by operation of law.
2. The following may be exempt from the tax imposed by this Ordinance:
 - a. An Owner who qualifies as very low-income, as the term "very low income" is defined by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development.
 - b. An Owner who can demonstrate that exceptional specific circumstances prevent the use or development of the property. By way of example only and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, exceptional specific circumstances that prevent the use or development of property include property damage by a recent natural disaster, an undeveloped parcel adjoining a developed residential parcel and used by the occupants as part of the yard, and property with physical conditions that prevent development.
 - c. An Owner of a property that is under active construction. To qualify for this exemption, an Owner must call for inspections of the construction with sufficient frequency to keep the building permit or permits active.
 - d. An Owner of property for which an active building permit application is being processed by the City.
 - e. An Owner of a parcel included in a substantially complete application for planning approvals that has not yet received approval. An Owner of a parcel for which a project with development entitlements have been approved but needing time for completion may apply for and receive an administrative two-year exemption.
 - f. An Owner of property for which at least 60 percent of the accessible dry land is actively used for a community garden(s), or Agriculture as defined in Section 17.200.020 and developed in accordance with the applicable standards set forth in Title 17 of this Code.
 - g. An Owner (1) who is 65 years of age or older and (2) who qualifies as "low income," as the term "low income" is defined by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development.
 - h. An Owner who, regardless of age, (i) receives Supplemental Security Income for a disability or (ii) Social Security Disability Insurance benefits, regardless of age and whose yearly income does not exceed 250 percent of the 2012 federal poverty guidelines issued by the United States Department of Health and Human Services.
 - i. An Owner that is a non-profit organization or entity owned or controlled by a non-profit organization.
3. The City Council, in its discretion, shall be authorized to establish procedures, criteria and guidelines for Owners to apply for and be granted relief under the exemptions referenced above, provided such procedures, criteria and/or guidelines are not expressly in conflict with the voter-approved provisions of this Ordinance. Such procedures, criteria and guidelines may be established by ordinance or resolution of the City Council. The City Council, in its discretion, also reserves the right to establish such other exemptions to the tax imposed by this Ordinance, and authorize the methods of collection of the said, as it determines to be appropriate.
4. Subject to City Council oversight and direction, the City Manager's designee, (which if not otherwise designated shall be the Finance Director), shall administer and enforce all such procedures, criteria and guidelines as may be established by the City Council. Owners who claim an exemption may, among other procedures, criteria and guidelines, be required to submit information annually to substantiate their continuing qualification for the exemption.

3.70.040 - Vacant Property Tax Fund

The "Vacant Property Tax Fund" ("Fund") is hereby created as a special revenue fund. Proceeds from the Adelanto Vacant Property Tax, including penalties and interest earned on such proceeds, shall be deposited into the Fund and used only for the purposes listed in Section 3.70.050 of this chapter.

3.70.050 - Use of Vacant Property Tax Act Revenue

- A. Monies deposited in the Vacant Property Tax Fund shall be used solely for those purposes identified in this Section.
- B. Tax funds may be used to fund programs and services for parks and recreation programs for the community, including but not limited to, Senior citizen programs, after school programs, capital improvements of City parks and public facilities, and park and facility maintenance; public safety services including law enforcement and fire protection; capital projects to improve City infrastructure, including the construction and maintenance of roads, construction and maintenance of sidewalks, and storm water runoff and drainage; code enforcement and cleanup of blighted vacant properties, other blight elimination, and remedying illegal dumping.
- C. In the first fiscal year 2024-2025, ten percent of the revenue deposited into the Vacant Property Tax Fund shall be used to pay for parks and recreation infrastructure, maintenance, programs and services. In all future fiscal years, no less than 5 percent but no more than 20 percent of the revenue deposited into the Vacant Property Tax Fund shall be used for this purpose.
- D. In the first fiscal year 2024-2025, five percent of the revenue deposited into the Vacant Property Tax Fund shall be used to pay for code enforcement and cleanup of blighted vacant properties, other blight elimination, and remedying illegal dumping, including legal action to address any of the foregoing as necessary. In all future fiscal years, no less than 2 percent but no more than 15 percent of the revenue deposited into the Vacant Property Tax Fund shall be used for this purpose.
- E. In the first fiscal year 2024-2025, sixty-five percent of the revenue deposited into the Vacant Property Tax Fund shall be used to pay for public safety services including law enforcement and fire protection. In all future fiscal years, no less than 50 percent but no more than 80 percent of the revenue deposited into the Vacant Property Tax Fund shall be used for this purpose.
- F. In the first fiscal year 2024-2025, twenty percent of the revenue deposited into the Vacant Property Tax Fund shall be used to pay for capital improvements and other infrastructure projects, including the construction and maintenance of roads, construction and maintenance of sidewalks, and storm water runoff and drainage. In all future fiscal years, no less than 10 percent but no more than 30 percent of the revenue deposited into the Vacant Property Tax Fund shall be used for this purpose.
- G. The City Council may by ordinance modify the percentages in subdivisions C, D, E, and F of this Section.
- H. Monies in the Vacant Property Tax Fund may be used to pay the costs of audits of the use of monies in the Fund.
- I. Monies in the Vacant Property Tax Fund may be used to pay for the City's costs of the election required to obtain voter approval of the tax authorized by this Ordinance, including City Attorney costs to prepare this Ordinance and related documents.
- J. Monies in the Vacant Property Tax Fund may be used to pay for the costs of administering the special tax, regardless of how or by what entity those administrative services are provided. No more than 15 percent of the revenue deposited into the Vacant Property Tax Fund in any single year may be used to pay for such administrative costs. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the City shall be reimbursed for its actual costs of establishing the program for collecting the tax, which costs shall be confirmed by the Finance Director. Administrative costs include, but are not limited to:
 - 1. The costs to the City of determining and identifying the use and vacancy status of every parcel in the City;
 - 2. The costs to the City associated with monitoring and enforcing compliance with this Ordinance. Authorized costs include, but are not limited to, any expenses, including attorneys' fees, associated with any proceedings needed to enforce the requirements of this Ordinance;
 - 3. The costs to the City associated with developing ordinances and regulations to implement this Ordinance;
 - 4. The costs to the City associated with the production of reports and recommendations as set forth in Section 3.70.060 of this Ordinance; and
 - 5. Reimbursement to the County for the costs it incurs in collecting the tax.
- K. If this Ordinance or the use of tax funds is legally challenged, tax funds may be used to reimburse the City for its costs of legal defense, including attorneys' fees and other expenses.

3.70.060 - Vacant Property Tax Advisory Commission

- A. The Adelanto Vacant Property Tax Advisory Commission is hereby established for citizen oversight of the Vacant Property Tax.
- B. The Commission shall meet at least four (4) times per fiscal year.
- C. The Commission, as established by this Section, shall advise the City Council regarding use of the revenue generated by the Tax as authorized in Section 3.70.050.
 - 1. The Commission shall review relevant financial and operational reports related to the expenditure of the Vacant Property Tax Fund. The Commission shall publish an annual report regarding how and to what extent the City has implemented this Ordinance. Additionally, the Commission may publish reports regarding the following: (1) recommendations on how to allocate the tax funds in accordance with the requirements of this Ordinance; (2) information, if available, concerning the impact of this Ordinance on illegal dumping and related issues in the City; and (3) any additional information that the Commission deems appropriate. The City Council may assign other duties to the Commission as provided for by Ordinance.
 - 2. Within 30 days of receipt of a Commission report, the City Manager or designee shall cause the report to be published on the City's Internet website and to be transmitted to the City Council. The Report and Recommendations shall be included in the published packet and provided to the City Council as part of the Agenda at the meeting(s) at which the Council allocates the Vacant Property Tax funding. The foregoing notwithstanding, the failure of the Commission to submit its annual report in any given year shall not operate to prevent the City Council from undertaking the allocation of the Vacant Property Tax funding.
- D. The Commission shall consist of five (5) members who are all residents of the City. City Councilmembers shall make recommendations for members to the Mayor. Members of the Commission shall be appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council in accordance with City Charter Article XI Section 1103. Members of the Commission shall receive no salary for serving.
- E. Members shall serve three (3) year terms, as provided for in this subsection. No member shall serve more than two (2) consecutive three (3) year terms. Of the initial members of the Commission, two (2) appointments shall be for one-year terms, and three (3) appointments shall be for three- year terms. Thereafter, all terms shall be for three (3) years. All terms of members shall begin as of the date that three (3) members have been appointed, which is when the Commission may begin its work. All future terms shall begin and end on that date. A quorum of the Commission shall be a majority of appointed members, but shall never be fewer than three (3) members. The foregoing notwithstanding, all members of the Commission shall serve at the pleasure of the City Council and may be removed and replaced by the City Council at any time without cause upon the issuance of prior written notice to the Commissioner. Absence from three (3) consecutive regular meetings, or four (4) non-consecutive regular meetings during a single fiscal year, may constitute cause for removal from the Commission, in accordance with City Charter Article XI Section 1103.
- F. The City Manager or designee shall provide clerical assistance and administrative support and technical assistance to the Commission.

3.70.070 - Accountability

- A. In accordance with the requirements of California Government Code Sections 50075.1 and 50075.3, the following accountability measures, among others, shall apply to the tax:
 - 1. A separate, special account, referred to as the Vacant Property Tax Fund, shall be created, into which the proceeds of the tax must be deposited.
 - 2. The specific purposes of the tax are for the funding of programs and services for parks and recreation programs for the community, including Senior citizen programs, after school programs, capital improvements of City parks and public facilities, and park and facility maintenance; public safety services including law enforcement and fire protection; capital projects to improve City infrastructure, including the construction and maintenance of roads, construction and maintenance of sidewalks, and storm water runoff and drainage; code enforcement and cleanup of blighted vacant properties, other blight elimination, and remedying illegal dumping; and for the other purposes set forth in Section 3.70.050 of this Ordinance. The proceeds of the tax shall be applied only to these specific purposes.

3. The Finance Director shall perform regular audits to ensure accountability and proper disbursement of all revenue collected by the City from the tax imposed by this Ordinance, in accordance with the objectives stated herein and in compliance with provisions of California law, and shall provide the City Council with the annual report required by 50075.3 of the Government Code.
- B. During the term of the tax, the City of Adelanto shall not reduce the amount of unrestricted General Fund expenditures used for code enforcement and cleanup of blighted vacant properties, other blight elimination, and illegal dumping remediation below the amount expended in the 2023-2024 fiscal year. The Finance Director's reports on the uses of the Vacant Property Tax Fund shall include the percentage that was spent on blight elimination and illegal dumping remediation and shall also evaluate whether the City has satisfied the requirement to maintain the set level of unrestricted General Fund expenditures. If the Finance Director finds that in any fiscal year the amount of unrestricted General Fund expenditures on blight elimination and illegal dumping remediation is less than the total amount expended in fiscal year 2023-2024, the City of Adelanto shall increase unrestricted General Fund expenditures for those uses within the following two fiscal years so that total unrestricted General Fund expenditures on those uses over three fiscal years is equal to three times the fiscal year 2023-2024 expenditures.

3.70.080 – Increase Appropriations Limit.

Pursuant to California Constitution Article XIII B, the appropriation limit for the City of Adelanto is hereby increased by \$6,200,000 for each of the four fiscal years from 2024- 25 through 2027-28.

SECTION 4. Severability.

If any section, subsection, part, clause, sentence or phrase of this Ordinance or the application thereof is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance, the application thereof and the tax imposed shall not be affected thereby, but shall remain in full force and effect, it being the intent of the People to adopt each and every section, subsection, part, clause, or phrase regardless of whether any other section, subsection, part, clause, or phrase or the application thereof is held to be invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 5. California Environmental Quality Act Requirements.

The City Council hereby determines that this Ordinance is not in-and-of-itself a "project" pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act, Public Resources Code section 21000 et seq., including without limitation CEQA Guidelines 15378(b)(4) and 15061(b)(3), as it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the adoption of the ordinance itself may have a significant effect on the environment. To the extent that vacant property tax revenues generated by the Ordinance may in the future be used to fund the construction of capital improvements, the Ordinance may assist in the financing of future "projects" that will be subject to environmental review pursuant to CEQA at the "earliest feasible time" prior to "approval" consistent with CEQA Guidelines Sections 15004 and 15352.

SECTION 6. Approval; Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon the following conditions: (i) approval of the ballot measure seeking approval of this Ordinance by 2/3 majority of the voters casting votes at the Election of the City of Adelanto to be held March 5, 2024; (ii) certification of all votes cast by the City Council confirming that a 2/3 majority of voters have approved the ballot measure approving this Ordinance; and (iii) implementation of this Ordinance by City Council upon certification of the election results.

SECTION 7. Council Amendments.

This Ordinance may only be amended by a vote of the people if the amendment would result in the special tax being imposed, extended, or increased in a manner not authorized by this Ordinance as originally approved by the voters. The City Council of the City of Adelanto is hereby authorized to amend Chapter 3.70 of the Adelanto Municipal Code as adopted by this Ordinance in any manner that does not increase the tax rates, or otherwise constitute a tax increase for which voter approval is required by Article XIII C of the California Constitution.

SECTION 8. Expiration of Tax.

This Ordinance shall expire 20 years after it is first levied. By way of example only and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, if the tax were first levied in the 2024-25 tax year, the 2044-45 tax year would be the last year in which it may be levied. The voters of the City of Adelanto may amend the term of the tax at any time prior to its expiration.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this _____ day of _____.

Gabriel Reyes, Mayor

ATTEST:

Brenda Lopez, CMC, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Todd Litfin, City Attorney

MEASURE V CITY OF CHINO

IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE V

This Impartial Analysis of Measure V has been prepared by the City Attorney pursuant to Section 9280 of the California Elections Code.

On November 21, 2023, the City Council unanimously voted to place Measure V, entitled "City of Chino Public Safety, Roads, Essential Services Measure," on the March 5, 2024 special municipal election ballot. Measure V adds a new Chapter 3.18 to the City of Chino Municipal Code, imposing a one cent (\$.01) per dollar transactions and use tax ("sales tax") for City general fund purposes until ended by voters.

State law allows certain entities, including municipalities, to increase sales taxes, if approved by the voters (Proposition 218). This Measure places a tax of one cent upon retailers' gross receipts from the sale of most tangible personal property sold within the City, and a similar excise tax upon the use of tangible personal property purchased from any retailer within the City. If the City were not to impose this tax, the County or other local taxing entities with jurisdiction in Chino could instead levy such tax.

Measure V will provide funding for use by Chino to maintain general City services. This tax would be a "general tax," meaning that revenues raised from the tax would go into the City's general fund to pay for any lawful City program, improvement, or service, including, but not limited to:

- maintaining 911 response, police/fire protection, recruiting/retaining well-trained police officers, and preventing crime
- repairing streets and potholes
- protecting local drinking water sources
- addressing homelessness
- maintaining veteran, senior, youth and after-school programs
- funding other general services

Food purchased as groceries, prescription medication, medical and dental services, real estate, rent, utilities, education, personal services and labor will not be taxed. The specific retail sales and uses subject to the tax would be determined under California Department of Tax and Fee Administration ("CDTFA") regulations. The tax would be administered by the CDTFA under contract with the City of Chino. The ordinance provides provisions for independent audits.

While the ordinance permits future amendments by the City Council, any actual increase in the tax must be approved by the voters. The transactions and use tax proposed by Measure V would take effect only if it receives a majority "YES" vote at the March 5, 2024, special election.

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure V. If you desire a copy of the Measure, please call the elections official's office (City Clerk) at (909) 334-3306 and a copy will be mailed at no cost to you, or you may access the text from the internet at <https://www.cityofchino.org/Elections>.

s/ Fred Galante, City Attorney
City of Chino

Dated: December 11, 2023

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE V

This Argument in Favor of Measure V was submitted pursuant to Section 9282 of the California Elections Code. It is the opinion of the author(s), and has been printed exactly as submitted.

Vote Yes on V to maintain Police, Fire, Medical Emergency 911 response and protect Chino's vital services to secure Chino's future.

Chino faces significant challenges due to financial pressures from Sacramento, leaving insufficient funds for essential needs. State mandates and limited funds for local programs has compelled the City to fill the gap.

Chino has been fiscally responsible and lived within its means, adopting balanced budgets by curbing costs, reducing staff, and delaying much-needed maintenance and infrastructure projects. In the future, there is simply no more room to cut or defer without impacting safety, important services, and long-term community needs.

Voting Yes on Measure V helps Chino maintain police and fire emergency response, maintain streets, protect our local drinking water, and keep our public places and parks safe and clean.

Chino is committed to working closely with our residents and businesses on a plan that benefits all members of our community, protects neighborhoods, and maintains property values.

Vote Yes on V to:

- Maintain Police, Fire, 911 emergency response times
- Maintain and Protect local drinking water
- Repair local streets, potholes, sidewalks
- Provide maintenance and safety features for public spaces, including parks
- Safeguard youth programs to keep kids safe and keep gangs out of Chino
- Reduce crime in neighborhoods and protect businesses through police patrols and crime prevention programs
- Address homelessness

Measure V is fiscally accountable, transparent, and requires independent annual audits. 100% of Measure V funds stay local and cannot be taken by the state.

The sales tax DOES NOT apply to Groceries, Medicine, Medical, Dental, Real Estate, Rent, Education, Utilities, Personal Services, or Labor.

Please join emergency responders, businesses, faith leaders, and neighbors by voting YES on V to keep Chino neighborhoods safe and keep Chino strong and vibrant into the future.

s/ Eunice M. Ulloa, Mayor, City of Chino, On behalf of the City Council

s/ Jeffrey L. Allison, Retired Chino Police Lieutenant

s/ Keith Stroup, Retired Chino Valley Fire Department Captain

s/ John Cardenas, AYSO Commissioner, On behalf of AYSO Chino Region 67

s/ James "Butch" Wolfenbarger, Retired President O.F. Wolfenbarger, Inc.

**MEASURE T
CITY OF COLTON**

IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE T

This Impartial Analysis of Measure T has been prepared by the City Attorney pursuant to Section 9280 of the California Elections Code.

On November 7, 2023, the City Council placed Measure T on the March 5, 2024 special municipal election ballot. Measure T asks Colton voters whether the position of Colton City Clerk should be an appointed position or remain an elected office. If Measure T passes, the City Clerk would be an appointed staff position and no longer elected by Colton voters. If Colton voters approve Measure T, the City will conduct a recruitment to appoint the next City Clerk.

Currently in Colton, an elected City Clerk serves a four year term. The seat was last elected in November, 2020 but, with the passing of former City Clerk Carolina Padilla earlier this year, the office currently sits vacant and will expire in November, 2024. California law requires that general law cities, like Colton, have either an elected or appointed City Clerk. However, a transition from an elected City Clerk to an appointed City Clerk must be approved by the City's voters. Currently 17 of 24 Cities in San Bernardino County appoint a professional, qualified staff member as a City Clerk.

A "yes" vote on Measure T will convert the office of Colton City Clerk into an appointed position and no election for the City Clerk's Office would be held in November, 2024 or future years until changed again by Colton voters via another measure.

A "no" vote on Measure T will leave the City Clerk as an elected office which would be placed back up for election in November, 2024.

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure T. If you desire a copy of the Measure, please call Stephanie Vargas, the City's elections official at (909) 370-5001 and a copy will be mailed at no cost to you.

s/ CARLOS CAMPOS
City Attorney

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE T

This Argument in Favor of Measure T was submitted pursuant to Section 9282 of the California Elections Code. It is the opinion of the author(s), and has been printed exactly as submitted.

Save money & resources, and increase efficiently by voting YES on Measure T

The trend throughout California is to transition from an elected City Clerk to an appointed staff member City Clerk. Currently 17 of 24 Cities in San Bernardino County appoint a professional, qualified staff member as a City Clerk. Colton is one of seven (7) remaining cities that utilize outdated model.

The City Clerk's job requires keeping-up with constantly changing laws, and specialized professional training, including the Public Records Act, Brown Act, Maddy Act, Political Reform Act, Fair Political Practices Commission, and Election Law, amongst others. The City Clerk must be an experienced Elections Official, who conducts Municipal Elections for City Council, as well as other Initiatives, Referendums, etc. It is unreasonable to expect an elected City Clerk to have, or be able to quickly obtain the specialized professional skills and training necessary to fulfill these duties.

An elected City Clerk retains largely ceremonial duties, placing additional burden on other staff members in the Clerk's Office. An appointed City Clerk will allow for screening of qualified professional candidates, increase efficiency by appointing a City Clerk who is able to share in the day-to-day duties of the Clerk's Office, and save the taxpayer money associated with election costs.

Join the majority, and growing number of California cities choosing to appoint professional, qualified candidates as their City Clerks.

Vote YES on Measure T

s/ Eileen Gomez, Former Colton City Clerk

FULL TEXT FOR MEASURE T

ORDINANCE NO. 0-13-23

AN ORDINANCE OF THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF COLTON, CALIFORNIA, AMENDING SECTION 2.12.010 OF CHAPTER 2.12 AND ADDING CHAPTER 2.14 (CITY CLERK) TO TITLE 2 (ADMINISTRATION AND PERSONNEL) OF THE COLTON MUNICIPAL CODE TO CHANGE THE OFFICE OF CITY CLERK FROM AN ELECTED OFFICE TO AN APPOINTED OFFICE.

NOW THEREFORE, THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF COLTON DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Subject to the approval of a majority of the voters of the City of Colton at the scheduled election so designated by the City Council in a separate resolution placing this proposal on the ballot for such election, Section 2.12.010 of Chapter 2.12 is amended and Chapter 2.14 is hereby added to Title 2 of the Colton Municipal Code and shall read as follows:

[NOTE: deletions are identified in ~~strikeout text~~ and additions are identified in **bold italics**]

"TITLE 2: ADMINISTRATION AND PERSONNEL.

CHAPTER 2.12 - COMPENSATION OF CITY OFFICIALS - BONDS

2.12.010 - City Clerk.

~~As consideration for those duties required by State Law to be performed by the City Clerk, t~~**The appointed** City Clerk Shall be paid a salary **as set by the City Council** ~~of three hundred seventy dollars per Month, payable at the time and in the manner that other salaries of the City are paid. The City Council May also, in its sole discretion,~~ **Shall** assign to the **appointed** City Clerk, through the adoption of a job description, ~~any other supplemental~~ **those** duties reasonably related to the ~~elected~~ **appointed** City Clerk position, and ~~May~~ **Shall** provide by Resolution for the **administrative** oversight of **and compensation to be paid for** such supplemental duties ~~and for supplemental compensation to be paid for such supplemental duties. The City Council May also provide for such duties to be terminated in any manner it deems necessary. The City Clerk's acceptance and performance of the supplemental duties and supplemental compensation Shall not give the City Clerk tenure at the City or otherwise confer regular employment status upon the City Clerk~~

CHAPTER 2.14 – APPOINTED CITY CLERK

2.14.010 Appointed Position.

As of the November 5, 2024 General Municipal Election, or such earlier time should a vacancy occur in the office prior to said Election, the office of the City Clerk shall cease to be elected and shall become an appointive office. Pursuant to California Government Code section 36510, such appointive officer shall hold office during the pleasure of the City Council and, notwithstanding Government Code section 36502 to the contrary, shall not be required to be a resident or elector in the City. The City Council may by subsequent ordinance vest in the City Manager its authority to appoint such officer."

SECTION 2. If any portion of this Ordinance is declared invalid by a court of law or other legal body with applicable authority, the invalidity shall not affect or prohibit the force and effect of any other provision or application of the Ordinance that is not deemed invalid. The voters of the City hereby declare that they would have circulated for qualification and/or voted for the adoption of this section, and each portion thereof, regardless of the fact that any portion of the initiative may be subsequently deemed invalid.

SECTION 3. To the fullest extent allowed by law, the provisions of this Ordinance shall prevail over, and supersede, all other provisions of the Municipal Code and any ordinances, resolutions or administrative policies of the City of Colton which are in conflict with any provision of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. This section shall not be repealed or amended except by a measure approved by a majority of the electors voting on the issue at a General Municipal Election, or at a special election called for that purpose.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall take effect only if approved by a majority of the eligible voters of the City of Colton voting at a Special Municipal Election to be held on March 5, 2024, and shall take effect ten (10) days after the City Council has certified the results of the Special Municipal Election by resolution.

SECTION 6. The Mayor is hereby authorized to attest to the adoption of this Ordinance by the People voting thereon on March 5, 2024, by signing where indicated below.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was passed, approved and adopted by the People of the City of Colton on the 5th day of March, 2024.

Dated: _____

FRANK NAVARRO, MAYOR

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

**STEPHANIE VARGAS
DEPUTY CITY CLERK**

**CARLOS CAMPOS
CITY ATTORNEY**

**MEASURE W
SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT**

IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE W

This Impartial Analysis of Measure W has been prepared by the County Counsel pursuant to Section 9313 of the California Elections Code.

This Measure, if approved by a majority of those voting, would repeal the special tax associated with San Bernardino County Fire Protection District Service Zone FP-5. The FP-5 special tax is currently \$171.85 per parcel, with future annual inflationary increases of up to 3%, and is used to pay for fire protection and emergency medical services.

The area covered by Service Zone FP-5 and in which the special tax is paid generally includes: (a) all unincorporated areas of the County not lying within the boundaries of other districts that provide fire and emergency services; (b) the land within the incorporated boundaries of the following cities and town: Grand Terrace, Upland, San Bernardino, Needles, and Yucca Valley; and (c) the land within the boundaries of the following districts: Helendale Community Services District, City of Twentynine Palms Water District, and Crest Forest Fire Protection District. Service Zone FP-5 does not include, and the special tax is not paid in, the areas annexed into the San Bernardino County Fire Protection District in 2018 by the Local Agency Formation Commission for San Bernardino County, specifically the Hesperia Fire Protection District and portions of the Apple Valley Fire Protection District.

The FP-5 special tax provides revenues to the San Bernardino County Fire Protection District for fire protection and emergency medical services. The repeal of the FP-5 special tax will result in a reduction of revenue in the estimated amount of \$46.5 million annually, which is approximately 19% of the San Bernardino County Fire Protection District's 2023-24 operating budget. This is expected to result in less fire protection and emergency medical services provided by the San Bernardino County Fire Protection District to the public.

This Measure was placed on the ballot by initiative petition signed by the requisite number of voters. The Measure does not seek voter approval to impose any new or additional tax. This Measure will not have any effect on existing law but will operate to repeal the special tax associated with San Bernardino County Fire Protection District Service Zone FP-5.

A yes vote on this Measure will repeal the special tax for San Bernardino County Fire Protection District Service Zone FP-5 and reduce revenue to the San Bernardino County Fire Protection District by approximately \$46.5 million annually.

A no vote on this Measure will keep in effect the special tax for San Bernardino County Fire Protection District Service Zone FP-5 and maintain the revenue to the San Bernardino County Fire Protection District of approximately \$46.5 million annually.

The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure W. If you desire a copy of the measure, please call the Registrar of Voters' office at (909) 387-8300 and a copy will be mailed at no cost to you.

Office of County Counsel
s/ JOLENA E. GRIDER
Deputy County Counsel

ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE W

This Argument in Favor of Measure W was submitted pursuant to Section 9315 of the California Elections Code. It is the opinion of the author(s), and has been printed exactly as submitted.

Vote YES on Measure W to REMOVE THE UNFAIR FIRE TAX – AGAIN!

Measure W proposes to repeal the Service Zone FP-5 Special Tax. In 2022, 58% of county voters voted YES to repeal this tax. However, county supervisors approved lawsuits designed to overturn the vote.

Visit www.redbrennan.org/CommitteeToRepealFP5Again for more information.

Why repeal the tax?

- The tax largely falls on residents living in the poorest parts of the county.
- Many of the taxed parcels are vacant land. Cal-Fire is responsible to fight those fires, not the County Fire Protection District.
- Small single-dweller properties pay the same as large luxury hotels.
- Despite widespread disapproval, the FP5 special tax was championed by greedy public employee unions and passed by elected county supervisors. A two-thirds approval vote, as required by the State Constitution of **every voter in the fire district** was **never even** submitted to the voters.

What is the YES on Measure W campaign really about? It is about sending a message to elected representatives.

- Lining the pockets of public employee unions with **taxpayer's** money is unacceptable.
- It is about controlling the ever-increasing funding required to feed the over-generous public employee pension system.
- It is about voters insisting their vote be heard and **counted** by elected officials.
- It is about voters **taking back** their own government.
- It is about **repealing unfair taxes** and turning out incumbent politicians that represent special interests rather than you – the voter!

Right now, those in government are getting the gold mine while you get the shaft.

Vote "YES" to remove this tax! Insist **they ask us before they tax us!**

s/ Robert A. Cable, Voter
s/ David Jarvi, Voter
s/ Ruth Musser-Lopez, Voter
s/ Albert Vogler, Voter

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE W

This Rebuttal to Argument in Favor of Measure W was submitted pursuant to Section 9317 of the California Elections Code. It is the opinion of the author(s), and has been printed exactly as submitted.

VOTE NO on Measure W. San Bernardino County voters already REJECTED this same ballot measure once before in the 2020 election.

This Measure is a financial scam that will **defund** public safety services, **reduce** fire protection for our communities and cost your family thousands of dollars every year in higher homeowner insurance payments or increased monthly rents.

Here's why Firefighters, First Responders and Community Leaders OPPOSE Measure W.

DISHONEST: The authors of this ballot measure are LYING to you. Contrary to their false statements, our Fire Protection Fee was established by **local** voters to keep fire stations open.

EXTREME: Measure W will slash Emergency Medical and Fire Protection Services by \$46.5 million -- resulting in the **closure** of numerous local fire stations. Mountain and desert communities as well as the cities of San Bernardino, Upland, Needles, and 29 Palms would be especially hard hit by this Measure's fire station closures.

COSTLY: Measure W will **raise** your homeowners annual insurance costs by thousands of dollars. Many families will have their insurance coverage cancelled entirely. Renters will pay more for housing.

UNSAFE: By closing fire stations, Measure W will significantly **delay** response times in medical emergencies – putting the safety of you and your family at risk.

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT IN FAVOR – Continued on next page

Who's really behind Measure W? The real beneficiaries are wealthy out-of-state residents who own large amounts of vacant land for future development and don't want to pay their fair share for fire protection.

Don't let out-of-town landowners jeopardize your fire and paramedic services to give themselves a tax break! Please join us in VOTING NO on Measure W

Visit www.SaveOurFireStations.com

- s/ James Grigoli, IAFF Local 935 President
- s/ Juan Figueroa, San Bernardino City Council Ward 3
- s/ Dr. Kimberly Cox, General Manager Helendale CSD
- s/ Frank J. Luckino, Citizen
- s/ Sadie Albers, Board Member, Wrightwood CSD

ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE W

This Argument Against Measure W was submitted pursuant to Section 9315 of the California Elections Code. It is the opinion of the author(s), and has been printed exactly as submitted.

VOTE NO on Measure W

Measure W is a RADICAL proposal to DEFUND fire protection services for residents in the communities served by the San Bernardino County Fire Protection District.

Here's why First Responders, Healthcare Professionals, Senior Citizens and Community Leaders urge you to vote NO on Measure W:

- **DEFUNDS EMERGENCY SERVICES:** Measure W eliminates \$46.5 million in funding for Emergency Medical and Fire Protection services. That's nearly 20% of the entire County's fire-fighting operational budget! This Measure cuts essential life-saving services – not budgetary fat.
- **CLOSES FIRE STATIONS:** Measure W will cause the closure of numerous local fire stations. Residents in our desert and mountain communities as well as the cities of San Bernardino, Upland, Needles and 29 Palms will be especially hard hit by these fire station closures.
- **INCREASED PARAMEDIC RESPONSE TIMES:** The extreme budget cuts in Measure W will force paramedics to respond from further away – resulting in serious delays to emergency medical care that will put our families at risk.
- **RAISES FIRE INSURANCE RATES:** By reducing fire protection in our communities Measure W will significantly raise your fire insurance rates—more than wiping out the small savings from the elimination of the fire service tax.

Many residents of the communities affected by fire stations closures may have their fire insurance coverage cancelled entirely.

Renters will pay increased monthly rents as landlords pass along their own higher insurance costs.

No one likes to pay taxes, but Measure W is a FALSE promise that will cost you far more money in higher insurance rates and jeopardize the safety of you and your family.

Your Firefighters and Paramedics urge you to OPPOSE this radical measure which would close local fire stations and defund essential fire protection and emergency services.

VOTE NO on Measure W. For more information, visit www.SaveOurFireStations.com.

- s/ James Grigoli, President, IAFF Local 935
- s/ Phillip Cothran, President, Chamber of Commerce
- s/ Helen Tran, Mayor, City of San Bernardino
- s/ Brigit Bennington, Mayor, City of Hesperia
- s/ Rick Denison, Mayor, Town of Yucca Valley

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE W

This Rebuttal to Argument Against Measure W was submitted pursuant to Section 9317 of the California Elections Code. It is the opinion of the author(s), and has been printed exactly as submitted.

Vote YES on Measure W to REMOVE THE UNFAIR FIRE TAX

Our opponents use hysteria coupled with hostility to make arguments.

The arguments are **hysterical** because:

- If elected leadership were simply to exercise budgetary discipline none of the "gloom and doom" predictions need happen. A simple across the board budgetary reprogramming would head off a crisis. No change to life-saving services, no reduction in ambulance response times, no closed fire stations.
- There is sufficient funding **already contained** in San Bernardino County's \$8.8 **billion** dollar budget. The Board of Supervisors can simply reprogram 0.5% of the budget, which is what they did before sticking us with this tax, and – problem solved!
- Residents of the county's unincorporated areas know **by experience** fire insurance is increasing – and **they are still paying the tax!** This increase is a function of the State's relationship with the insurance industry and has nothing to do with the FP-5 tax.

Our opponents are **hostile** to the democratic process because:

- The FP-5 Special Tax was **never approved** by two-thirds of the voters – as required by state law.
- When a majority of voters repealed the tax in 2022 the Board of Supervisors sued to **overturn your vote!**

Let's be honest, the FP-5 Tax is simply a racket to force residents of one of the poorest counties in the state to fund one of the most generous pension plans in the state.

Tax the poor, from behind closed doors, so we get more! This is the guiding principle of the county's political elite.

Vote YES on Measure W

- s/ Robert A. Cable, Voter
- s/ David Jarvi, Voter
- s/ Ruth Musser-Lopez, Voter
- s/ Albert Vogler, Voter

General Information

Assistance for Voters with Disabilities

The Registrar of Voters provides a number of services to increase access and encourage participation by voters with disabilities. Contact the Registrar of Voters office at (909) 387-8300 or (800) 881-VOTE for assistance.

Polling Places and Early Vote Sites

Polling places and Early Vote sites have accessible paths of travel, accessible parking and include the following resources:

- Accessible ballot marking devices, including audio and large text options
- Assistance by poll workers
- Handheld magnifying glasses
- Signature guide cards
- Wheelchair accessible voting booths

Additionally, you may bring one or two persons to assist you with marking your ballot.

Curbside Voting

Voters with disabilities may take advantage of our easy-to-navigate curbside voting option. Follow these instructions:

1. At your assigned polling place, park in the location designated for curbside voting.
2. Use your cellphone to call for curbside voting assistance. The phone number is printed on the curbside voting sign. Be ready to provide the name of your polling place and make, model and color of your vehicle to the operator.
3. Sit back and relax. Poll workers will be out to assist you soon.

Website Accessibility

The Registrar of Voters' website provides screen-reader accessible information for voters, including Voter Information Guides and ballots.

Remote Accessible Vote-by-Mail

Voters may use their computer to access and vote using an accessible ballot. Once selections are marked, voters will print their ballot, place it in an envelope, and return it to the Registrar of Voters main office, a Polling Place, Mail Ballot Drop-off location or Early Vote site. Visit the Registrar of Voters' website at **Elections.SBCounty.gov/Elections/2024/0305**.

Disability Rights California (DRC)

DRC operates a Voting Hotline year-round, Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. to assist voters with disabilities. On Election Day, the Voting Hotline is available from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Call (888) 569-7955.

Language Assistance for Voters

Language assistance and sample ballots are available in Chinese, Indonesian, Korean, Tagalog, Thai, and Vietnamese at all county voting sites. To request a translated sample ballot, call (909) 387-8300, select a language preference when you register to vote or submit a request found at **Elections.SBCounty.gov/Voting/ByMail** by February 27. Additionally, you may bring one or two persons to assist you with marking your ballot.

Bantuan bahasa dan contoh surat suara tersedia dalam bahasa Mandarin, Indonesia, Korea, Tagalog, Thailand, dan Vietnam di semua lokasi pemungutan suara daerah. Untuk meminta contoh suara yang sudah diterjemahkan, hubungi (909) 387-8300, pilih preferensi bahasa saat Anda mendaftar untuk memilih atau ajukan permintaan yang bisa Anda peroleh di **Elections.SBCounty.gov/Voting/ByMail** sebelum tanggal 27 Februari. Selain itu, Anda dapat membawa satu atau dua orang untuk membantu Anda mencoblos surat suara.

มีบริการให้ความช่วยเหลือด้านภาษาและบัตรลงคะแนนตัวอย่างเป็นภาษาจีน อินโดนีเซีย เกาหลี ตากาล็อก ไทย และเวียดนาม ณ สถานที่ออกเสียงลงคะแนนในเทศมณฑลทุกแห่ง หากต้องการขอบัตรลงคะแนนตัวอย่างที่แปลแล้ว โปรดโทรหมายเลข (909) 387-8300 เลือกการตั้งค่าภาษาเมื่อคุณลงทะเบียนเพื่อออกเสียงลงคะแนน หรือส่งคำขอไปที่ **Elections.SBCounty.gov/Voting/ByMail** ภายในวันที่ 27 กุมภาพันธ์ นอกจากนี้ คุณอาจนำบุคคลหนึ่ง หรือสองคนมาช่วยคุณในการทำเครื่องหมายบัตรลงคะแนนได้

縣內所有投票站可提供中文、印度尼西亞語、韓語、他加祿語、泰語和越南語的語言援助及選票樣本。如需獲取選票樣本的翻譯版本，請於2月27日前致電 (909) 387-8300或造訪**Elections.SBCounty.gov/Voting/ByMail** 登記投票或提交申請時選擇您的語言偏好。此外，您可指定一名或二名人士協助您標記選票。

언어 지원 및 투표 용지 견본은 모든 카운티 투표소에서 중국어, 인도네시아어, 한국어, 타갈로그어, 타이어 및 베트남어로 제공됩니다. 번역된 투표 용지 견본을 요청하려면 (909) 387-8300으로 전화하여 유권자 등록 시 선호하는 언어를 선택하거나 2월 27일까지 **Elections.SBCounty.gov/Voting/ByMail**에 있는 요청서를 제출하십시오. 또한, 투표 용지 기표를 도와줄 사람으로 한 명 또는 두 명을 동반할 수 있습니다.

May tulong sa wika at mga halimbawang balota na nasa Chinese, Indonesian, Korean, Tagalog, Thai, at Vietnamese sa lahat ng lugar ng pagboto sa county. Para humingi ng nakasalang halimbawang balota, tumawag sa (909) 387-8300, pumili ng gusto mong wika kapag nagparehistro ka para bumoto o magsumite ng kahilingan sa **Elections.SBCounty.gov/Voting/ByMail** bago lumipas ang Pebrero 27. Bukod pa rito, puwede kang magsama ng isa o dawang tao para tulungan kang markahan ang iyong balota.

Hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ và phiếu bầu mẫu có sẵn bằng tiếng Trung, tiếng Indonesia, tiếng Hàn, tiếng Tagalog, tiếng Thái và tiếng Việt tại tất cả các địa điểm bỏ phiếu của quận. Để yêu cầu một lá phiếu mẫu đã được dịch, hãy gọi (909) 387-8300, chọn ngôn ngữ ưu tiên khi quý vị đăng ký bỏ phiếu hoặc gửi yêu cầu tại **Elections.SBCounty.gov/Voting/ByMail** trước ngày 27 tháng 2. Ngoài ra, quý vị có thể mang theo một hoặc hai người để hỗ trợ quý vị đánh dấu lá phiếu của mình.



COMMUNITY PARTNERS NEEDED!

Everyone Counts on Election Day

Why become an Election Day worker?

- Serve your community and learn about voting
- Help your neighbors vote at a polling place
- Earn extra money, \$285 - \$390

What does an Election Day worker do?

- Preserve everyone's right to vote
- Protect all votes so they can be counted
- Set up, support, and close polling places
- Assist voters with the voting process

Who can be an election worker?

- Registered voters in California

How to apply:



1. Go to Elections.SBCounty.gov
2. Sign into My Elections Gateway
3. Click on My Poll Worker Application, or

- Complete the application on the next page
- For questions, call us at (909) 387-8300



Training classes available in:

Apple Valley • Barstow • Big Bear • Chino • Crestline • Fontana • Hesperia • Ontario • Phelan
Rancho Cucamonga • San Bernardino • Victorville • Yucaipa • Yucca Valley

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Your Ballot.
Vote Early.
All Ways Secure.



Poll Worker Application

1. Applicant Information (Please print clearly)

First Name _____ Last Name _____ Birthday (mm/dd/yy) _____
 Street Address _____ Unit/Apt # _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
 Mailing Address (If different) _____ Unit/Apt # _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
 Home Phone Number _____ Cell Phone Number _____ Email Address _____
 Do you have access to a vehicle? Yes No Are you registered to vote in the state of California? Yes No

2. Skills and Experience (Please check all that apply)

Election Experience	Professional Experience	Language Skills
Clerk <input type="checkbox"/>	Administrative/Clerical <input type="checkbox"/>	Cantonese <input type="checkbox"/> Khmer <input type="checkbox"/> Tagalog <input type="checkbox"/>
Technical Clerk <input type="checkbox"/>	Customer Service <input type="checkbox"/>	Hindi <input type="checkbox"/> Korean <input type="checkbox"/> Thai <input type="checkbox"/>
Supervisor <input type="checkbox"/>	IT/Technical <input type="checkbox"/>	Indonesian <input type="checkbox"/> Mandarin <input type="checkbox"/> Vietnamese <input type="checkbox"/>
Field Representative <input type="checkbox"/>	Recruiting/Training <input type="checkbox"/>	Japanese <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish <input type="checkbox"/>
Other: _____	Supervisory <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: _____

3. Availability

Are you currently employed? Yes No If 'Yes,' list employer: _____
 Are you available on Election Day? Yes No
 Are you available to work outside of your neighborhood? Yes No
 If 'Yes,' how far? 5-10 miles 11-20 miles 21-30 miles 31-40 miles

4. Compensation and Work Hours

Clerks: \$285	Stipend includes compensation for completing an Election Day assignment and attending a 2-hour poll worker training class.
Assistant Supervisor: \$350 plus mileage	Stipend includes compensation for completing an Election Day assignment and attending a 2-hour poll worker training class and a 4-hour supervisor training class.
Supervisors: \$390 plus mileage	Stipend includes compensation for completing an Election Day assignment and attending a 2-hour poll worker training class and a 4-hour supervisor training class.
Bilingual: \$20 additional payment	Stipend issued to poll workers who successfully complete bilingual testing and are assigned by the Registrar of Voters office to a bilingual position.

Work Hours: Poll Workers are required to report to their assigned polling place at 6:00 a.m. and work the entire Election Day (approximately 9:30 p.m.).

5. Submission Instructions and Information

Return completed applications:

- By Email: Scan or take a picture of the application and email to pollworkers@rov.sbcounty.gov
- By Fax: (909) 387-2022
- By Mail or in Person: Registrar of Voters, 777 E. Rialto Avenue, San Bernardino, CA 92415

Election Workers must comply with legal restrictions imposed upon them including, but not limited to, restraining orders, restrictions imposed on registered sex offenders, or any other prohibitions or limitations on their presence at voting locations and must notify the County immediately if they are prohibited from serving at their assigned voting location.
For any questions, call the Registrar of Voters at (909) 387-8300.

Crossover Mail Ballot Application

Only the registered voter themselves may request a ballot from a political party. A request for a party's ballot that is made by any person other than the registered voter is a criminal offense.

1. Fill Out Your Personal Information

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____
Last Name *First Name*

Residence Address: _____

Address to Mail Your Ballot to: _____

Email Address: _____

2. Make Your Crossover Selection

You are registered as a No Party Preference voter and therefore ineligible to vote for a presidential candidate unless you request and vote a partisan ballot. For the **March 5, 2024 Presidential Primary Election**, the following parties have agreed to allow you to vote in their Presidential Primary.

Select only **ONE**:

- American Independent Party** **Libertarian Party**
 Democratic Party

NOTE: To vote in the Presidential Primary Election for all other qualified parties, you must re-register to vote and select the political party whose primary you want to vote in. You can re-register online at www.RegisterToVote.ca.gov.

3. Sign and Date Your Application

You **MUST** sign this application in order for it to be processed.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

4. Return Your Application

By Mail or In Person: San Bernardino County Registrar of Voters
777 E. Rialto Avenue, San Bernardino, CA 92415

By Fax: (909) 386-8388

By Email: Scan or take a picture of your application and email it to
MailBallots@rov.sbcounty.gov

Replacement Mail Ballot Application

Only the registered voter themselves may request a replacement ballot. A request for a replacement ballot that is made by any person other than the registered voter is a criminal offense.

1. Fill Out Your Personal Information

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____
Last Name *First Name*

Residence Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email Address: _____

2. Tell Us Where to Mail Your Replacement Ballot

- I want a Replacement Mail Ballot to be sent to my residential address.
- I want a Replacement Mail Ballot to be sent to mailing address.

3. Sign and Date Your Application

Signature: _____ Date: _____

4. Return Your Application

By Mail or In Person: San Bernardino County Registrar of Voters
777 E. Rialto Avenue, San Bernardino, CA 92415

By Fax: (909) 386-8388

By Email: Scan or take a picture of your application and email it to
MailBallots@rov.sbcounty.gov

Voter Bill of Rights

You have the following rights:

- 1. The right to vote if you are a registered voter.** You are eligible to vote if you are:
 - a U.S. citizen living in California
 - at least 18 years old
 - registered where you currently live
 - not currently serving a state or federal prison term for the conviction of a felony
 - not currently found mentally incompetent to vote by a court
- 2. The right to vote if you are a registered voter even if your name is not on the list.** You will vote using a provisional ballot. Your vote will be counted if elections officials determine that you are eligible to vote.
- 3. The right to vote if you are still in line when the polls close.**
- 4. The right to cast a secret ballot** without anyone bothering you or telling you how to vote.
- 5. The right to get a new ballot if you have made a mistake,** if you have not already cast your ballot. You can:
 - **Ask an elections official at a polling place** for a new ballot, or
 - **Exchange your vote-by-mail ballot** for a new one at an elections office, or at your polling place, or
 - **Vote using a provisional ballot.**
- 6. The right to get help casting your ballot** from anyone you choose, except from your employer or union representative.
- 7. The right to drop off your completed vote-by-mail ballot at any polling place** in California.
- 8. The right to get election materials in a language other than English** if enough people in your voting precinct speak that language.
- 9. The right to ask questions to elections officials about election procedures** and watch the election process. If the person you ask cannot answer your questions, they must send you to the right person for an answer. If you are disruptive, they can stop answering you.
- 10. The right to report any illegal or fraudulent election activity** to an elections official or the Secretary of State's office.
 - On the web at: www.sos.ca.gov
 - By phone at: **(800) 345-VOTE (8683)**
 - By email at: elections@sos.ca.gov



If you believe you have been denied any of these rights, call the Registrar of Voters office at (800) 881-VOTE (8683) or the Secretary of State's office at (800) 345-VOTE (8683).

**San Bernardino County
Registrar of Voters**

777 E. Rialto Avenue
San Bernardino, CA 92415



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DELIVER TO:

If you would like to vote in person, the following is your assigned polling place:
Si desea votar en persona, su casilla electoral asignada es la siguiente:

NPP Comprehensive



NOTICE: Your polling place above may have changed from past elections. Polling places are open 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Election Day.

AVISO: Es posible que la casilla electoral mencionada antes haya cambiado desde las últimas elecciones. Las casillas electorales estarán abiertas de 7 a.m. a 8 p.m. el Día de las Elecciones.

DATES TO REMEMBER! / ¡FECHAS PARA RECORDAR!

FEBRUARY / FEBRERO						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29		

Monday, February 5 / Lunes 5 de febrero
Mail Ballots delivered to USPS
Las Boletas de Voto por Correo se entregan a USPS
Early voting begins
Comienza el voto anticipado

Tuesday, February 20 / Martes 20 de febrero
Voter registration deadline
Fecha límite para el registro de votantes

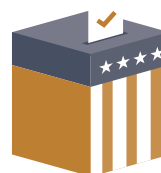
Wednesday, February 21 / Miércoles 21 de febrero
Conditional voter registration begins
Comienza el registro condicional de votantes

Tuesday, February 27 / Martes 27 de febrero
Additional Early Vote Sites open
Casillas para Voto Anticipado Adicionales abiertas
Last day to request a replacement ballot to be mailed
Último día para solicitar el envío por correo de una boleta de reemplazo

MARCH / MARZO						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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Election Day / Día de las Elecciones
Tuesday, March 5 / Martes 5 de marzo
Polling places open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Las casillas electorales abren de 7 a.m. a 8 p.m.
Ballots returned by mail must be postmarked on or before this date
Las boletas devueltas por correo deben tener el sello postal de esta fecha o anterior

Wednesday, March 6 / Miércoles 6 de marzo
Canvass of the election begins
Comienza el escrutinio de las elecciones



APRIL / ABRIL						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

Thursday, April 4 / Jueves 4 de abril
Deadline to complete the canvass and certify the County's election results
Fecha límite para completar el escrutinio y certificar los resultados de la elección del Condado

Don't Delay, Vote Today!
¡No se Retrase, Vote Hoy!
Early voting begins on February 5, 2024.
La votación anticipada empieza el 5 de febrero de 2024.