

KEY DATES AND DEADLINES
FOR THE
JUNE 7, 2022
STATEWIDE DIRECT PRIMARY ELECTION

2022 - CALENDAR YEAR

January 3rd - February 9th (E-155 – E-118)	Signatures In-Lieu of filing fee Circulation Period All candidates (except for County Board of Supervisors) U.S. Senator, State Constitutional, Assembly, Congressional, State Board of Equalization, Superior Court Judge, Countywide office candidates
January 11- February 9th (E-TBD to E-118)	Signatures In-Lieu of filing fee Circulation Period County Supervisorial Districts 1 & 5 Following the federal decennial census, the county board shall adopt supervisorial district boundaries (known as redistricting). Pursuant to Senate Bill 594 Signature In-Lieu of filing fee petitions shall not be made available until at least 28 days after the adoption of a final map of the supervisorial district lines. EC 21500
January 31st - February 9th (E-127-E-118)	Declaration of Intent for Judicial Candidates Only (The non-refundable filing fee is payable to the Registrar of Voters, and must be paid at the time the Declaration of Intent is filed.)
February 10th - February 14th (E-117 – E-113)	Extension Period for Declaration of Intent (Judicial office only) Declaration of Intent filing is extended ONLY to non-incumbent(s) if the incumbent does not file a Declaration of Intent by February 9, 2022.
February 14th - March 11th (E-113 – E-88)	Declaration of Candidacy and Nomination Paper Period All Filing Fees, Nomination Papers, Candidate Statement of Qualifications and Declaration of Candidacies are due at this time. (The non-refundable filing fee is payable to the Registrar of Voters, and must be paid at the time the candidate obtains the nomination forms.)
March 12th - March 16th (E-87 – E-83)	Declaration of Candidacy and Nomination Period Extension Nomination Period extended ONLY to non-incumbents if the incumbent does not file Nomination Papers by March 11, 2022.
March 12th - March 21st (E-88-E-78)	Petition Circulation Period to Place Judicial Contest on Ballot Petition can be circulated to place contest(s) on ballot to allow write-ins if only incumbent files. Must be signed by at least 1% of registered voters qualified to vote for the office and shall contain at least 100 signatures.
March 17th (E-82) 11:00am	Random Alpha Randomized alphabet drawing to determine the order of candidates on the ballot.
April 11 – May 24 (E-57 – E-14)	Write-in Period Nomination Petitions to become a qualified write-in candidate shall be filed during this period.
May 9	Vote by Mail Ballots Mailed no later than this date
May 9 – May 31 (E-29 – E-7)	Vote by Mail Application Period
May 23 (E-15)	15 Day Close Standard voter registration deadline
June 7, 2022	Election Day (polls open 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.)

2022 HOLIDAYS OBSERVED: December 31, 2021 New Year's Day Observed, January 17th Martin Luther King Day, February 11th Lincoln Day observed, February 21st President's Day, March 31st Cesar Chavez Day, May 30th Memorial Day