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Clerk-Recorder, Registrar of Voters
County of Ventura Elections Division
Gubernatorial General Election Calendar
November 6, 2018

May 18
172 days

Last day to file petitions regarding measures and/or initiatives.

July 3
126 days

Last day to request consolidation by delivering resolution for cities, schools and special districts for offices to be filled, including ballot question text for initiative measures.

July 9
120 days

Publish Notice of Election.

July 16
113 days

Declaration of Candidacy and Nomination period begins.

July 23
106 days

Ballot title and summary, tax rate statement, and full text of measure due to County Elections Office.

July 23
106 days

Newspaper publication of Notice of Election and Synopsis of Measures with dates of Arguments/Rebuttals. (Public examination opens for 10 days immediately upon receipt of documents.)

July 24
105 days

Measures to County Counsel (or City Attorney) to prepare Impartial Analysis.

July 24 – August 2
105-96 days

Arguments filing period. Public exam August 3 through August 12.

August 3 – August 13
95-84 days

Rebuttals filing period. Public exam August 14 through August 23.

August 10
88 days

Last day of nomination period.

August 11 – August 15
87-83 days

Extension of nomination period.

August 16

82 days

Random alpha drawing for names appearing on the ballot.

August 24

74 days

Send County Voter Information Guide pages to printers.

September 10 – October 23

57-14 days

Write-in candidate filing period.

September 27 – October 16

40-21 days

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Mail County Voter Information Guide to voters.

October 8* – October 30

29-7 days

Vote By Mail ballots are available.

October 22

15 days

Last day to register to vote at a polling place.

November 6

Election Day. Polls open 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

November 8

+2 days

Official Canvass begins.

December 6

+30 days

Completion of Official Canvass.

NOTE: Resolutions requesting consolidation for measures received after July 3 may have shortened and/or no Argument/Rebuttal periods.

* Federal holiday; Elections Division office will be open.