

EL DORADO COUNTY ELECTIONS

ELECTION INSIGHT

**From the desk of Linda Webster
Registrar of Voters**



Hello El Dorado County,

I hope you are enjoying this beautiful spring weather.

Here at your Elections Department, we are excited for the upcoming Statewide Primary Election on June 2, 2026. Our team has been busy preparing all ballot types and election equipment in anticipation of receiving your voted ballots.

In El Dorado County, voters receive a Voter Information Pamphlet (VIP) with their ballot package. The VIP contains information on candidates and measures that will appear on ballots within the county. Please refer to your specific ballot to see the contests you are eligible to vote on. Your registered residential address determines which contests appear on your ballot. For example, if you are registered in Supervisor District 2, you will not see a contest for Supervisor on your ballot this year because only Districts 4 and 5 are up for election.

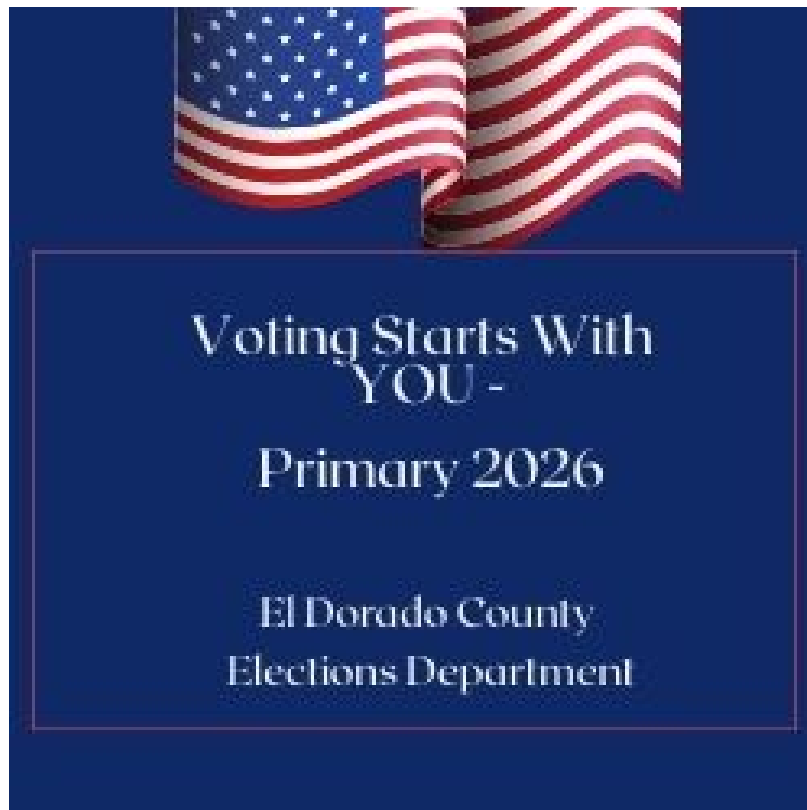
The ballots will go into the mail on May 4, 2026. Because California has an open primary voters will see candidates from all parties on their ballot, the top two vote getters will advance to the General Election in November regardless of party affiliation.

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To be prepared for your ballot I encourage you to do your research on the candidates. All voters will have all 61 candidates for Governor, this race will be on the first two columns of your ballot, as a reminder this contest is a **Vote for One**. You can access the State Voter Information Guide [here](#), to be prepared to cast your vote. All households will receive a State guide in the USPS.

All Vote-by-Mail ballots go through signature checking before the ballot can be removed from the envelope. All signatures are compared to the signature on your voter registration card. If the signature doesn't match, you will be contacted and given an opportunity to correct the issue.

If returning your ballot by mail, it must be received by June 9, 2026, and post marked on or before Election Day. We encourage you to walk your ballot into the post office, and have it post marked if you are mailing it May 29th or later.



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current events

June 2, 2026, Election

May 4, 2026

- Cameras will be live streaming for the public to view all ballot processing. [View here](#).

May 4, 2026

- Ballots will be placed in the mail to voters.
- All drop boxes will be open.
- Voters can come into the office and request a ballot or receive a replacement ballot.

May 18, 2026

- Last day to register to vote and receive a vote by mail ballot in the mail.

May 19, 2026

- Conditional voter registration begins. Period in which an elector can, conditionally register and vote provisionally at the elections office or a vote center.

June 2, 2026

- Election Day - all vote centers will be open 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.
- All drop boxes will be closed and locked at 8 p.m.

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Get Involved

El Dorado County is looking for participation in our local Voter Accessibility Advisory Committee (VAAC) and Language Accessibility Advisory Committee (LAAC). We meet quarterly, if you are interested in participating, please visit our website and complete a form [here](#), or contact the Elections Department for a form to be mailed to you.



What Topics Would You Like To Hear More About?

Each Election Insight newsletter will provide an in depth look at an election topic, if there is a specific topic about elections you would like to learn more about, please let us know and your item could be the next topic.

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