

PRIMARY ELECTION  
**NOMINATIONS CALENDAR**

**JUNE 8, 2010**

Abbreviated Calendar

All code sections are the Elections Code, unless otherwise noted.

Following the filing period dates, the number of days prior to or after the election provided (E=Election day, followed by the number of days prior to (-) or after (+) election day.)

If there is an asterisk by the date, the deadline falls on a weekend or holiday and, in most cases, has been moved to the next business day.

E-158 to E-118	JAN 1* - FEB 10	<p><b>Signature –In-Lieu of Filing Fee – Judicial Candidates</b>  Between these dates judicial candidates may obtain signature-in-lieu forms from the county elections official or the Secretary of State for circulating petitions to secure signatures in-lieu of paying all or part of the filing fee.</p> <p>The In-Lieu Petition must be filed by the last day to file the Declaration of Intention since the filing fee must be satisfied by that date. The Elections Department will notify the candidate of any deficiency within 10 days of filing. The candidate may then submit by March 12, 2010 additional signatures to replace those that were rejected or pay the balance of the fee.</p>	EC 8061,8106
E-158 to E-103	JAN 1* - FEB 25	<p><b>Signatures in Lieu of Filing Fees – All other candidates</b>  Between these dates, candidates may obtain signature in-lieu forms from the county elections official for circulating petitions to secure signatures in-lieu of paying all or part of the filing fee. Signatures may also be applied to the nomination signature requirements for office.</p> <p>The In-Lieu Petition must be filed by the last day. The Elections Department will notify the candidate of any deficiency within 10 days of filing. The candidate may then submit by March 12, 2010 additional signatures to replace those that were rejected or pay the balance of the fee.</p>	EC 8061,8106
E-135	JAN 24	<p><b>Parties to Adopt Rule for Unaffiliated Voters</b>  Last day for a political party to notify the Secretary of State in writing that it has adopted a party rule that authorizes a voter who is not affiliated with a qualified political party to vote the ballot of that political party at the June 2010 California Primary Election</p>	EC 13102 (c)

E-127 to E-118	FEB 1 – FEB 10	<b>Declaration of Intention – Judicial Candidates</b> Between these dates judicial candidates file their Declaration of Intention with the Elections Department. Candidates must pay the entire filing fee at this time, represented by money, signatures or any prorated combination of money and signatures. <b>The filing fee is non-refundable.</b>	EC 8023
E-128	FEB 1	<b>Semiannual Campaign Statement</b> Last day to file semiannual campaign statements for all ballot measure committees, all candidates and their controlled committees, and all committees primarily formed to support or oppose such candidates or measures being voted upon in the primary.	GC 84200, 84218
E-128	FEB 1	<b>County Central Committees – Republican &amp; Democratic, and American Independent Parties</b> By this date, the county elections official shall compute the number of members of the Democratic, Republican and American Independent parties county central committee to be elected in each supervisorial district.	EC 7226, 7421, 7650
E-120 to E-90	FEB 8 – MAR 10	<b>Notice of Election</b> Between these dates the County Clerk, as a matter of policy, will publish a Notice of Election containing the date of the election, the offices to be filled, where nomination papers are available, and the deadline for filing Declarations of Candidacy.	EC 12112,120109
E-118	FEB 10	<b>Sigs In-Lieu – Judicial Candidates</b> Last day for judicial candidates to turn in their petitions to the county elections official of the county in which the petition signers reside and are registered to vote. Within 10 days after receipt of a petition, the county elections official shall notify the candidate of any deficiency. Such candidates may, before the close of the nomination period either submit a supplemental petition or pay a prorated fee to cover the deficiency. Nomination closes for judicial candidates on March 12, 2010.	EC 8105, 8106(b)(3)
E-117 to E-113	FEB 11 – FEB 15*	<b>Declaration of Intention – Extension Period Judicial Candidates</b> If the incumbent has not filed a Declaration of Intention to succeed to the same office, then any other person, other than the incumbent, may file such a declaration during the extension period.	EC 8023

E 113 to E 88	FEB 15* – MAR 12	<b>Declarations of Candidacy &amp; Nomination Papers – All Candidates</b> Between these dates, candidates must file their Declaration of Candidacy and Nomination Papers. All candidates, except those for judicial offices who satisfied their filing fee requirements when they filed their Declaration of Intent, must pay the entire filing fee at the time they pick up their Nomination Papers. The fee may be represented by money, signatures, or any prorated combination of money and signatures. The filing fee is non-refundable.	EC 2020, 8041, 8061, 8100, 8105, 8106
E-113 to E-88 (plus extension period, if any)	FEB 15* – MAR 12	<b>No Candidate May Withdraw</b> No Candidate whose Declaration of Candidacy has been filed for any primary election may withdraw as a candidate at that primary election.	EC 8800
E-113 to E-88	FEB 15* - MAR 12	<b>Candidate’s Statement of Qualifications – Judicial, County &amp; State Legislative Candidates</b> Between these dates, candidates for judicial, county offices, and state legislative, may prepare a statement of qualifications, not to exceed 200 words, to be included in the Voter’s Information Pamphlet. State Legislative offices who qualify under Proposition 34 may prepare a statement not to exceed 250 words. The statement shall be filed and paid for at the time of the Declaration of Candidacy is filed. The statement may not be changed, but may be withdrawn up until 5 p.m. on March 15th if the contest closes on the 12th or March 18th if the contest closes on the 17th after the extension period.	EC 13307
E-88	MAR 12	<b>All nomination documents and any candidate statements must be filed by 5:00 p.m. today.</b>	EC 10407, 10510, 13307
E-88	MAR 12	<b>Last Day to Submit Resolutions of Consolidation</b> Final deadline for the governing body of a district, city, school or other political subdivision which requests consolidation of a local election for candidates or measures to file the request with the county Elections Department. <b>Earlier filing dates are encouraged in order to meet printing schedules.</b>	EC 10401, 10402
E-88	MAR 12	<b>Withdrawal of a candidate is prohibited after 5:00 p.m. on this date.</b>	EC 10510
E-87 -83	MAR 13 - MAR 17	<b>Extension of Nomination Period</b> Extension period for anyone other than the incumbent to file a Declaration of Candidacy and Nomination Petition if the incumbent did not file by March 12. This provision does not apply if there is no incumbent eligible to be elected.  <b>For Judicial offices</b> , if the incumbent of the office files a Declaration of Intention, but for any reason fails to qualify for nomination for the office by March 12, 2010, an	EC 8022, 8024, 8204

		<p>additional five days shall be allowed for the filing of nomination papers for the office. Any person, other than the incumbent if otherwise qualified, may file nomination papers for the office during the extended period, notwithstanding that he or she has not filed by February 10 a written and signed Declaration of Intention to become a candidate for the office.</p> <p><b>NOTE: This extension does NOT apply...</b></p> <p>1) when the incumbent for judicial office does not file a Declaration of Intention for that same office (there is an earlier filing extension period from February 11 to February 15);</p> <p>2) when there is no incumbent eligible to be re-elected;</p> <p>3) to county central committee and county councils*</p> <p>* County central committees do not have an extension for filing because the code does not specifically allow it as it does for all other offices.</p>	
E-78	MAR 22	<p><b>Write-In Campaign Against Incumbent Judge Running Unopposed</b></p> <p>Last day to file a petition indicating that a write-in campaign will be conducted against an unopposed superior court judicial candidate who has filed Nomination Papers. The petition must be signed by 100 registered voters qualified to vote on the office. Write-in candidates must file between April 12 and May 25.</p>	EC 8203, 8600-8604
E-60	APR 9	<p><b>Special Vote-by-Mail Ballot Applications</b></p> <p>The first day county elections officials may process applications for special vote-by-mail ballots. The application must include the statement that the voter cannot vote a vote-by-mail ballot during the normal vote-by-mail voting period of May 10 to June 1, 2010 because of military or other contingencies that preclude normal mail delivery.</p>	EC 300(b), 3103
E-57 to E-14	APR 12 – MAY 25	<p><b>Statement of Write-in Candidacy and Nomination Papers</b></p> <p>During this period write-in candidates must file their Statement of Write-in Candidacy and Nomination Papers with the county elections official.</p>	EC 8601
E-45	APR 24	<p><b>State Ballot Pamphlets Available</b></p> <p>By this date, the Secretary of State shall furnish copies of the State Ballot Pamphlet to cities, counties, members of the Legislature, proponents of statewide ballot measures, public libraries, and educational institutions.</p>	EC 9094 (b)
E-40 to E-21	APR 29 – MAY 18	<p><b>State Ballot Pamphlet Mailing</b></p> <p>Between these dates the Secretary of State shall mail state ballot pamphlets to all households in which voters were registered by Friday Apr. 9 (E-60)</p>	EC 9094

E-15	MAY 24	<p><b>15-day Voter Registration</b></p> <p>The county elections official shall accept an affidavit of registration executed as part of a voter registration card in the forthcoming election if the affidavit is executed on or before the 15th day prior to the election, and if any of the following apply: 1) The affidavit is postmarked on or before the 15<sup>th</sup> day prior to the election and received by mail by the county elections official.</p> <p>2) The affidavit is submitted to the Department of Motor Vehicles or accepted by any other public agency designated as a voter registration agency pursuant to the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 prior to the election.</p> <p>3) The affidavit is delivered to the county elections official by means other than those described in paragraph (2) and (3) on or before the 15th day prior to the election.</p>	EC 2107
E-10	MAY 29	<p><b>Notice of Central counting Place</b></p> <p>Last day for county elections official to publish the notice that the primary election ballots will be counted at a specified public place. The notice shall be published one time in a newspaper of general circulation in the county.</p>	EC 12109
E	JUNE 8	<p><b>Primary Election Day</b></p> <p>Polls open at 7 a.m. and close at 8: p.m.</p>	EC 1000, 14212
E+2 to E+28	JUNE 10 – JULY 6	<p><b>Official Canvass</b></p> <p>The official canvass of precinct returns is to be completed during this time.</p>	EC 15301, 15372