

November 4, 2025, Statewide Special Election
Election Method and Location Statistics by County
Estimates as of 10/7/25
(Subject to Change)

County	Election Method #	Total Registered as of Odd-Numbered Year ROR - 2/10/25	Election Method #	Estimated Number of 10-day early voting locations (if applicable):	Estimated Number of 4-day or 3-day early voting locations (if applicable):	Estimated Number of Election Day Polling Locations:	Estimated Number of drop- off locations:	Estimated Number of precincts:
Alameda	1-Vote Centers	959,098	1	20	38	39	67	539
Alpine	6-All-Mail	923	6	0	0	1	1	5
Amador	3-Vote Centers	26,869	3	0	1	1	2	47
Butte	1-Vote Centers	126,345	1	2	5	5	9	90
Calaveras	1-Vote Centers	33,335	1	1	2	2	7	25
Colusa	6-All-Mail	10,822	6	0	0	2	3	19
Contra Costa	5-Polling Place	725,552	5	0	6	148	44	930
Del Norte	5-Polling Place	15,259	5	0	0	9	2	19
El Dorado	1-Vote Centers	137,504	1	2	6	6	11	108
Fresno	1-Vote Centers	525,447	1	9	25	25	60	231
Glenn	5-Polling Place	14,128	5	0	0	3	2	110
Humboldt	1-Vote Centers	85,566	1	1	4	7	11	106
Imperial	5-Polling Place	91,162	5	0	0	24	8	280
Inyo	5-Polling Place	10,908	5	0	0	5	6	11
Kern	5-Polling Place	466,045	5	0	0	103	20	846
Kings	1-Vote Centers	55,951	1	1	5	5	11	33
Lake	5-Polling Place	38,647	5	0	0	19	6	38
Lassen	5-Polling Place	15,019	5	0	0	5	6	52
Los Angeles	1-Vote Centers	5,802,795	1	113	251	251	418	1,502
Madera	2-Vote Centers	80,065	2	2	8	8	5	38
Marin	1-Vote Centers	173,872	1	4	6	9	20	58
Mariposa	1-Vote Centers	11,958	1	1	2	4	9	27
Mendocino	5-Polling Place	53,659	5	0	0	20	7	245
Merced	1-Vote Centers	134,924	1	3	5	6	17	729
Modoc	5-Polling Place	5,306	5	0	0	6	2	21
Mono	5-Polling Place	7,916	5	0	0	6	7	12
Monterey	5-Polling Place	218,362	5	0	0	58	21	171
Napa	1-Vote Centers	85,879	1	2	3	3	11	205
Nevada	2-Vote Centers	76,423	2	2	8	9	25	102
Orange	1-Vote Centers	1,892,572	1	32	66	66	127	2,298
Placer	1-Vote Centers	295,956	1	6	17	17	20	95
Plumas	6-All-Mail	13,623	6	0	0	1	1	29
Riverside	1-Vote Centers	1,403,515	1	24	53	53	96	921
Sacramento	1-Vote Centers	907,431	1	16	31	31	62	609
San Benito	1-Vote Centers	38,529	1	1	2	2	6	30
San Bernardino	5-Polling Place	1,223,227	5	0	0	153	75	2,018
San Diego	1-Vote Centers	2,017,421	1	34	68	68	144	1,754
San Francisco	5-Polling Place	529,104	5	0	0	100	37	108
San Joaquin	5-Polling Place	395,097	5	0	0	128	25	240
San Luis Obispo	5-Polling Place	180,733	5	0	0	46	18	93
San Mateo	1-Vote Centers	444,847	1	8	15	15	46	246
Santa Barbara	5-Polling Place	248,007	5	0	0	53	17	141
Santa Clara	1-Vote Centers	1,062,057	1	19	38	38	109	579
Santa Cruz	1-Vote Centers	172,036	1	3	18	22	21	118
Shasta	5-Polling Place	115,735	5	0	0	52	4	68
Sierra	6-All-Mail	2,222	6	0	0	1	2	19
Siskiyou	5-Polling Place	28,337	5	0	0	17	1	60
Solano	5-Polling Place	274,689	5	0	0	68	25	159
Sonoma	1-Vote Centers	314,218	1	7	14	14	22	390
Stanislaus	1-Vote Centers	300,837	1	5	10	11	28	88
Sutter	5-Polling Place	55,132	5	0	0	14	5	24
Tehama	5-Polling Place	37,471	5	0	0	18	5	29
Trinity	5-Polling Place	7,457	5	0	0	5	5	9
Tulare	5-Polling Place	221,699	5	0	0	40	15	147
Tuolumne	1-Vote Centers	35,993	1	1	5	5	10	42
Ventura	1-Vote Centers	525,611	1	9	18	18	39	1,419
Yolo	1-Vote Centers	122,256	1	3	5	6	15	35
Yuba	5-Polling Place	45,345	5	0	0	27	3	32
	State Total Registration	22,900,896		331	735	1,878	1,801	18,399

1-Vote Centers: Voter's Choice Act (VCA) Counties SB 280 Sec. 3(c)

2-Vote Centers: Voter's Choice Act (VCA) Counties Elections Code sections 4005(a)

3-Vote Centers: Voter's Choice Act (VCA) Counties EC 4005(b)

4-Polling Place: Traditional Polling Place Counties - Consolidated Precinct Boards SB 280 Sec. 3(d). No counties have opted to select this method.

5-Polling Place: Traditional Polling Place Counties

6-All-Mail: All Mail Ballot Counties

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Method of Conducting Election	Election Specifics	Additional Information
<p align="center">Method #1</p> <p>Voter's Choice Act (VCA) Counties SB 280 Sec. 3(c)</p>	<p>In-Person Voting Locations: E-10 through E-4 1 per 60,000 voters OR if fewer than 60,000 voters, at least 1 at a minimum; must open vote centers for a minimum of 8 hours a day.</p> <p>In-Person Voting Locations: E-3 through E 1 per 30,000 voters OR if fewer than 30,000 voters, at least 1 at a minimum; E-3 through E-1 must open vote centers for a minimum of 8 hours a day; on Election Day from 7 am - 8 pm.</p> <p>Ballot Drop-off Locations: E-28 through E At least 2 ballot drop-off locations within the county OR at least 1 per 15,000 voters (whichever results in the greater number of locations); open during regular business hours (SB 280, Sec. 3(b)(2))</p> <p>1 Exterior Drop Box: E-28 through E Open a minimum of 12 hours per day including regular business hours (SB 280, Sec. 3(b)(3))</p>	<p>Election conducted under Senate Bill 280 (SB 280, Chapter 97 of Statutes of 2025), Section 3 (c)</p> <p>Number of voting locations and drop-off locations required based on voter registration numbers determined by February 10, 2025, Report of Registration</p>
OR		
<p align="center">Method #2</p> <p>Voter's Choice Act (VCA) Counties EC 4005(a)</p>	<p>In-Person Voting Locations: E-10 through E-4 1 per 50,000 voters OR if fewer than 50,000 voters, a minimum of 2; must open vote centers for a minimum of 8 hours a day.</p> <p>In-Person Voting Locations: E-3 through E 1 per 10,000 voters , must have at least 1: E-3 through E-1, must open vote centers for 8 hours a day; on Election Day from 7 am - 8 pm.</p> <p>Ballot Drop-off Locations: E-28 through E At least 2 ballot drop-off locations within the county OR at least 1 per 15,000 voters (whichever results in the greater number of locations); open during regular business hours (SB 280, Sec. 3(b)(2))</p> <p>1 Exterior Drop Box: E-28 through E Open a minimum of 12 hours per day including regular business hours (SB 280, Sec. 3(b)(3))</p>	<p>Election conducted under Elections Code section 4005(a)(3) and (4)</p> <p>Number of voting locations required based on voter registration numbers determined as of E-88 days from the election.</p> <p>Number of drop-off locations required based on voter registration numbers determined by February 10, 2025, Report of Registration</p>
OR		
<p align="center">Method #3</p> <p>Voter's Choice Act (VCA) Counties EC 4005(b)</p>	<p>In-Person Voting Locations: E-10 through E-1 1 per 60,000 voters OR if fewer than 30,000 voters make reasonable efforts to have 1; must open vote centers for a minimum of 8 hours a day.</p> <p>In-Person Voting Locations: E 1 per 30,000 voters OR if fewer than 30,000 voters make reasonable efforts to have 1; from 7 am - 8 pm.</p> <p>Ballot Drop-off Locations: E-28 through E At least 2 ballot drop-off locations within the county OR at least 1 per 15,000 voters (whichever results in the greater number of locations); open during regular business hours (SB 280, Sec. 3(b)(2))</p> <p>1 Exterior Drop Box: E-28 through E Open a minimum of 12 hours per day including regular business hours (SB 280, Sec. 3(b)(3))</p>	<p>Election conducted under Elections Code section 4005(b)</p> <p>Number of drop-off locations required based on voter registration numbers determined by February 10, 2025, Report of Registration</p>

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OR		
<p align="center">Method #4</p> <p>Traditional Polling Place Counties - Consolidated Precinct Boards SB 280 Sec. 3(d)</p>	<p>In-Person Voting Locations: E-3 through E-1 1 per 10,000 voters; must open consolidated polling places for 8 hours a day; voters assigned to specific voting location</p> <p>In-Person Voting Locations: E 1 per 10,000 voters; from 7 am - 8 pm; voters assigned to specific voting location</p> <p>1 In-Person Voting Location: E-28 through E Open at least during regular business hours, must offer full voting services</p> <p>Ballot Drop-off Locations: E-28 through E At least 2 ballot drop-off locations within the county OR at least 1 per 30,000 voters (whichever results in the greater number of locations); if fewer than 30,000 at least 1; open at a minimum during regular business hours (SB 280, Sec. 3(b)(1))</p> <p>1 Exterior Drop Box: E-28 through E Open a minimum of 12 hours per day including regular business hours (SB 280, Sec. 3(b)(3))</p>	<p>Election conducted under SB 280 Sec. 3(d)</p> <p>Number of drop-off locations required based on voter registration numbers determined by February 10, 2025, Report of Registration</p>
OR		
<p align="center">Method #5</p> <p>Traditional Polling Place Counties</p>	<p>In-Person Voting Locations: E Open from 7 am - 8 pm</p> <p>Ballot Drop-off Locations: E-28 through E At least 2 ballot drop-off locations within the county OR at least 1 per 30,000 voters (whichever results in the greater number of locations); if fewer than 30,000 at least 1; open at a minimum during regular business hours (SB 280, Sec. 3(b)(1))</p> <p>1 Exterior Drop Box: E-28 through E Open a minimum of 12 hours per day including regular business hours (SB 280, Sec. 3(b)(3))</p>	<p>Election conducted using applicable EC sections, including Section 12241</p> <p>Number of drop-off locations required based on voter registration numbers determined by February 10, 2025, Report of Registration</p>
OR		
<p align="center">Method #6</p> <p>All Mail Ballot Counties</p>	<p>Ballot Drop-off Locations: E-28 through E At least 2 ballot drop-off locations within the county OR at least 1 per 30,000 voters (whichever results in the greater number of locations); if fewer than 30,000 at least 1; open at a minimum during regular business hours (SB 280, Sec. 3(b)(1))</p> <p>1 Exterior Drop Box: E-28 through E Open a minimum of 12 hours per day including regular business hours (SB 280, Sec. 3(b)(3))</p>	<p>Election conducted using applicable EC sections</p> <p>Only applies to Alpine, Colusa, Plumas and Sierra counties</p> <p>Counties will continue to run the election as an All-Mail Ballot Election</p>