Ensuring Every Vote Counts: What Happens After Election Day?

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Expanding Participation

Did you miss California’s voter registration deadline?

You can still vote.

Register to vote .CA.GOV

No stamp, no problem.

Find your local conditional voter registration location.
The Voter’s Choice Act

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
Maximizing the Count

Don’t forget to sign your envelope!

Unsigned Ballot Statement
City of San Bernardino Ward 3 Special Mail Ballot Election
May 7, 2019

In order for your ballot to be counted, follow the steps below.

Step 1: Fill out your personal information
Print Name: ____________________________ Phone Number: ____________________________
Residence Address: ____________________________
Email Address:* ____________________________
* Optional Information

Step 2: Read and sign
I declare under penalty of perjury that I requested and returned a mail ballot and that I have not and will not vote more than one ballot in this election. I am a resident of the precinct in which I have voted and I am not registered to vote in another precinct. I understand that if I commit or attempt any act in connection with voting, I may be convicted of a felony punishable by imprisonment. I understand I must sign this statement in order for my mail ballot to be counted.

X ____________________________
Voter’s Signature

Step 3: Return this statement by 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 15, 2019
Choose a return option below:
• Mail or deliver to: San Bernardino County Registrar of Voters 777 E. Rialto Avenue, San Bernardino, CA 92415
• Fax to: (909) 386-8388 Attn: Mail Ballot
• Email a picture or scanned copy of this statement to: mailballots@sbcountyelections.com
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- Postmark Plus 3
- County to County Ballot Transfer
- Provisional Ballot Processing
- Verification and Audits
California’s ballots won’t all be counted next week, and that's completely normal
Why Has It Taken California So Long to Count Ballots? Because It Actually Wants Every Vote to Count.

The interminable counting process is a sign that democracy is working—unlike in some other states.
Paul Ryan questions California's 'bizarre' vote-counting process

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE PAUL RYAN IS QUESTIONING THE LEGITIMACY OF CALIFORNIA'S BALLOT COUNTING PROCESS