



FACTS FOR VOTERS

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The League of Women Voters, a nonpartisan political organization, encourages informed and active participation in government, works to increase understanding of major public policy issues, and influences public policy through education and advocacy. Membership is open to all persons of voting age.

REGISTRATION

A QUALIFIED VOTER MUST BE:

- A citizen of the United States
- At least 18 years old by Election Day
- A registered voter at least 15 days before election
- Not currently judged mentally incompetent by a court of law
- Not in prison or on parole for conviction of a felony

**DID YOU NOT VOTE IN THE LAST ELECTION?
HAVEN'T VOTED FOR SOME TIME? DON'T
WORRY! YOU ARE STILL REGISTERED.**

YOU MUST RE-REGISTER IF YOU:

- Have moved since you last registered
- Changed your name
- Wish to change your political party affiliation

HOW TO REGISTER

Register online at registertovote.ca.gov. Register by mail. Get a postcard registration form at any post office, library, city hall, or military recruiting office. You may also call the Humboldt County Registrar of Voters (707) 445-7678, or you may call toll-free (800) 345-VOTE anytime; leave your name and address, and a form will be sent to you. For help in Spanish call: (800) 232-VOTA.

You may register or update your voter registration when you are renewing a driver's license at the DMV. Registration forms are also offered by agencies serving the disabled and those applying in person for public assistance.

HOW DO I KNOW I'M REGISTERED?

You can be sure that you are registered when you receive a voter notification card from the county. If the notification card does not arrive within three weeks after returning your signed registration card, call the Humboldt County Registrar of Voters at (707) 445-7678, and ask if you are registered.

VOTING

WHERE TO VOTE

If you have been registered to vote for at least 15 days before the election, you will receive a sample ballot; the back page lists the precinct number and address of your place to vote. Save your sample ballot for reference on election day. The location of your polling place may change from one election to another. You can also find your polling location at the Humboldt County Elections Office Web site: <http://co.humboldt.ca.us/election> or the League of Women Voters Web site: <http://smartvoter.org>, one week prior to election day.

IF YOU HAVE MOVED

Any registered voter who has moved anywhere within the state after the close of registration may vote by returning to the former precinct or by absentee ballot using the previous address.

ABSENTEE VOTING

An "Application for Absent Voter's Ballot" is always on the back of the County Sample Ballot. You may also apply in person, or in writing to: Humboldt County Elections Office, 3033 H Street, Eureka, CA 95501. Include your name, address and signature. No reason is needed. The application must be received at least seven days before the election to receive a ballot for that election by mail. Emergency ballots are also available for cases such as a hospitalization occurring after the deadline.

VOTING IN PRIMARY ELECTIONS

Primary elections are held to:

- Nominate a party's candidate for the November election
- Elect political candidates running for nonpartisan offices such as County Supervisor
- Vote on local and statewide measures and initiatives

At any time, legislation can change the process of voting in primary elections. For current information contact the Secretary of State at (800) 345-VOTE.

VOTER RESOURCES

HUMBOLDT COUNTY ELECTIONS OFFICE

3033 H Street Eureka, CA 95501 - (707) 445-7678

CALIFORNIA SECRETARY OF STATE

Voter Assistance Hotline: (800) 345-VOTE

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

Nonpartisan information about ALL of the contests and issues on your ballot: <http://smartvoter.org>

QUALIFIED POLITICAL PARTIES

The following political parties are entitled to have candidates identified with that political party standing for partisan offices on the ballot.

American Independent Party	(707) 359-4884
Americans Elect Party	americansselect.org
Democratic Party	(707) 445-3366
Green Party	(707) 267-5342
Libertarian Party	(707) 443-6568
Peace and Freedom Party	(510) 465-9414
Republican Party	(707) 442-2259

UNITED STATES★ EXECUTIVE OFFICES ★

	Term Length	Next Election
PRESIDENT		
Barack Obama (D) The White House 1600 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W. Washington, D.C. 20500 Comments Line	4 (202) 456-1414 FAX (202) 456-2461 TTY/TDD (202) 456-6213 (202) 456-1111	2018 whitehouse.gov
VICE PRESIDENT		
Joseph 'Joe' Biden (D) 1600 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W. Washington, D.C. 20500	4 (202) 456-1414 FAX (202) 456-2461	2018 whitehouse.gov

★ LEGISLATIVE OFFICES ★**U.S. SENATORS**

Barbara Boxer (D) 70 Washington St., Suite 203 Oakland, CA 94607 112 Hart Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510	6 (510) 286-8537 (202) 224-3553 FAX (202) 224-0454	2016 boxer.senate.gov
Dianne Feinstein (D) One Post St., Suite 2450 San Francisco, CA 94104 331 Hart Senate Office Bldg. Washington, D.C. 20510	6 (415) 393-0707 FAX (415) 393-0710 (202) 224-3841 FAX (202) 228-3954	2018 feinstein.senate.gov

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE – 2nd District

Jared Huffman (D) 317 3rd St., Suite 1 Eureka, CA 95501 1631 Longworth House Office Bldg. Washington, D.C. 20515	2 (707) 407-3585 FAX (707) 407-3559 (202) 225-5161 FAX (202) 225-5163	2014 huffman.house.gov
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CALIFORNIA★ EXECUTIVE OFFICES ★

	Term Length	Next Election
GOVERNOR		
Edmund G. 'Jerry' Brown (D) State Capitol, Room 1173 Sacramento, CA 95814	4 (916) 445-2841 FAX (916) 558-3160	2018 gov.ca.gov
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR		
Gavin Newsom (D) State Capitol, Room 1114 Sacramento, CA 95814	4 (916) 445-8994	2018 ltg.ca.gov
SECRETARY OF STATE		
Alex Padilla (D) 1500 11th Street Sacramento, CA 95814 Elections Division Voter Hotline	4 (916) 653-6814 (916) 657-2166 TTY/TDD (800) 833-8683 (800) 345-8683	2018 www.sos.ca.gov
CONTROLLER		
Betty T. Yee (D) P.O. Box 942850 Sacramento, CA 94250-5872	4 (916) 445-2636 FAX (916) 322-4404	2018 sco.ca.gov
TREASURER		
John Chiang (D) 915 Capitol Mall, Room C-15 P.O. Box 942809 Sacramento, CA 94209-0001	4 (916) 653-2995	2018 treasurer.ca.gov
ATTORNEY GENERAL		
Kamala D. Harris (D) 1300 I Street P.O. Box 944255 Sacramento, CA 94244-2550	4 (916) 322-3360 FAX (916) 323-5341 (800) 952-5225 TTY/TDD (800) 735-2929	2018 oag.ca.gov

CALIFORNIA★ EXECUTIVE OFFICES – Continued ★

	Term Length	Next Election
SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION		
Tom Torlakson 1430 N Street Sacramento, CA 95814	4 (916) 319-0800	2018 cde.ca.gov
INSURANCE COMMISSIONER		
Dave Jones (D) 300 Capitol Mall, Suite 1700 Sacramento, CA 85814 Consumer Info & Assistance	4 (916) 492-3500 FAX (916) 445-5280 (800) 927-4357	2018 insurance.ca.gov

★ LEGISLATIVE OFFICES ★**STATE SENATOR – 2nd District**

Mike McGuire (D) 710 E Street, Suite 150 Eureka, CA 95501 1303 10th Street, Room 5064 Sacramento, CA 95814	4 (707) 445-6508 FAX (707) 445-6511 (916) 651-4002 FAX (916) 651-4902	2018 sd02.senate.ca.gov
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STATE ASSEMBLY MEMBER – 2nd District

Jim Wood (D) 710 E Street, Suite 150 Eureka, CA 95501 P.O. Box 942849 Sacramento, CA 94249-0002	2 (707) 445-7014 FAX (707) 445-6607 (916) 319-2002 FAX (916) 319-2102	2016 asmcd.org/members/a02/
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HUMBOLDT COUNTY**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS (next election)**

825 5th St., Room 111 Eureka, CA 95501	(707) 476-2396 Meets Tuesdays at 9:00 a.m.
District 1: Rex Bohn (2016)	(707) 476-2391
District 2: Estelle Fennell (2016)	(707) 476-2392
District 3: Mark Lovelace (2016)	(707) 476-2393
District 4: Virginia Bass (2018)	(707) 476-2394
District 5: Ryan Sundberg (2018)	(707) 476-2395

co.humboldt.ca.us/board/