

# The Voter's Choice Act:

You choose **how, when, and where** you vote



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The California **Voter's Choice Act** (VCA) became law in 2016.

- Five counties are pioneering the change in 2018:
  - Madera
  - Napa
  - Nevada
  - Sacramento
  - San Mateo
- All California counties can choose to adopt in 2020.



# Why are our elections changing?

The Voter's Choice Act is designed to make voting more convenient and accessible.

You choose **how** you vote

You choose **when** you vote

You choose **where** you vote

You get the **support** you need

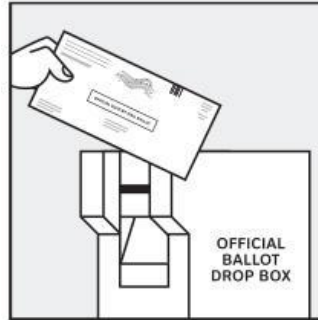


# How to Return a Ballot

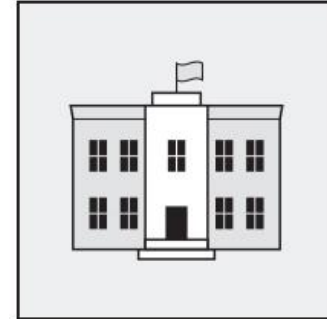
All registered voters will receive their **ballot in the mail** a few weeks before an election. You will have 3 ways to return your ballot:



By Mail



Ballot Dropbox



Vote Center

# Vote-By-Mail



You can **mail back** your ballot.

Voters with disabilities may use their own accessible technology to mark their ballot at home.



# Ballot Dropboxes



You can drop off your ballot at any Ballot Dropbox located throughout your county.

No postage is required at a Ballot Dropbox.

# Vote Centers



You can **drop off your ballot** at any Vote Center in the county

You can **vote in person** at any Vote Center in the county for up to 11 days -- even on the weekends.

Vote Centers will replace traditional polling places.

# What Else Can I Do at a Vote Center?



- Register to vote or update registration
- Vote in multiple languages
- Vote with an accessible voting machine



# Missed the Voter Registration Deadline?



You can still register and vote on the same day all the way through Election Day.

1. Visit a Vote Center or the elections office
2. Register to vote
3. Vote
4. Seal your ballot in a special envelope and sign it

# November 2018 General Election

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Oct. 14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31	Nov. 1	2	3
4	5	6 Election Day	7	8	9	10

Some Vote Centers Open (Oct 27 - Nov 2)

All Vote Centers Open (Nov 3 - Nov 5)

All Vote Centers Open (Nov 4 - Nov 6)

# Get Involved!



- ❑ Visit [VotersChoice.org](https://www.voterschoice.org) to get free resources and materials for educating your community
- ❑ Join the county Voter Accessibility Advisory Committee (VAAC)
- ❑ Join the county Language Accessibility Advisory Committee (LAAC)

# Questions?



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For more information, visit: [VotersChoice.org](https://www.VotersChoice.org)

