

CALIFORNIA SECRETARY OF STATE

Voters with Medical Emergencies Fact Sheet

For Persons with Medical Emergencies on or Before Election Day

All voters have the right to safely vote in the September 14, 2021 California Gubernatorial Recall Election. Here's what you can do to ensure you can exercise your right to vote if you have been or are likely to be unable to leave home, in the hospital, or in a care facility on Election Day due to a medical emergency:

Contact your local county elections office.

You have the right to receive and cast your ballot by Election Day. Call your **local** county elections office to see what options are available for you. Many county elections offices will be able to provide you with a replacement ballot or deliver a ballot to you. Ask your healthcare provider for help. Many health care facilities have staff who can help get a ballot delivered to you.

igotimes I need help filling out my ballot. Who can help me?

You have the right to get help casting your ballot from anyone you choose, except from your employer or union representative.

It's Election Day. I didn't receive my ballot in the mail and I cannot leave my home, am hospitalized, or in a care facility due to a medical emergency. How can I vote?

You have the right to cast an emergency ballot on Election Day. Call your **local county elections office**. Many offices have teams that visit healthcare facilities to make sure you can vote on Election Day.

If you cannot reach your county elections office and are registered to vote, you can request another ballot. You can fill out a form to authorize someone (your designee) to go to your local county elections office to pick up a ballot for you. Some hospitals may have volunteers who may be able to help you get a ballot.

- 1. Fill out and print the late vote-by-mail application form on our website.
- 2. If you do not have access to a computer and printer, you can write a statement saying that you cannot vote in person because you are unable to leave your home, are hospitalized, or in a care facility due to a medical emergency and need a ballot. Sign this request, or if you are unable to sign, someone can help you sign with an "x." The person picking up your ballot must also write "witnessed by" and sign their name.
- **3.** Your designee must return this form to your local county elections office and pick up your ballot.
- **4.** Once you complete the ballot, sign and date the return envelope.
- **5.** The person returning your ballot must also sign their name on the appropriate space on the envelope.
- 6. Either you or your designee must return your voted ballot to a voting location, drop box, or to your local county elections office by 8:00 p.m. on Election Day. Please note that your ballot cannot be mailed.

Call your **local county elections office** to learn more about getting a ballot if you are experiencing a medical emergency.

County or State Voter Information Guide

If you lost your county voter information guide most counties have an online version on their website. Voting locations will also have copies of the county information guide. The Secretary of State's online voter information guide can be found at **Vote.Ca.Gov.**

For more information, visit **Vote.ca.gov** or call our Election Hotline at (800) 345-VOTE (8683).

⊘ Helpful Resources

County Elections Offices Contact Information

All Elections Offices by county can be found at: https://www.sos.ca.gov/elections/voting-resources/county-elections-offices

California Secretary of State Voter Hotline

For answers to your questions about voting and elections, please call one of the toll-free voter hotlines listed below:

(800) 345-VOTE (8683) - English

(800) 232-VOTA (8682) - Español / Spanish

(800) 339-2857 - 中文 / Chinese

(888) 345-2692 - हिन्दी / Hindi

(800) 339-2865 - 日本語 / Japanese

(888) 345-4917 - เป็_น โ / Khmer

(866) 575-1558 - 한국어 / Korean

(800) 339-2957 - Tagalog

(855) 345-3933 - ภาษาไทย / Thai

(800) 339-8163 - Viêt ngữ / Vietnamese

(800) 833-8683 - TTY/TDD





Alameda County Elections

1225 Fallon St., Rm. G-1 Oakland, CA 94612 (510) 267-8683

Alpine County Elections

P.O. Box 158 Markleeville, CA 96120 (530) 694-2281

Amador County Elections

810 Court St. Jackson, CA 95642-2132 (209) 223-6465

Butte County Elections

25 County Center Dr., Ste 110 Oroville, CA 95965-3375. (530) 538-7761 (Domestic) 1-(800) 894-7761

Calaveras County Elections

891 Mountain Ranch Rd. San Andreas, CA 95249 (209) 754-6376

Colusa County Elections

546 Jay St., Ste. 200 Colusa, CA 95932 (530) 458-0500 (877) 458-0501

Contra Costa County Elections

P.O. Box 271 555 Escobar St. Martinez, CA 94553 (925) 335-7800 (Domestic) 1-877-335-7802

Del Norte County Elections

981 H St., Rm. 160 Crescent City, CA 95531 (707) 464-7216 (707) 465-0383

El Dorado County Elections

P.O. Box 678001 2850 Fairlane Ct. Placerville, CA 95667 (530) 621-7480

Fresno County Elections

2221 Kern St. Fresno, CA 93721 (559) 600-8683

Glenn County Elections

516 W. Sycamore St., 2nd Floor Willows, CA 95988 (530) 934-6414

Humboldt County Elections

3033 H St. Room 20 Eureka, CA 95501 (707) 445-7678

Imperial County Elections

940 W. Main St., Ste. 206 El Centro, CA 92243-2839 (760) 482-4226

Inyo County Elections

P.O. Drawer F 168 N. Edwards St. Independence, CA 93526 (760) 878-0224 (760) 878-1805 (Fax)

Kern County Elections

1115 Truxtun Ave., First Floor Bakersfield, CA 93301 1-800-452-8683

Kings County Elections

1400 W. Lacey Blvd. #7 Hanford, CA 93230 (559) 852-4401

Lake County Elections

255 N. Forbes St., Room 209 Lakeport, CA 95453 (707) 263-8352

Lassen County Elections

220 S. Lassen St., Ste. 5 Susanville, CA 96130 (530) 251-8217

Los Angeles County Elections

P.O. Box 1024 (w/ 90651) 12400 Imperial Hwy. Norwalk, CA 90650 (5620 466-1323 (Domestic) 1-800-815-2666

Madera County Elections

200 W. 4th St. Madera, CA 93637 (559) 675-7720

Marin County Elections

P.O. Box E (w/ 94913) 3501 Civic Center Dr, Room 121 San Rafael, CA 94903 (415) 473-6456

Mariposa County Elections

P.O. Box 247 4982 10th St. Mariposa, CA 95338 (209) 966-2007

Mendocino County Elections

501 Low Gap Rd., Room 1020 Ukiah, CA 95482 (707) 234-6819

Merced County Elections

2222 M St., Room 14 Merced, CA 95340 (209) 385-7541

Modoc County Elections

108 E. Modoc St. Alturas, CA 96101 (530) 233-6205

Mono County Elections

P.O. Box 237 Bridgeport, CA 93517 (760) 932-5537

Monterey County Elections

P.O. Box 4400 (w/ 93912) 1370 S Main St. #B Salinas, CA 93901 (831) 796-1499

Napa County Elections

2751 Napa Valley Corporate Dr., Bldg. 4 Napa, CA 94558 (707) 253-4321

Nevada County Elections

950 Maidu Ave., Ste. 250 Nevada City, CA 95959 (530) 265-1298

Orange County Elections

P.O. Box 11298 (w/ 92711) 1300 South Grand Ave., Bldg. C Santa Ana, CA 92705 (714) 567-7600

Placer County Elections

P.O. Box 5278 (w/ 95604) 2956 Richardson Dr. Auburn, CA 95603 (530) 886-5650

Plumas County Elections

520 Main St., Room 102 Quincy, CA 95971 (530) 283-6256

Riverside County Elections

2724 Gateway Dr. Riverside, CA 92507-0918 (951) 486-7200

Sacramento County Elections

7000 65th St., Ste. A Sacramento, CA 95823-2315 (916) 875-6451

San Benito County Elections

Courthouse, Room 206 440 Fifth St. Hollister, CA 95023-3843 (831) 636-4016

San Bernardino County Elections

777 E. Rialto Ave. San Bernardino, CA 92415-0770 (909) 387-8300

San Diego County Elections

5600 Overland Ave. San Diego, CA 92123 (858) 565-5800 1-800-696-0132

San Francisco County Elections

City Hall - 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 48 San Francisco, CA 94102-4635 (415) 554-4375

San Joaquin County Elections

P.O. Box 810 (w/ 95201) 212 N. San Joaquin St. Stockton, CA 95202 (209) 468-2890

San Luis Obispo County Elections

1055 Monterey St., Room D-120 San Luis Obispo, CA 93408 (805) 781-5228

San Mateo County Elections

40 Tower Rd. San Mateo, CA 94402 (650) 312-5222

Santa Barbara County Elections

P.O. Box 159 (w/ 93102) 130 E. Victoria St., Ste. 200 Santa Barbara, CA 93101 (805) 568-2200 1-800-SBC-VOTE

Santa Clara County Elections

P.O. Box 1147 (w/ 95108) 1555 Berger Dr., Bldg. 2 San Jose, CA 95112 (408) 299-VOTE 1-866-430-VOTE

Santa Cruz County Elections

701 Ocean St., Room 210 Santa Cruz, CA 95060-4076 (831) 454-2060

Shasta County Elections

P.O. Box 990880 (w/ 96099) 1643 Market St. Redding, CA 96001 (530) 225-5730

Sierra County Elections

P.O. Drawer D Courthouse, Room 11 Downieville, CA 95936-0398 (530) 289-3295

Siskiyou County Elections

311 Fourth St., Room 201 Yreka, CA 96097-9910 (530) 842-8084

Solano County Elections

675 Texas St., Ste. 2600 Fairfield, CA 94533 (707) 784-6675

Sonoma County Elections

P.O. Box 11485 (w/ 95406) 435 Fiscal Dr. Santa Rosa, CA 95403 (707) 565-6800

Stanislaus County Elections

1021 I St., Ste. 101 Modesto, CA 95354-2331 (209) 525-5200

Sutter County Elections

1435 Veterans Memorial Cir. Yuba City, CA 95993 (530) 822-7122

Tehama County Elections

P.O. Box 250 444 Oak St., Room C Red Bluff, CA 96080 (530) 527-8748

Trinity County Elections

P.O. Box 1215 11 Court St. Weaverville, CA 96093 (530) 623-1220

Tulare County Elections

5951 S. Mooney Blvd. Visalia, CA 93277 (559) 624-7300

Tuolumne County Elections

2 S. Green St. Sonora, CA 95370 (209) 533-5570

Ventura County Elections

800 S. Victoria Ave., L-1200 Ventura, CA 93009 (805) 654-2664

Yolo County Elections

P.O. Box 1820 (w/ 95776) 625 Court St., Rm. B-05 Woodland, CA 95695 (530) 666-8133

Yuba County Elections

915 8th St., Ste. 107 Marysville, CA 95901 (530) 749-7855