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County Clerk/Registrar of Voters (CC/ROV) Memorandum #09161

TO: All County Clerks/Registrars of Voters

FROM: *Catherine Ingram-Kelly*
Catherine Ingram-Kelly
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RE: CalVoter: Management of the CalVoter Wide-Area Network (WAN)

In the near future, Secretary of State is planning on assuming responsibility for direct management of the CalVoter wide-area network (CalVoter WAN) to save overall cost for the administration of the network, as well as to ensure consistent high quality service. In anticipation of our future needs for the VoteCal system, we will also be increasing the bandwidth of the network connections to most counties.

In preparation of this change, Dave Lopez and Tom Schiller of the SOS Information Technology Division are in the process of contacting counties to confirm:

- county contact information;
- current location of the CalVoter workstation and network equipment; and
- county network connectivity to the CalVoter WAN, if any.

If your county has not already heard from Dave and Tom, you should be contacted by one of them in the next couple of weeks. We are asking for your prompt cooperation and reply.

Should you have any questions about this matter, please feel free to contact me directly at (916) 651-8975 or Catherine.ingram-kelly@sos.ca.gov.

We will be providing more information on the network upgrade once our planning is complete.