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Sample Ballot and Voter Information Guide

Muestra Boleta e Guía de Información para el Votante

Presidential Primary Election

Tuesday, June 7, 2016

Polls are open 7am – 8pm

Elección primaria presidencial

Martes, 7 de junio de 2016

Las mesas electorales abren de 7am a 8pm

← **Polling place on the back cover**

← Lugar de votación en la contraportada

Santa Cruz County Elections Department
701 Ocean Street, Room 210, Santa Cruz
Open Monday—Friday, 8am to 5pm

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Dear Voter,

Tuesday, June 7 is Election Day. You will have the opportunity to vote for President, federal and state offices, as well as local officials in Santa Cruz County.

All voters can vote in a primary election. However, voting for President depends on the party you are registered with. For more information, go to “How to vote in a primary election” in this guide.

Vote at the polls on Election Day, **Tuesday, June 7**.

- If you are voting at the polls, take this guide with you. You can mark your choices on the practice ballot, and use it to mark your official ballot.
- Your polling place location is on the back cover of this guide. Check it carefully. Your polling place may have changed.

Vote by mail. If you are voting by mail, your ballot will be mailed separately. If you are not set up to receive your ballot by mail, you must send in your request by **Tuesday, May 31**. An application is on the back cover of this guide.

To return your ballot:

- Mail your ballot so it is postmarked by Election Day, Tuesday, June 7.
- Take your ballot to any polling site in Santa Cruz County before 8pm on Election Day.
- Drop it off at one of our drop boxes in Santa Cruz and Watsonville or at one of our four city clerk’s offices.

Please contact us any time, so we can help make your voting experience a positive one.

Your vote counts!

Thank you for being a voter!

Santa Cruz County Clerk/Elections Department

Estimado Votante,

El martes, 7 de junio es el Día de la Elección. Usted estará votando por el presidente, oficinas federales e estatales, y por funcionarios locales del condado de Santa Cruz.

Todos los votantes pueden votar en una elección primaria. Votar por Presidente depende del partido en que está registrado. Para obtener más información, vaya a “Como Votar en una elección primaria” en esta guia

Vote en una mesa electoral el Día de la Elección, el **martes, 7 de junio**.

- Si usted va a votar en una mesa electoral, lleve esta guía con usted. Usted puede marcar sus selecciones en la boleta de práctica, y utilizarlo para marcar su boleta oficial.
- El lugar de su mesa electoral está ubicado en la contraportada de esta guía. Revise cuidadosamente. El lugar de su mesa electoral puede haber cambiado.

Vota por correo. Si usted vota por correo, su boleta será enviada por separado. Si no está configurado para recibir su boleta por correo, debe enviar su solicitud no mas tardar del **martes, 31 de mayo**. Una aplicación se encuentra en la contraportada de esta guía.

Para devolver su boleta:

- Envíe su boleta por correo para que tenga el sello postal no mas tardar del día de las elecciones, el martes, 7 de junio.
- Lleve su boleta a cualquier lugar de votación en el condado de Santa Cruz antes de las 8 pm el día de las elecciones.
- Dejarlo en una de nuestras cajas de depósito en Santa Cruz y Watsonville o en una de nuestras cuatro oficinas del secretario de la cuidad.

Por favor, comuníquese con nosotros en cualquier momento, de manera que podamos ayudar a hacer su experiencia de votación positiva.

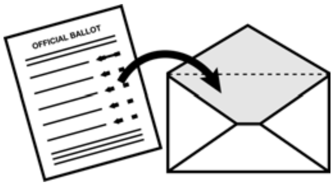
¡Su voto cuenta!

¡Gracias por ser un votante!

Santa Cruz County Clerk/Elections Department

What’s in this guide?
¿Que hay en esta guía?

3 ways to vote



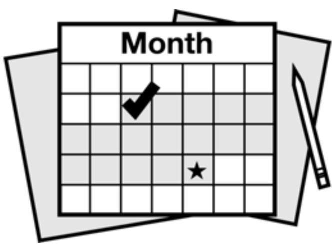
Vote by mail

Request a vote-by-mail ballot by **May 31.**

Return it by mail, deliver it to the Registrar of Voters office, or drop it off at any polling place on Election Day.

Vote-by-mail ballots must be postmarked or delivered to a polling place by **June 7**

For more details, see **page 3.**



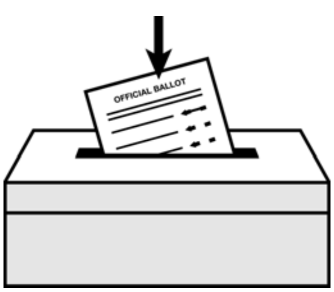
Vote early in person

You may vote early at two locations
May 9 – June 7

Santa Cruz County Clerk/Elections
701 Ocean St., Room 210, Santa Cruz
Monday – Friday 8am to 5pm

Watsonville City Clerk's Office
275 Main St., Watsonville
Monday – Friday, 8am to 5pm

Both locations will also be open
Saturday and Sunday, June 4 & 5, 9am to 5pm



Vote at the polls in person

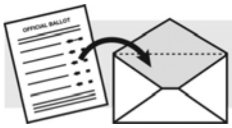
Polls are open on Election Day:
June 7, from 7am to 8pm

The location of your polling place is printed on the back cover of this guide.

Or, you can look up your polling place:

- On the web: **www.votescount.com**
- Call the County Clerk's office at 831-454-2060

For more details, see **page 4 and 5**.



How to vote by mail

You can vote by mail before Election Day

To vote by mail, you have to request a ballot. Then you can mark the ballot and send it back or drop it off at any polling place. You can vote by mail for this election only, or for all future elections.

How to get your vote-by-mail ballot

You must request a vote-by-mail ballot by May 31
You can:

Request a ballot at **www.votescount.com**

Use the application on the back of this booklet, and mail it or FAX it to 831-454-2445.

Call 831-454-2060.

After you apply to vote by mail, you will receive your ballot within the week.

Overseas voters, military personnel and their dependents can get a vote-by-mail ballot by asking your commanding officer, or go to: **www.votescount.com**

How to return your vote-by-mail ballot

Mark your ballot. Then follow the instructions on the official envelope to sign, date and seal your ballot.

You can:

Mail your ballot, so that it is postmarked by Election Day, June 7.

-OR-

Hand deliver your ballot to the Santa Cruz County Clerk Elections or the Capitola, Santa Cruz, Scotts Valley or Watsonville City Clerk.

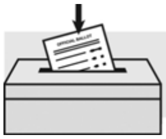
-OR-

Drop it off at one of the 24/7 drop boxes located at:

- 701 Ocean Street, Santa Cruz, in front of the county building.
- 215 Union Street, Watsonville, the green box behind City Hall.

-OR-

Drop off your ballot on Election Day at any polling place in Santa Cruz County.

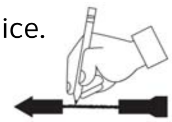


How to vote with a paper ballot

At the polling place, you can choose to vote on a touchscreen or paper ballot.

Mark your ballot

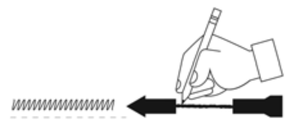
Draw a single line to connect the head and tail of the arrow that points to your choice.



Use only a blue or black ballpoint ink pen. Do not use red ink pens, Sharpies, markers or any other type of pen.

Do not sign your name on your ballot, write your initials, or write any other words or marks on your voted ballot.

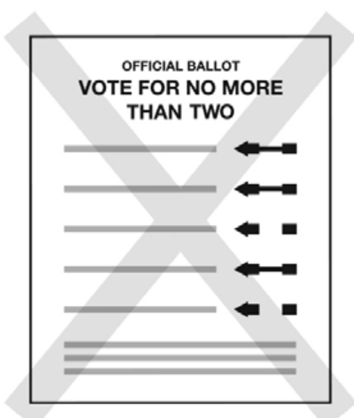
To vote for a qualified write-in candidate, write their name on the blank line at the end of the list of candidates. Then connect the arrow pointing to that name.



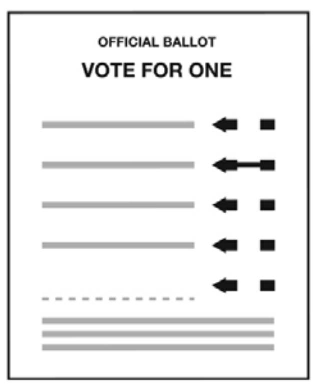
A list of qualified write-in candidates is available at the polling place on Election Day. The list is posted on our website at **www.votescount.com** 13 days before the election

Check your ballot carefully

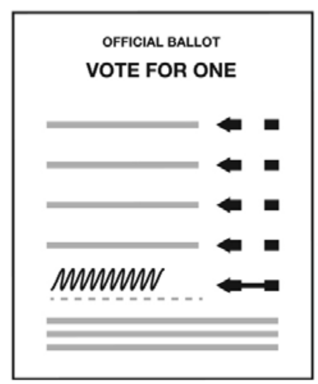
If you make a mistake, ask a poll worker for a new ballot or follow the instructions in your vote-by-mail ballot packet.



Don’t vote for too many



Vote for the number allowed

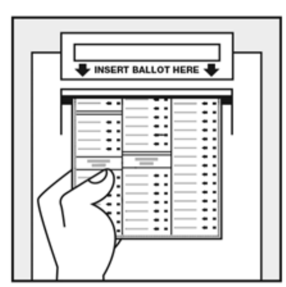


Always connect the arrow, even on a write-in vote

Cast your ballot at the scanner

After you have marked your ballot, take it to the scanner and insert your ballot.

If you made a mistake, such as voting for too many candidates, the scanner will eject your ballot so you can correct it.



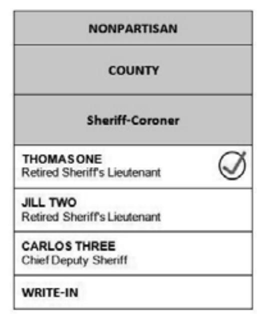
How to vote with an electronic ballot

At the polling place, you can choose to vote on a touchscreen or paper ballot.

With touchscreen voting, all voters – including those with disabilities – can vote privately and independently.

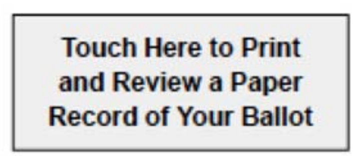
1. Tell the poll worker you want to use the touchscreen

- The poll worker will give you a ticket.
- Take it to the touchscreen area.
- When it's your turn, a poll worker will activate the screen so you can vote.



2. Mark your ballot

- Touch the box next to your choice. A green check mark will appear.
- To change your vote, touch that choice again. The green check mark will disappear.
- To vote for a write-in candidate, touch the box that says WRITE-IN. A keyboard will pop up.
  Type the write-in candidate's name, then touch OK.

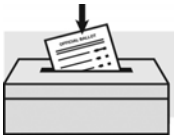


3. Review your votes

- Touch the screen to print and review a paper record of your votes.
- If you want to make changes, you can start again.

4. Cast your vote

- Touch the screen to cast your ballot.
- Protect your vote. Do not leave the voting system until you see the green "Thank you" screen that says your vote has been recorded.



How to vote in a primary election

All voters can now vote in the primary election. Voting for President depends on the party you are registered with.

A primary election in June chooses the candidates who will run in the General Election in November. You may see three different types of primaries on your ballot. **The way each primary works depends on the office.**

 Presidential Nominated by party	 California Top-Two Primary Nominated by voters	 County and Local Primary Nonpartisan candidates

Who can vote in each type of primary election in 2016?

Only voters who registered in the same political party as the candidate can vote for these offices. The following parties allow **voters who registered with no party preference** to vote in their presidential primary. • Democratic • American Independent • Libertarian	**All voters** can vote for any candidate running for these offices. All candidates from all parties appear on the ballot for these offices.	**All voters** can vote for any candidate running for these offices.

Which offices are in each type of primary?

The candidates' party **always** appears on the ballot	The candidates' party preference (or "None") **always** appears on the ballot.	The candidates' party preference **never** appears on the ballot
U.S. President Parties also elect candidates for County Central Committees and County Councils.	U.S. Senator U.S. Representative State Senator State Assembly Member	County Supervisor District Attorney Auditor-Cont.-Treas.-Tax Col.

What is the result of each type of primary election?

The winner of each political party's Presidential primary will represent that party in the General Election.	**The top two candidates with the most votes** move on to the General Election. They may have the same party preference.	**Candidates who receive at least 50% plus 1 vote are elected.** Or, if no candidate wins, **the two candidates with the most votes** move on to the General Election.

On June 8, 2010, California voters approved the Top-Two Open Primary Act (Proposition 14). See **www.sos.ca.gov/elections/primary-elections-california/** for more information.

How to vote in the Presidential Primary

Six political parties are holding Presidential Primaries:

- Democratic
- Republican
- American Independent
- Green
- Libertarian
- Peace and Freedom

If you are registered with one of these parties, your ballot will include the candidates running for that party's nomination. If you are registered with one political party, you may not vote a ballot for another political party.

You can only vote for the County Central Committees/County Councils if you are registered with that party.

If you are not registered with one of the six political parties, or if you registered Decline to State, Independent, or Nonpartisan, you are a **No Party Preference (NPP) Voter.**

Three parties allow NPP voters to vote in their presidential primary:

- Democratic
- American Independent
- Libertarian

If you want to vote in one of these party primaries, you must ask for that ballot. Otherwise you will receive a Nonpartisan ballot that will not include the office of President.

Three parties allow only voters registered with their party to vote in their presidential primary:

- Republican
- Green
- Peace and Freedom

If you want to change your party registration before the primary, the last day to re-register to vote is May 23, 2016. You can register to vote online at **registertovote.ca.gov** or cards are available at post offices, city halls, libraries and the County Elections Department.

How to vote in the California Top-Two Primary

In a Top-Two Primary, you can cast your vote for any candidate.

- All candidates from all parties will be on the ballot for these contests.
- You don't have to be registered with a party to vote on these contests.
- You can vote for a candidate from any party.
- You can "write in" a candidate in the Primary Election.
- The two candidates with the most votes will appear on the General Election ballot even if they have the same party preference.

Nonpartisan offices: County Supervisor and County offices are always open to all eligible voters.

What does party preference mean?

Voters may either register with a political party preference or choose "none."

A candidate's party preference does not necessarily mean that they have that political party's support. The list of candidates who receive a party's official endorsement is in the county Voter Information Guide.

Accessible Voting

At the polling place

To check polling place accessibility, look for the wheelchair symbol on the back cover of this guide.

In some polling places, temporary thresholds, ramps, signage, cones, and door props, are used to improve access to the facility.

Curbside voting

If your polling place is not accessible, you may vote on a paper or an electronic ballot from a nearby accessible location, including a car. A poll worker will qualify you to vote and return the voted ballot to the polling place.

To request curbside voting assistance, you can:

- call in advance to coordinate a time and place.
- have an assistant make the request inside the polling place.

Accessible voting system

Each polling place in the county has a touchscreen voting system with:

- an audio option that reads the ballot to you
- a universal plug for personal assistive device
- large print (24 points)
- a choice of English or Spanish

A ride to your polling site

We can arrange to have an accessible van pick you up and take you to the polls to vote. Please call prior to Election Day to make an appointment.

Ballot delivery to your home

We can deliver a ballot to your home and return it to the Elections Department. Please call before Election Day so there will be enough time to provide assistance.

Voting information

Audio versions of the information about local measures and information printed in the State Voter Guide are available on request. The recordings are available approximately four weeks before the election.

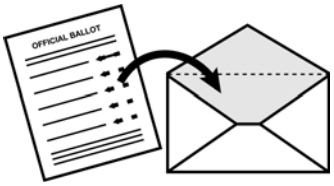
How to request assistance

To request any of these options or for assistance with accessible voting:

Phone Santa Cruz County: 831-454-2060
Disability Rights California will operate a statewide Election Day Hotline
7am to 8pm on Election Day: June 7, 2016
1-888-569-7955

TDD: 711

3 formas de votar



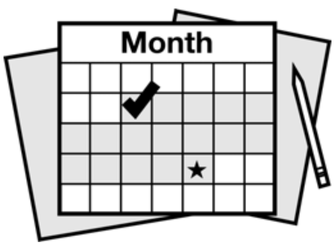
Votar por correo

Solicite una boleta de voto por correo no mas tardar del **31 de mayo.**

Devuelva la boleta por correo, entréguela a la oficina del Registro Electoral, o entréguela a cualquier mesa electoral el día de la elección.

La boleta de voto por correo debe tener el sello postal o entregarse a una mesa electoral hasta el **7 de junio.**

Para más detalles, vea la **página 10**



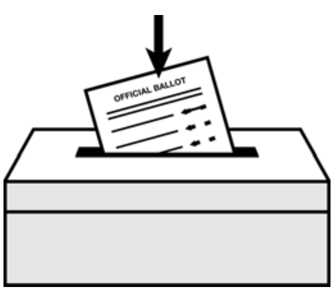
Vote temprano en persona

Puede votar temprano en dos localidades
9 de mayo – 7 de junio

Santa Cruz County Clerk/Elections
701 Ocean St., Room 210, Santa Cruz
lunes– viernes, 8am a 5pm

Watsonville City Clerk's Office
275 Main St., 4o piso (6o piso desde el estacionamiento)
lunes– viernes, 8am a 5pm

Las dos localidades estarán abiertas
sábado y domingo, junio 4-5, 9am a 5pm



Vote en persona en la mesa electoral

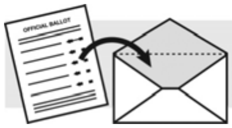
Las mesas electorales abren el día de la elección:
7 de junio, de 7am a 8pm

La dirección de su mesa electoral está localizada en la contraportada de esta guía.

Puede buscar su mesa electoral:

- en línea: **www.votescount.com**
- llamar a la oficina del registro de electores al 831-454-2060

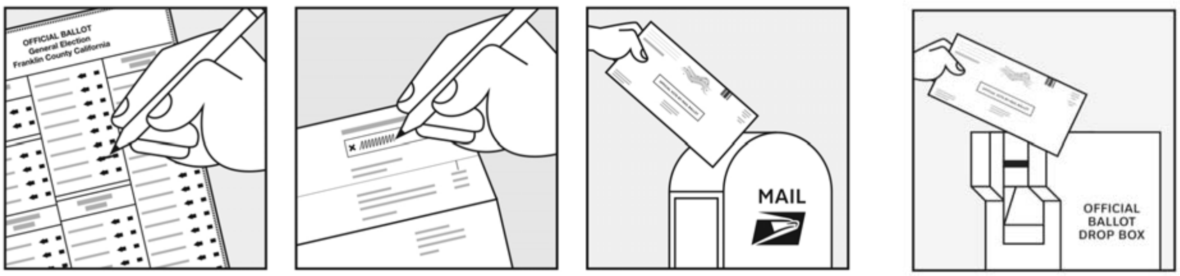
Para más detalles, vea la **página 11**.



Cómo votar por correo

Usted puede votar por correo antes del día de la elección

Para votar por correo, tiene que solicitar una boleta. Después de completar su boleta la puede enviar por correo o entregarla a cualquier mesa electoral. Usted puede votar por correo para esta elección solamente, o para todas las elecciones futuras.



Cómo obtener su boleta de voto por correo

Usted debe solicitar una boleta de voto por correo antes del 31 de mayo.

Usted puede:

Solicitar una boleta en **www.votescount.com**

Utilice la aplicación en la parte posterior de esta guía, y envíela o fax mándela por al 831-454-2445.

Teléfono: 831-454-2060.

Después de solicitar su boleta para votar por correo, usted recibirá su boleta dentro de la semana.

Votantes que residen en el extranjero, el personal militar y sus dependientes pueden obtener una boleta para votar por correo al preguntarle a su oficial del mando, o vaya a: **www.votescount.com**

Cómo devolver su boleta de voto por correo

Marque su boleta. Después de completar su boleta, siga las instrucciones en el sobre oficial para firmar y sellar su boleta.

Envíe su boleta por correo, para que tenga el sello postal con la fecha hasta el día de la elección, el 7 de junio.

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Entregue su boleta personalmente al Santa Cruz County Elections Department o Secretario de la Ciudad de Capitola, Santa Cruz, Scotts Valley o Watsonville.

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Deposite en una de las cajas de la gota 24/7 ubicadas en:

- 701 Ocean Street, Santa Cruz, frente al edificio del condado.
- 215 Union Street, Watsonville, la caja verde detrás del Ayuntamiento.

Entregue su boleta el día de la elección a cualquier mesa electoral en el condado de Santa Cruz.

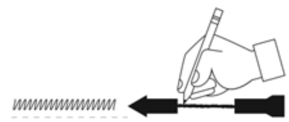
En la mesa electoral, usted puede elegir votar usando la unidad de pantalla táctil para votar **o una boleta de papel.**

Marque su boleta

Use una sola línea que conecte la cabeza y la cola de la flecha que señale su selección.

Use un bolígrafo con tinta azul o negra. No utilice bolígrafo de tinta roja, Sharpies, marcadores o ningún otro tipo de bolígrafo.

No firme su nombre en su boleta, no escriba sus iniciales, no escriba otras palabras o hacer algún otro tipo de marca en la boleta que ha completado.

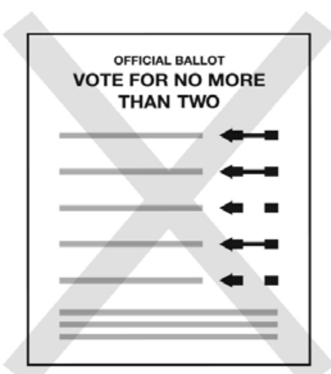


Para votar por un candidato que no esté en la lista, escriba el nombre del candidato en la línea en blanco al lado de la última flecha. Luego, conecte las dos partes de esa flecha.

Una lista de candidatos que no están en la lista, pero que están calificados, estará disponible en la mesa electoral el día de la elección. La lista está disponible en nuestra página de internet en **www.votescount.com** 13 días antes del día de la elección.

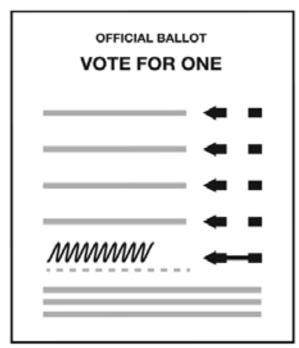
Revise su boleta cuidadosamente

Si comete un error, pídale una boleta nueva a un trabajador electoral o siga las instrucciones en el paquete de su boleta.



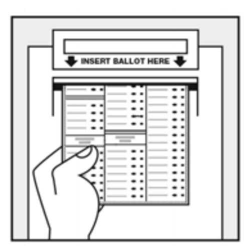
No vote por demasiados

Vote por el número permitido



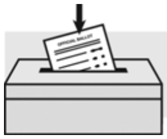
Siempre conecte la flecha , incluso en un “voto escrito”

Ingrese su boleta al lector optico



Después de votar, lleve su boleta al lector óptico e ingrese su boleta.

Si cometió un error, como haber votado por demasiados candidatos, el lector óptico le devolverá su boleta para que la pueda corregir.



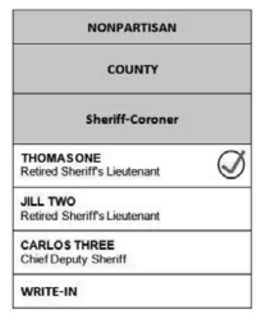
Cómo votar una boleta electrónica

En la mesa electoral, usted puede elegir usar una unidad de pantalla táctil para votar o una boleta de papel.

Con la votación electrónica, todos los votantes –incluyendo los que tengan discapacidades – pueden votar en forma privada e independiente.

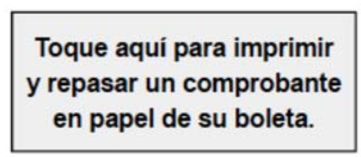
1. Dígale al trabajador electoral que quiere usar una unidad de pantalla táctil para votar

- El trabajador electoral le entregará una boleta.
- Llévela a la zona de votación electrónica.
- Cuando sea su turno, el trabajador electoral activará la pantalla, para que usted pueda votar.



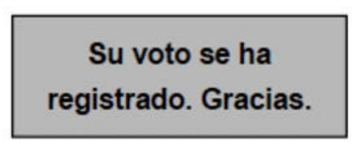
2. Marcar su boleta

- Toque el casillero correspondiente al candidato que prefiera. Aparecerá una marca verde de verificación.
- Para cambiar su voto, vuelva a tocar esa opción. La marca verde de verificación desaparecerá.
- Para votar por un candidato que no esté en la lista, toque el casillero que dice WRITE-IN. Aparecerá un teclado. Escriba el nombre del candidato por quien desea votar. Luego toque OK.



3. Revise sus votos

- Toque la pantalla para imprimir y repasar un comprobante en papel de su boleta.
- Si desea hacer cambios, la puede borrar y empezar de nuevo



4. Emita su voto

- Toque la pantalla para emitir su voto
- ¡Proteja su voto! No se vaya hasta que vea la pantalla verde de agradecimiento, que indica que su voto ha sido registrado.

Todos los electores pueden votar en una elección primaria.

La votación para el cargo de Presidente depende del partido en el que está inscrito.

En la elección primaria de junio se eligen a los candidatos que se postularán en la Elección General de noviembre. Es posible que vea tres tipos diferentes de elecciones primarias en su boleta electoral. **La manera en que funciona cada elección primaria depende del cargo.**

 Presidencial Nominado por el partido	 Primaria de los Dos Principales de California Nominado por los electores	 Cargos Locales o del Condado Primaria No Partidista

¿Quiénes pueden votar en cada tipo de elección primaria en 2016?

Solo los electores que están inscritos en el mismo partido político que el candidato pueden votar por estos cargos. Los siguientes partidos permiten a los **electores que se inscribieron sin preferencia de partido** votar en su elección primaria de 2016. • Demócrata • Independiente Americano • Libertario	**Todos los electores** pueden votar por cualquier candidato que se postule para estos cargos.	**Todos los electores** pueden votar por cualquier candidato que se postule para estos cargos.

¿Qué cargos se incluyen en cada tipo de elección primaria en 2016?

El partido de los candidatos **siempre** aparece en la boleta electoral.	El partido de los candidatos **siempre** aparece en la boleta electoral.	El partido de los candidatos **siempre** aparece en la boleta electoral.
Presidente de EE. UU. Los partidos también nominan candidatos para los Comités Centrales del Condado y los Concejos Municipales del Condado.	Senador de EE. UU. Miembro del Congreso de EE. UU. Senador Estatal Miembro de la Asamblea del Estado	Supervisor del Condado Fiscal del Distrito Auditor-Controlador y Tesorero-Recaudador de Impuestos

¿Cuál es el resultado de cada tipo de elección primaria?

El ganador de la elección primaria Presidencial de cada partido ayudará a seleccionar quien va a representar a ese partido político en la Elección General.	**Los dos principales candidatos con la mayoría de votos** pasan a la Elección General. Es posible que tengan la misma preferencia de partido.	**Los candidatos que reciben el 50% más 1 voto son elegidos.** O bien, si ningún candidato gana, **los dos candidatos con la mayoría de votos** pasan a la Elección General.

Cómo votar en una elección primaria

Cómo votar en la Elección Primaria Presidencial

Seis partidos políticos llevarán a cabo Elecciones Primarias Presidenciales:

- Demócrata
- Republicano
- Independiente Americano
- Verde
- Libertario
- Paz y Libertad

Si usted está inscrito en uno de estos partidos, su boleta electoral incluirá a los candidatos que se postulen para la nominación de ese partido. Si usted está inscrito en un partido político, no podrá emitir una boleta electoral para otro partido político. Solo puede votar para los Comités Centrales del Condado/Concejos Municipales del Condado si usted está inscrito en ese partido.

Si no está inscrito en uno de los seis partidos políticos, o si se inscribió eligiendo la opción Rehúsa a Declarar, Independiente o No Partidista, usted es un **Elector Sin Preferencia de Partido (NPP)**.

Tres partidos permiten a los electores NPP votar en la elección primaria presidencial:

- Demócrata
- Independiente Americano
- Libertario

Si desea votar en una de estas elecciones primarias de partido, debe solicitar esa boleta electoral. De lo contrario, recibirá una boleta electoral No Partidista que no incluirá el cargo de Presidente.

Tres partidos permiten solo a los electores inscritos en su partido votar en su elección primaria presidencial:

- Republicano
- Verde
- Paz y Libertad

Si desea modificar la inscripción de su partido antes de la elección primaria, el último día para volver a inscribirse para votar es el 23 de mayo de 2016. Puede registrarse para votar en línea en registertovote.ca.gov o tarjetas están disponibles en las oficinas de correos, ayuntamientos, bibliotecas y el Departamento de Elecciones del Condado.

Cómo votar en la Elección Primaria de los Dos Principales de California

En una Elección Primaria de los Dos Principales, puede emitir su voto para cualquier candidato.

- Todos los candidatos de todos los partidos figurarán en la boleta electoral en estas contiendas.
- No es necesario que esté inscrito en un partido para votar en estas contiendas.
- Puede votar por un candidato de cualquier partido.
- Puede emitir un “voto escrito” para un candidato en la Elección Primaria.
- Los dos candidatos con la mayoría de votos aparecerán en la boleta electoral de la Elección General aun si tienen la misma preferencia de partido.

Cargos No Partidistas: Supervisor del Condado y oficinas del Condado siempre están abiertos para todos los electores elegibles.

¿Qué significa preferencia de partido?

Los electores pueden inscribirse con una preferencia de partido político o elegir "ninguna."
La preferencia de partido de un candidato no necesariamente significa que cuenta con el apoyo de ese partido político. La lista de candidatos que reciben el respaldo oficial de un partido se encuentra en la Guía de Información para el Elector del condado.

En la mesa electoral

Para verificar la accesibilidad de la mesa electoral, busque el símbolo de la silla de ruedas en la contraportada de este guía.

En algunas mesas electorales, los umbrales temporales, rampas, **señales,** conos, y sostenes para las puertas, se utilizan para mejorar el acceso a las instalaciones.

Votar en la acera

Si su mesa electoral no es accesible, usted puede votar una boleta de papel o electrónica desde un lugar cercano y accesible, incluyendo de un vehículo. Un trabajador electoral lo calificara para votar y entregar su boleta completa a la mesa electoral.

Para solicitar asistencia para votar en la acera, usted puede:
- Llamar por adelantado para coordinar la hora y el lugar.
- Pedir a un asistente que haga la solicitud dentro de la mesa electoral.

Equipo accesible para votar

Cada centro de mesa electoral en este condado tiene una unidad de pantalla táctil para votar con:
- una opción de audio que lee la boleta para usted
- un enchufe universal para la asistencia personal del votante
- letra grande (24 puntos)
- la opción de inglés o español

Transporte a su lugar de votación

Podemos hacer arreglos para enviar una camioneta con accesibilidad para recogerle a usted y llevarle al centro de mesa electoral para votar. Por favor llame antes del día de la elección para hacer una cita.

Entrega de boleta a su domicilio

Podemos entregar la boleta a su domicilio y regresarla al departamento de elecciones. Por favor llame antes del día de la elección para asegurar que haya suficiente tiempo para proveerle asistencia.

Información para votar

Versiones de audio de la información sobre las medidas locales y la información impresa en la guía de estado para el votante están disponibles bajo petición. Las grabaciones están disponibles aproximadamente cuatro semanas antes de la elección.

Como pedir asistencia

Para solicitar una de estas opciones de asistencia de voto accesible:

Teléfono: 831-454-2060
Disability Rights California operará una línea directa para las elecciones en todo el estado de las 7am a 8pm, 7 de junio, 2016 1-888-569-7955.

TDD: 711

What’s on the ballot for this election?

Presidential Primary Election – June 7, 2016

You will receive two voter information guides for this election with information about your ballot.

Santa Cruz County (this guide)

Mailed to all registered voters in the county. Local and county races and local measures are on the following pages in this guide.

Offices – depending on where you live in Santa Cruz County
United States Representative
State Senate
State Assembly
County Supervisor: 1st, 2nd, & 5th Districts
Auditor-Controller-Treasurer-Tax Collector
District Attorney-Public Administrator

Superior Court judges do not appear on the ballot unless someone qualifies a write-in petition.

Local Measures
J. Lakeside Joint School District parcel tax
Q. Cabrillo College bond
R. Live Oak School parcel tax
S. County Facilities District library bond

California State Guide

Mailed to each household in the state. U.S. national races, state races, and state propositions are in the guide from the state.

Offices
President
US Senate

State Proposition
50. Members of the Legislature. Suspension

Download the Santa Cruz County *Citizens Connect* app to access election information on your smartphone.

Party Endorsements

Parties have the option of submitting candidate endorsements for printing in this guide. Not all parties participate and parties may endorse a candidate from another party.

The Republican, Green, and Libertarian parties did not submit endorsements of candidates to be printed in this guide.

The candidate's party preference on the ballot does not necessarily mean that they have that political party's support

Los partidos tienen la opción de presentar endorsos de los candidatos para la impresión en esta guía. No todos los partidos participan y los partidos pueden apoyar a un candidato de otro partido.

Los partidos de Republicano, Verde y Libertario no sometieron endorsos de los candidatos para ser imprimidos en esta guía.

La preferencia de partido del candidato en la boleta no necesariamente significa que tengan el apoyo de ese partido político.

Office ***Oficina***	**Democratic** ***Demócrata***	**American Independent** ***Americano Independiente***	**Peace and Freedom** ***Paz y Libertad***
US Senate Senado E.U.	Kamala D. Harris	Tom Del Beccaro	John Parker
18th Congress *18o Congreso*	Anna Eshoo	none - ninguno	none - ninguno
20th Congress *20o Congreso*	Jimmy Panetta	none - ninguno	Joe Williams
17th State Senate *17o Senado*	Bill Monning	none - ninguno	none - ninguno
29th Assembly *29o Asamblea*	Mark Stone	none - ninguno	none - ninguno
30th Assembly *30o Asamblea*	Karina Cervantez Alejo	none - ninguno	none - ninguno

Who is running for office?

Refer to the practice ballot in this guide for a complete list of candidates. Some have paid for a candidate statement in this guide, but not all. You can also find candidate information and campaign disclosure statements online:

- Local candidates: **www.votescount.com**
- All candidates: **votersedge.org/ca**
- Statewide candidates: **www.sos.ca.gov**

¿Quién está corriendo para una ofician?

Consulte la boleta de práctica en esta guía para obtener una lista completa de los candidatos. Algunos han pagado por una declaración del candidato en esta guía, pero no todos. También puede encontrar información de los candidatos y declaraciones de campaña en nuestra página web:

- Candidatos locales: **www.votescount.com**
- Todos los Candidatos: **votersedge.org/ca**
- Candidatos estatales**:** **www.sos.ca.gov**

Expenditure limitations: State legislative candidates

Voters passed Proposition 34 in November 2000. This law says we must tell voters the names of candidates who agree to campaign spending limits. This law only applies to candidates for State Legislative offices like State Senate and State Assembly.

Candidates who agree are allowed to pay for and publish a candidate's statement of qualifications. Those statements are printed in this guide.

The following State Legislative candidates have accepted the voluntary campaign spending limits:

Límites de desembolsos: Candidatos para la legislatura estatal

Los votantes aprobaron la Proposición 34 en noviembre de 2000. Esta ley establece que tenemos que decir a los votantes los nombres de los candidatos que están de acuerdo con los límites de gastos de campaña. Esta ley sólo se aplica a los candidatos para cargos legislativos del Estado como el Senado Estatal y la Asamblea Estatal.

Los candidatos que estén de acuerdo pueden pagar y publicar una declaración de cualificaciones de candidato. Esas declaraciones están imprimidas en esta guía.

Los siguientes candidatos para la Legislatura Estatal han aceptado los límites de desembolsos voluntariamente:

17th State Senate ***17o Senado***	Bill Monning, DEM Palmer Kain, REP
29th Assembly ***29o Asamblea***	Sierra Roberts, REP Mark Stone, DEM
30th Assembly ***30o Asamblea***	John M. Nevill, REP Anna Caballero, DEM Karina Cervantez Alejo, DEM Georgia Acosta, REP

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Anna G. Eshoo
U.S. Representative, 18th District
Party Preference: Democratic
Occupation: United States Representative

Incivility, ideological polarization and the partisan divide between Congress and the White House make progress difficult in Washington. As your Congresswoman, I find ways around gridlock to advance our values, solve problems and take care of people.

I support policies that foster competition, encourage innovation and produce skilled, high wage jobs. Greater investment in education, basic scientific research and in our roads, bridges and transit systems is overdue and would spur the economy. We can create more opportunity for homeownership and secure retirement by adopting paid maternity and parental leave policies and expanding affordable childcare.

Families should not fear ruin from illness. That's why I worked to include language in the Affordable Care Act that requires coverage of those with pre-existing conditions and that eliminates the lifetime cap in health insurance policies.

To ensure an open, free and accessible Internet for all, I led the charge in Congress for the most democratic rules possible to preserve Net Neutrality, and we won. But this debate could resurface and we must be vigilant.

Unlimited spending is undermining our elections. Citizens United is wrong. Money does not equal speech. Short of overturning the decision, transparency is our best antidote. I've called for the Federal Communications Commission to require disclosure of the true source of funding for political broadcast ads and proposed that the President require government contractors to publicly report all political contributions.

My constituents are a source of strength and inspiration to me and I'd be honored to have your support.

Richard B. Fox
U.S. Representative, 18th District
Party Preference: Republican
Occupation: Physician/Attorney **Age: 69**

Dr. Fox: Fiscal Conservative, Social Moderate, Pro-Choice, Libertarian-Republican.

Priorities:

-Fix Healthcare: Affordable, Low-Deductible Private Healthcare For All.

-Fix the Economy: End Crony Socialism/ Capitalism, Grow Jobs and Opportunity for All, Especially the Young and Minorities, By Capping Spending and Borrowing, Cutting Regulations, Taxes.

-Promote Inclusiveness, Civility, Respect: America Is For All Americans, All Ages, All Incomes, All Races, All Ethnicities, All Faiths, All Genders, All Orientations.

-Stop Domestic Violence.

Thinking that more Democratic-Socialist, Big Government Deficit Spending, Borrowing, and Money Printing are the answer for everything? Think again. We've been running on those economic steroids, adrenalin, and life support since the 2008 crash. As a former ICU specialist I can tell you, sooner or later, an even worse crash is coming. Get the code blue cart and the defibrillator paddles ready.

Big Government Socialism sounds great but always leads to stagnation, debt, eventually a crash, then a very painful recovery. Big governments end up run by insiders and cronies doing special favors for their well-connected friends paid for with borrowed money; leaving a stagnating economy saddled with heavy taxes, regulations, unemployment, welfarism, undignified dependency, failing schools and families, kids with no futures, and unsustainable government pensions and debt for everyone else. Think Detroit, Chicago, California, Greece, Venezuela.

To really help the young, the underprivileged, and minorities, to restore hope and dignity, vote for opportunity, real economic growth and jobs through fiscal responsibility and free enterprise.

Visit **DrFoxFor2016.com**. Thanks.

Richard B. Fox, M.D., J.D., B.A. (Economics)

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Bill Monning
State Senate, 17th District
Party Preference: Democratic
Occupation: CA State Senator **Age: 65**

Eight years ago, you sent me to Sacramento to make a difference, and I am proud of what we have been able to accomplish together.

Since joining the State Legislature, I've authored over 80 bills signed into law by the Governor, including the ground-breaking End of Life Options Act to give terminally ill patients a compassionate way to take control of their own lives – subject to strict guidelines.

After years of hard work with many key partners, the new California Central Coast Veterans Cemetery is scheduled to open this July. My legislation in Sacramento and ability to secure funding helped break the logjam to honor those who served our nation with a final resting place, fulfilling a promise made over two decades ago.

In Sacramento, we've passed balanced, on-time budgets five years in a row and put the State's fiscal house in order. We've made great strides toward tackling our State's pension obligations while restoring critical funding to education, healthcare, and public safety.

I've earned the highest ratings from the California Labor Federation, the California League of Conservation Voters, the Sierra Club, and the Consumer Federation of California.

While our economy has recovered since the Great Recession, we must continue to focus on creating jobs by strengthening the backbones of our local economy: agriculture, tourism, and our educational institutions.

That's why I'm asking you to send me to the State Senate for another term.

Please visit **www.billmonning.org**. I'd be honored by your vote on June 7th. Thank you!

Bill Monning
Senado Estatal, Distrito 17
Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata
Ocupación: Senador Estatal de CA **Edad: 65**

Hace ocho años, usted me mandó a Sacramento para marcar la diferencia, y me enorgullece lo que hemos podido lograr juntos.

Desde que me uní a la Legislatura Estatal, fui autor de más de 80 proyectos de ley promulgados por el Gobernador, incluida la innovadora Ley de Opción del Final de la Vida, que otorga a los pacientes terminales una forma compasiva de controlar sus propias vidas – sujeta a pautas estrictas.

Luego de años de trabajo intenso con varios socios clave, el nuevo Cementerio para Veteranos de la Costa Central de California tiene previsto abrir el próximo mes de julio. Mi legislación en Sacramento y la capacidad para asegurar financiamiento ayudó a romper el estancamiento para honrar a quienes sirvieron a nuestra nación con un lugar final para descansar, con lo cual se cumplió la promesa realizada hace más de dos décadas.

En Sacramento, hemos aprobado presupuestos equilibrados a tiempo durante cinco años consecutivos y pusimos orden en la casa fiscal del Estado. Hemos avanzado mucho para encarar las obligaciones en materia de jubilación del Estado y, a la vez, restaurar el financiamiento crítico para la educación, la atención médica, y la seguridad pública.

Obtuve las calificaciones más altas de la Federación de Trabajadores de California, la Liga de Votantes por la Conservación de California, el Club Sierra, y la Federación de Consumidores de California.

Si bien nuestra economía se ha recuperado desde la Gran Recesión, debemos continuar enfocándonos en la creación de empleos mediante el fortalecimiento de la columna vertebral de nuestra economía local: la agricultura, el turismo, y nuestros institutos educativos.

Es por esto que le pido que me envíe al Senado Estatal por otro período.

Por favor visite **www.billmonning.org**. Sería un honor tener su voto el 7 de junio. ¡Gracias!

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Mark Stone
State Assembly, 29th District
Party Preference: Democratic
Occupation: Assemblymember **Age: 59**

For nearly twenty years, I have fought to improve our quality of life in California as a School Board Member, County Supervisor, Coastal Commissioner and your Assemblymember. You sent me to Sacramento to advocate for the rights of people in the 29th Assembly District and across our state. During my service in the Assembly, I have prioritized protecting the most vulnerable Californians. I authored comprehensive reforms to help foster youth grow up in supportive homes. I jointly wrote the End of Life Options Act to help people facing terminal illness. I led the movement to create a state Earned Income Tax Credit to lift the state's poorest working families out of poverty. I helped improve access to justice in the court system, and I wrote a variety of laws to improve public safety, and to help people released from prison successfully integrate into their communities, and decrease their chances of reoffending.

As a dedicated environmentalist, I have remained steadfast against strong opposition to critical environmental protections. I advocated for landmark climate-change laws, and laws to provide clean drinking water, increase water recycling, and improve groundwater management. I was a key voice for California's 2014 plastic bag law to reduce plastic pollution.

It is an honor to have the support of so many elected officials, respected business leaders, education, and health care professionals and the environmental community. I hope that I have earned your vote.

Learn more at **www.FriendsOfMarkStone.org**

Mark Stone
Asamblea del Estado, Distrito 29
Preferencia de Partido: Demócrata
Ocupación: Miembro de la Asamblea **Edad: 59**

Por cerca de veinte años, he luchado para mejorar nuestra calidad de vida en California como Miembro de la Junta Escolar, Supervisor del Condado, Comisionado Costero y su Miembro de la Asamblea. Usted me mandó a Sacramento para defender los derechos de la gente en el Distrito de Asamblea 29 y en todo nuestro estado. Durante mi servicio en la Asamblea, he puesto como prioridad la protección de los habitantes de California más vulnerables. Fui autor de reformas integrales para ayudar a promover el crecimiento de los jóvenes de cuidado en hogares que los apoyen. Redacté conjuntamente la Ley de Opciones para el Final de la Vida para ayudar a las personas que se enfrentan a una enfermedad terminal. Dirigí el movimiento para crear un Crédito del Impuesto sobre la Renta de California, para sacar de la pobreza a las familias trabajadoras más pobres del estado. Ayudé a mejorar el acceso a la justicia en el sistema judicial, y redacté diversas leyes para mejorar la seguridad pública, y para ayudar a las personas liberadas de prisión a que se integren satisfactoriamente a sus comunidades, y disminuir las posibilidades de que reincidan.

Como una persona dedicada a la protección del medio ambiente, he luchado firmemente en contra de la oposición a importantes protecciones ambientales. He defendido las leyes relevantes sobre el cambio climático, y las leyes para el suministro de agua potable limpia, el aumento del reciclaje del agua, y la mejora de la gestión de aguas subterráneas. Fui una voz clave para aprobar la ley sobre el uso de bolsas de plástico de California de 2014 para reducir la contaminación por plástico.

Es un honor contar con el respaldo de muchos funcionarios electos, líderes respetados en el ámbito de los negocios, profesionales de la educación, y la atención médica y la comunidad ambiental. Espero haberme ganado su voto.

Obtenga más información en **www.FriendsOfMarkStone.org**

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Bill Smallman
County Supervisor, 5th District
Occupation: Civil Engineer **Age: 56**

Environmentalist and Civil Engineer with 25 years of building and designing water infrastructure, I am unlike anyone in local government, past or present.

I have numerous innovative ideas on improving the Economy, County Government, Environment, Community, Transportation and Water are at **www.billsmallman.com**. Are you interested in building a legacy? Let's start with Water:

We are over drafting the Ground Water Basin(s). Saltwater has penetrated South County and moving north. I have, by far, the best water infrastructure plans for the entire County.

One of my plans is to create a Regional Water Authority in charge of recycled water, groundwater, water storage and watersheds. It would wholesale water and create a sustainable model with a specific maximum number of water service connections. This County-Wide Special District would also dual as an Open Space District protecting watershed lands, allowing free public access, and be the first of its kind anywhere. Interested?

All I need is your vote.

Roy Kaylor
County Supervisor, 5th District
Occupation: Electrical Engineer

Roy Kaylor for Santa Cruz County Board of Supervisors

Steward of 150 acre Kaylor Micro-Basin Wildlife and Wilderness Preserve including planting 7,800 Redwood trees, removing over 2,500,000 invasive plants, maintaining 2 1/2 miles of road frontage. Allowed over 17,000 students to hike to waterfall.

Education: West Point (USMA), College of San Mateo, Stanford BS in electrical engineering, Stanford MS physical science, Euro-technical Research Institute PHD.

Career: Invented or developed car battery, tow trucks, satellite power supplies, motor controllers for space shuttle, electric drone motor controllers, airborne military electronics, stealth, quiet rail joint used in Russia and Europe. Chinese solar cell production, Hybrid and electric vehicles, auto-bodies, medical electronics, noise reduction circuitry, programmable electric road signs, computer power supplies and mother boards. Reduced world electricity and fossil fuel consumption by over 5%. Solar powered light rail for Capitola, computer controlled electric light rail and funding for Santa Cruz. Credited by some historians for the USA winning the Cold War. World's fastest outboard hydroplane in 1967 at 167 mph.

I'm for the people, not for the government. Limit Planning Department power. Correct some un-just county codes. Work closely with the citizens and the community. Initiate evening meetings. Honor ancestor George Clymer (1776).

Bruce McPherson
County Supervisor, 5th District
Occupation: County Supervisor – 5th District

I have been honored to represent the 5th District for the past four years. With my previous experience as your State Senator, Assemblymember and Secretary of State, I was able to hit the ground running to represent you.
My accomplishments include:
- Completed purchase of the site for new Felton Library
- Added Sheriff's patrol deputies
- Settled longstanding lawsuit between Scotts Valley and the County
- Led statewide effort to have $5.4 million returned from State "unfunded mandates," including $1.8 million for County Parks.
- Added new streetlights in Felton and Boulder Creek, and crosswalk improvements on Highway 9
- Worked for merger of Lompico and San Lorenzo Valley Water Districts
- Voted against a pay increase for Supervisors
- Established County Economic Development Department
- Worked to reduce cost of electricity in San Lorenzo Valley
- Advocated for Federal Aviation Administration to address airplane noise impact on 5th District residents
- For 3 years, led a 3-county effort to bring Community Choice Energy to the region for green, local choice, low-cost energy
- Held numerous town hall, constituent and neighborhood meetings.

Throughout my career, I have been recognized as someone who listens to people, understands their concerns and works to find common sense solutions. I would be honored to receive your vote on June 7.
www.supervisorbrucemcpherson.org

J Lakeside Joint School District parcel tax

Ballot question

To preserve quality education for all students in Lakeside Joint School District, maintain specialized training for teachers, provide comprehensive science programs, update classroom technology, and protect quality academic programs for elementary and middle school students, shall the Lakeside Joint School District be authorized to implement an annual education parcel tax of $820 for ten years, with citizens’ oversight, exemptions available for senior citizens, no funds for administrators' salaries, every dollar spent on students and cannot be taken away by the State?

Pregunta de boleta

A fin de preservar la educación de calidad para todos los estudiantes en el Distrito Escolar Conjunto de Lakeside, mantener la capacitación especializada para los maestros, proveer programas integrales de ciencias, actualizar la tecnología del aula, y proteger los programas académicos de calidad para los estudiantes de las escuelas primaria e intermedia, ¿debe autorizarse al Distrito Escolar Conjunto de Lakeside a implementar un impuesto anual a la parcela para educación de $820 durante diez años, con supervisión ciudadana, exenciones disponibles para ciudadanos mayores, sin fondos para salarios de administradores, que cada dólar se gaste en los estudiantes y que no pueda ser tomado por el Estado?

What your vote means

YES	NO
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For and against Measure J

FOR	AGAINST
Mert Parsons 38 Year Community Resident and Parent of 3 Lakeside Graduates **Barbara Harriman** Resident and Realtor specializing in Mountain properties **Glenn Charbonneau** Father, Grandfather, Lakeside Alumni and Local Business Owner **Bill Norquist** 61 year Mountain Resident, Owner, Norquist Tree Farm since 1984 **Leon Milburn** Retired School Board Member, 56 Year Mountain Resident and Property Owner	**Mark W. A. Hinkle** President, Silicon Valley Taxpayers Association

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Argument for Measure J

VOTE YES on Measure J to preserve the outstanding education our children receive at Lakeside School.

For over 130 years, Lakeside has provided the children of our community with an exceptional education. Today, Lakeside's students are in the top 5% in statewide test scores, continuing the long tradition of developing strong academic and leadership skills in a small school setting. Lakeside's excellent reputation enhances our property values by bringing in new families to our mountain community.

Exceptional teachers, challenging instructional programs, manageable class sizes, dedicated parent volunteers, and rigorous science, math, and reading curricula have prepared generations to succeed in high school, college, and careers. We want that legacy to continue.

Unfortunately, years of state budget cuts and unfunded mandates threaten our Lakeside School. Measure J protects core academics and ensures that Lakeside students are prepared for success in high school and beyond.

Measure J will preserve:

- Quality academic programs for elementary and middle school students
- Specialized training for teachers
- Comprehensive science programs
- Classroom technology to provide 21st century skills
- Safe, well-maintained facilities
- Manageable class sizes
- Funding for arts, PE and other enrichment programs

Without Measure J, Lakeside will need to make deep cuts to academic programs.

Measure J requires strict taxpayer protections:

- Seniors are eligible for an exemption
- No funds can be taken by the State
- No funds for administrator salaries
- Every penny stays local to benefit our children
- Citizens' Oversight Committee ensures funds are spent as promised

Measure J lasts for ten years only and cannot be extended without a new vote.

Whether or not you have school aged children, protecting the quality of our local schools is a wise investment. Good schools protect our property values and community.

Please join community leaders, seniors, parents, teachers and residents from every Lakeside neighborhood and **Vote yes on Measure J!**

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38 Year Community Resident and Parent of 3 Lakeside Graduates

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Reply: Rebuttal to argument for Measure J

This latest parcel tax tries to use the state budget crisis to grab unearned money. Lakeside Joint School District wants to extend (read: increase) the 2010 parcel tax of $311 per year for another 10 years—a year before its scheduled expiration in 2017.

And they want a whopping increase to $820 per parcel to replace the existing parcel tax.

Have they earned that 2.6 times increase to $820 per parcel?

Let's look at student test scores for English learners attaining English proficiency:

2011-12 school year results: 45.1%

2012-13 school year results: 47%

2013-14 school year results: 49%

[Source: **www.Ed-Data.org/district/Santa-Clara/lakeside-joint**]

That's a dismal 51% who have failed to achieve English proficiency!

Should you, a voter and customer, reward a 51% failure rate with a pay increase?

If you answered "no," we encourage you to vote **NO on Measure J**.

The statewide average expense per student is $8,788/year versus Lakeside Joint School District's $19,495—222% above average. Yet, they want more of your hard-earned money to pad their above- average salaries and fat pension plans.

The measure says none of the funds will be used for administration. But, funds generated outside of this parcel tax can be used for administration expenses without limits. So, that is really an empty promise. Do not be fooled.

Tell Lakeside Joint School District board to be financially responsible: vote **NO on J.**

For more information please visit us at:

www.SVTaxpayers.org/2016-lakeside-joint-parcel-tax

Mark W. A. Hinkle
President, Silicon Valley Taxpayers Association

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Argument against Measure J

This latest tax increase from Lakeside Joint School District is an attempt to use the state budget crisis to grab unearned money. The district wants to “extend” (read: *increase*) the 2010 parcel tax of $311 per year for another 10 years, a year before its scheduled expiration in 2017, when families were expecting a boost to their household budgets.

And the district wants a whopping increase to $820 per parcel, to replace the existing parcel tax.

Have they earned an increase to $820 per parcel — 2.6 times more than we have already been enduring? Do they deserve it?

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Here are the latest average teacher salaries for the district:

2011-12: Salary = $75,905. Statewide average = $74,090.

Plus, teachers get a super generous benefits package. Their “family plan” costs us $7,900 per teacher per year.

Tell the Lakeside Joint School District board to be financially responsible:
Vote NO on J.

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Reply: Rebuttal to argument against Measure J

The opponent of Measure J doesn't live in our Lakeside community and has made it his mission to oppose every school tax measure on the ballot indiscriminately. Measure J is **absolutely needed** and is a sound investment in OUR Lakeside community and children.

As longtime Lakeside residents, leaders, and community members - we know the facts and we're voting **YES on Measure J.**

Here are the facts:

For over 130 years, Lakeside has provided the children of our community with an exceptional education. Students are excelling in all areas.

Measure J must be used for specific and key academic priorities in our schools: Strong academic programs in math and science, specialized training for teachers and other enrichment programs that prepare students for high school, college and 21st century careers.

Fiscal safeguards are included in Measure J. Seniors are eligible for an exemption. No funds can be taken by the State or used for administrators' salaries. All funds stay local for Lakeside students. The Citizen Oversight Committee will continue to ensure funds are used for voter-approved purposes. Measure J will expire in 10 years and cannot be renewed without voter approval.

By making our neighborhood school and students a priority, all of us benefit. Great schools contribute to strong property values and a thriving community.

Don't be deceived by the opponent’s inaccurate, misleading statements. Take a positive step to protect the outstanding quality of education in our Lakeside Joint School District.
Vote YES on Measure J.

For more information, go to **www.YesforLakeside.com**

Leslie “Les” Niles
School Board Member, Volunteer Firefighter, Retired Engineer

Julie Rohloff
Former Lakeside Parent, Registered Dental Hygienist, Middle School Track and Cross Country Coach, 28 Year Mountain Resident

Sarah Hitchcock-Glover
Registered Nurse, Pre-School Teacher, 26 Year Mountain Resident

Kathleen Nestler
Lakeside Alumni, Lakeside Parent, 40 Year Mountain Resident, Local Non-Profit Director

Impartial analysis of Measure J

Dana McRae, County Counsel
By Jane M. Scott, Assistant County Counsel

If this measure is approved by at least two-thirds of those voting on it, the Lakeside Joint School District ("the School District") will be authorized to levy a special tax on real property.

The tax will be imposed for ten years beginning July 1, 2016, at the rate of $820 per year on each parcel within the School District. The first year it will replace the previously approved parcel tax of $311 in what would have been its final year.

The proceeds of the special tax, if approved, may be applied only to the purposes set out in the full text of Measure J which is printed in this pamphlet. It may not be used for administrators' salaries, benefits or pensions.

In accordance with State law, the measure includes accountability procedures. The School District would create a separate account into which the proceeds of the special tax shall be deposited. An annual written report would show the amount of the special taxes which have been collected and expended, and the status of projects to be funded from those proceeds.

The School District also would maintain a Citizens' Oversight Committee to provide oversight as to the expenditure of parcel tax revenues.

The special parcel tax is to be collected in the same manner as those property taxes which are based upon property value.

Property owners whose property is used solely for owner-occupied, single family residential purposes and who are 65 years of age or older, or who meet other criteria regardless of age, may obtain an exemption from the parcel tax by applying to the School District. Owners who currently receive an exemption from the School District's existing Measure C parcel tax of $311 will not need to file a new application for exemption. The School District may establish procedures to verify the continued qualification of an exemption. Owners of contiguous parcels meeting specified criteria may also apply to the District to have them treated as a single parcel for purposes of the tax.

The School District Board of Trustees proposes to reduce this parcel tax if it should develop that it has an unintended effect of decreasing or offsetting local, state or federal government funding sources that would otherwise be available to the School District.

This measure was placed on the ballot by the Board of Trustees of the Lakeside Joint School District.

A "yes" vote is to approve imposition of the special parcel tax.

A "no" vote is against imposition of the special parcel tax.

Full text of Measure J

LAKESIDE JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Quality Education Funding Measure J

INTRODUCTION AND PURPOSE

To continue funding for core academic programs, provide reliable funding for local schools that cannot be taken by the State, retain quality teachers, and integrate technology to enhance instruction, with no proceeds used for administrators' salaries, benefits and pensions, the Lakeside Joint School District proposes to extend its existing parcel tax for a period of ten years starting on July 1, 2016 at a rate of $820 per parcel per year, with an exemption available for senior citizens and certain disabled persons, and to implement accountability measures, including citizen oversight, to ensure the funds are used to:

- Protect core educational programs including English, math and science
- Provide comprehensive education for all students
- Provide updated computers and learning technology
- Retain high-quality teachers

Proceeds of the parcel tax shall be deposited into a separate account created by the Lakeside Joint School District.

DEFINITION OF "PARCEL"

For purposes of the high quality education parcel tax, the term "Parcel" means any parcel of land which lies wholly or partially within the boundaries of the Lakeside Joint School District, that receives a separate tax bill for *ad valorem* property taxes from the Santa Clara County Tax Collector and Santa Cruz County Tax Collector, as applicable. All property that is otherwise exempt from or upon which are levied no *ad valorem* property taxes in any year shall also be exempt from the quality education parcel tax in such year.

For purposes of this quality education parcel tax, any such “Parcels” which are (i) contiguous, and (ii) used solely for owner-occupied, single-family residential purposes, and (iii) held under identical ownership may, by submitting to the District an application of the owners thereof by June 15 of any year, be treated as a single “parcel” for purposes of the levy of the high quality education parcel tax.

EXEMPTION FOR SENIORS AND SSI RECIPIENTS

Pursuant to California Government Code Section 50079 (b)(1), any owner of a Parcel used solely for owner-occupied, single-family residential purposes and who are either (a) 65 years of age or older on or before June 30 of the fiscal year immediately preceding the year in which the tax would apply, or (b) persons receiving Supplemental Security Income for a disability, regardless of age, or (c) receiving Social Security Disability Insurance benefits, regardless of age, whose yearly income does not exceed 250 percent of the 2012 federal poverty guidelines issued by the United States Department of Health and Human Services, may obtain an exemption from the parcel tax by submitting an application therefore, by June 15 of any year, to the District.

Persons who are owners of Parcels used solely for owner-occupied, single-family residential purposes and currently exempted from the District’s expiring Measure C parcel tax shall automatically be exempted from this Measure without having to file a new application.

The District may establish administrative procedures to periodically verify the continuance of any previously granted exemption.

With respect to all general property tax matters within its jurisdiction, the Santa Clara County Treasurer and Tax Collector and Santa Cruz County Treasurer and Tax Collector, or other appropriate tax officials of such counties, shall make all final determinations of tax exemption or relief for any reason, and that decision shall be final and binding. With respect to matters specific to the levy of the high quality education parcel tax, including any exemptions and the classification of property for purposes of calculating the tax, the decisions of the District shall be final and binding.

REDUCTION IN TAX IF RESULT IS LESS OTHER GOVERNMENT SUPPORT

The collection of the quality education parcel tax is not intended to decrease or offset any increase in local, state or federal government revenue sources that would otherwise be available to the District during the period of the parcel tax. In the event that the levy and collection does have such an effect, the District may cease the levy or shall reduce the parcel tax to the extent that such action would restore the amount of the decrease or offset in other revenues.

ACCOUNTABILITY MEASURES

In accordance with the requirements of California Government Code Sections 50075.1 and 50075.3, the following accountability measures, among others, shall apply to the parcel tax levied in accordance with this Measure: (a) the specific purposes of the parcel tax shall be those purposes identified above; (b) the proceeds of the parcel tax shall be applied only to those specific purposes identified above; (c) a separate, special account shall be created into which the proceeds of the quality education parcel tax must be deposited; and (d) an annual written report shall be made to the Board of Trustees of the District showing (i) the amount of funds collected and expended from the proceeds of the high quality education parcel tax and (ii) the status of any projects or programs required or authorized to be funded from the proceeds of the parcel tax, as identified above. In addition to the accountability measures required by law, the District will maintain its existing Citizens’ Oversight Committee to provide oversight as to the expenditure of parcel tax revenues.

Dates to remember

May 2016

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May 9
First day to vote by mail

May 23
Last day to register to vote

May 31
Last day to request a vote-by-mail ballot

June 2016

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June 7
Election Day
Polls are open 7am to 8pm

Find your polling place online at **www.votescount.com** or check the back cover of your County Voter Information Guide.

S Community Facilities District library bond

Ballot question

To modernize, upgrade and repair local libraries in Santa Cruz, Aptos, Live Oak, Scotts Valley, Boulder Creek, Capitola, Felton and La Selva Beach -- replace failing roofs, outdated bathrooms, electrical systems/ structurally damaged facilities; support growing use by children, seniors, veterans and others; expand access to modern technology; and construct/ expand facilities where necessary; shall Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority issue $67,000,000 in bonds for Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority Community Facilities District No. 2016-1; levy a special tax annually on parcels within the Community Facilities District; establish an initial appropriations limit; and assure mandatory accountability?

Pregunta de boleta

A fin de modernizar, actualizar y repara las bibliotecas locales en Santa Cruz, Aptos, Live Oak, Scotts Valley, Boulder Creek, Capitola, Felton y La Selva Beach - reemplazar techos deteriorados, baños obsoletos, sistemas eléctricos/ establecimientos estructuralmente dañados; apoyar el aumento en el uso por parte de niños, personas mayores, veteranos y otros; ampliar el acceso a la tecnología moderna; y construir/ampliar establecimientos donde fuera necesario; ¿debe la Autoridad de Financiamiento para Establecimientos de Bibliotecas de Santa Cruz emitir $67,000,000 en bonos para el Distrito No. 2016-1 de Establecimientos Comunitarios de la Autoridad de Financiamiento para Establecimientos de Bibliotecas de Santa Cruz; establecer un límite inicial de apropiaciones; y asegurar la rendición de cuentas obligatoria?

What your vote means

YES	NO
A "Yes" vote is a vote to authorize the bonds to be issued and to levy special taxes on real property.	A "No" vote is a vote against issuing the proposed bonds and levying the special tax.

For and against Measure S

FOR	AGAINST
Jim Hart Santa Cruz County Sheriff’s Office **Mary Lou Goeke** United Way of Santa Cruz County **Michael C. Watkins** Santa Cruz County Superintendent of Schools **Hilary Bryant** Former Santa Cruz Mayor, CMO Calliope Waterworks **Bruce McPherson** Santa Cruz County Supervisor	**No argument against was filed.**

Local ballot measure: S

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Argument for Measure S

Vote YES on S to strengthen our local libraries – a vital community resource for students, seniors, young children, veterans and community members of all ages.

Measure S funds critical repairs and upgrades to support a steady increase in library usage and bring all ten branches up to 21st century standards.

Expanded computer and Internet access is crucial for those who don't have access at home or work. Many students and low- income residents come to our libraries for schoolwork, to stay informed or apply for jobs, yet several local libraries have 50- year- old wiring that is completely inadequate for modern technology.

Additionally, many roofs are worn out, leaky and in serious need of replacement. Library materials have been ruined and some roofs are over 50 years old. Other branches have failing plumbing or antiquated heaters. One building dates from 1893, unsuitable for modern use; another operates in temporary modular units.

Vote YES on S to provide locally controlled funding to strengthen our local libraries.

- Upgrade outdated and inadequate electrical wiring
- Replace worn out, leaky roofs
- Improve spaces for programs serving all ages: students, seniors, young children, and community groups
- Ensure fully accessible libraries and programs

Our libraries offer safe places for local students after school, including homework and tutoring centers. Many seniors and people on fixed incomes rely on our extensive collection of books, media and online resources. Programs like story time and computer instruction are popular with young children and their families. Measure S improves library facilities for all these programs.

Measure S includes mandatory fiscal accountability provisions to ensure all funds are spent as described.

Join us in strengthening our local libraries – vital resources for community members of all ages in Santa Cruz, Aptos, Live Oak, Scotts Valley, Boulder Creek, Capitola, Felton and La Selva Beach. **Please vote YES on S.**

Jim Hart
Santa Cruz County Sheriff's Office

Mary Lou Goeke
United Way of Santa Cruz County

Michael C. Watkins
Santa Cruz County Superintendent of Schools

Hilary Bryant
Former Santa Cruz Mayor, CMO Calliope Waterworks

Bruce McPherson
Santa Cruz County Supervisor

No argument against Measure S was filed.

Impartial analysis of Measure S

Dana McRae, County Counsel
By Jane M. Scott, Assistant County Counsel

If approved by at least two-thirds of those voting on the measure, this measure will authorize the Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority ("the Authority") to issue bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding $67,000,000.

The measure will also authorize a special tax on real property.

The Authority has formed the "Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority Community Facilities District No. 2016-1" ("the CFD") pursuant to State law for the purpose of financing or funding library facilities, as described in the ballot question and the Resolutions printed in this ballot pamphlet.

All developed parcels of real property within the boundaries of the CFD will be taxed to pay the interest and principal on the bonds which are issued for those purposes.

The annual special tax will be set at a maximum flat rate of $49.50 for single family residential properties or per unit of a multi-family residential property, and $86.00 for commercial, agricultural or recreational parcels. An owner may appeal the amount or application of the special tax if the owner claims it is incorrect, by filing a written appeal with the District Administrator.

The special tax will be levied for a period not to exceed thirty years commencing with fiscal year 2016-17. It will be collected in the same manner as ad valorem property taxes, unless the CFD collects it in a different manner as necessary to meet its financial obligations.

The bonds will constitute an indebtedness of the CFD. The interest paid on the bonds will be limited by State law, and their terms will be limited to thirty years from issuance.

Accountability requirements carried out under State law are to ensure that the tax proceeds are applied only to the purposes identified by the ballot measure. The measure also establishes a legal appropriations limit which authorizes the CFD to spend the monies raised.

This measure was placed on the ballot by the Board of the Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority.

A "yes" vote on Measure S is a vote to authorize the bonds to be issued and to levy special taxes on real property.

A "no" vote on Measure S is a vote against issuing the proposed bonds and levying the special tax.

Fiscal impact statement of Measure S

Edith Driscoll, County Auditor-Controller-Treasurer-Tax Collector

This measure would levy a Special Tax for Public Library purposes.

Special Tax proceeds are to be used for purposes of and relating to modernizing, upgrading and repairing local libraries in County of Santa Cruz, including but not limited to Aptos, Boulder Creek, Branciforte, Capitola, Downtown Santa Cruz, Felton, Garfield Park, La Selva Beach, Live Oak and Scotts Valley, but excluding library facilities in the City of Watsonville. This shall include, without limitation, new construction, building renovations and service model upgrades such as separate areas for teens and children, flexible spaces and/or meeting rooms and study rooms, flooring, painting, shelving, furniture, technology, and power/data to support other upgrades.

Fiscal Effect

Measure S will authorize issuance of bonds up to $67,000,000 to finance costs related to the support and construction of the Public Library improvements described above. The Special Tax is expected to generate approximately $4,150,000 annually to finance the necessary direct costs and debt payments. Some Public Library improvements may be funded on a pay-as-you go basis from Special Taxes and not from bond proceeds.

The maximum annual Special Tax will not exceed (1) $49.50 per parcel for a single-family residential parcel, (2) $49.50 per each unit for multi-family residential, (3) $86.00 per parcel for agricultural, commercial or recreational parcels, or (4) for parcels with multiple uses, the sum of the maximum annual Special Taxes. All real property within the boundaries of the Community Facilities District, unless exempted by law or other provisions, shall be taxed.

The Special Tax is authorized to be levied for a period not to exceed 30 years commencing with the 2016-17 fiscal year. A pre-payment option is available to property owners. The proposed Special Tax does not replace any existing taxes or charges.

Distribution and Accountability of Funds

Net Special Taxes and net bond proceeds will be apportioned as follows: City of Scotts Valley 4.84%, City of Capitola 12.90%, City of Santa Cruz 40.32%, and County of Santa Cruz 41.94%. Each party will be responsible for overseeing the Public Library improvements within its own jurisdiction. Each party shall deposit and track the funds in a separate account which will be subject to an annual independent audit.

As per Government Code, The chief fiscal officer shall file a report with the governing body annually, reporting on the amount of funds collected and expended and the status of any projects required or authorized to be funded.

Tax Rate Statement Bond Measure S

RATE AND METHOD OF APPORTIONMENT FOR
SANTA CRUZ LIBRARIES FACILITIES FINANCING AUTHORITY
COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 2016-1

A Special Tax as hereinafter defined shall be levied on all Assessor's Parcels of Taxable Property within the Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority's Community Facilities District No. 2016-1 ("CFD No. 2016-1") and collected each Fiscal Year commencing in Fiscal Year 2016/17, in an amount determined by the Board of Directors of the Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority or its designee, through the application of the Rate and Method of Apportionment as described below. All of the real property in CFD No. 2016-1, unless exempted by law or by the provisions hereof, shall be taxed for the purposes, to the extent and in the manner herein provided.

A. DEFINITIONS

The terms hereinafter set forth have the following meanings:

"Act" means the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982, as amended, being Chapter 2.5, Division 2 of Title 5 of the Government Code of the State.

"Administrative Expenses" means the actual or reasonably estimated costs directly related to the administration of CFD No. 2016-1; including, without limitation: the costs of computing the Special Taxes and preparing the annual Special Tax collection schedules (whether by the Authority or designee thereof or both); the costs of collecting the Special Taxes (whether by the County or otherwise); the costs of remitting the Special Taxes to the Trustee; the costs of the Trustee (including its legal counsel) in the discharge of the duties required of it under the Indenture; the costs to the Authority, CFD No. 2016-1 or any designee thereof of complying with arbitrage rebate requirements; the costs to the Authority, CFD No. 2016-1 or any designee thereof of complying with disclosure requirements under applicable federal and state securities laws and of the Act; the costs associated with preparing Special Tax disclosure statements and responding to public inquiries regarding the Special Taxes; the costs of the Authority, CFD No. 2016-1 or any designee thereof related to any appeal of the Special Tax; the costs associated with the release of funds from any escrow account; and the Authority's annual administration fees and third party expenses. Administrative Expenses shall also include amounts estimated or advanced by the Authority or CFD No. 2016-1 for any other administrative purposes of CFD No. 2016-1, including attorney's fees and other costs related to commencing and pursuing to completion any foreclosure of delinquent Special Taxes.

"Agricultural Property" means all Assessor's Parcels of Developed Property used for farming or agriculture. Typical County Use Codes include: 410, 411, 412, 420,421, 422, 430, 431,432,450, 451, 452, 470, 480, and 490.

"Assessor's Data" means Acreage, Use Code, Building Square Footage, or other information regarding Assessor's Parcels contained in the records of the County Assessor.

"Assessor's Parcel" means a lot or parcel shown in an Assessor's Parcel Map with an assigned Assessor's Parcel number.

"Assessor's Parcel Map" means an official map of the County Assessor of the County designating parcels by Assessor's Parcel number.

"Authority" means the Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority.

"Board" means the Board of Directors of the Authority, acting as the legislative body of CFD No. 2016-1.

"CFD Administrator" means an official of the Authority, or designee thereof, responsible for determining the Special Tax Requirement, and providing for the levy and collection of the Special Taxes.

"CFD No. 2016-1" means Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority Community Facilities District No. 2016-1.

"CFD No. 2016-1 Bonds" means any bonds or other debt (as defined in Section 53317(d) of the Act), whether in one or more series, issued by the Authority for CFD No. 2016-1 under the Act.

"Commercial Property" means all Assessor's Parcels of Developed Property used for hotels, stores, shopping centers, offices, restaurants, banks, nurseries, manufacturing, warehousing, food/mineral processing and industry. Typical County Use Codes include: 070, 071, 072, 074, 080, 083, 085, 116, 120, 121, 122, 123, 131, 140, 150, 151, 152, 153, 160, 161, 170, 171, 172, 173, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 190, 191, 192, 200, 201, 202, 210, 211, 220, 221, 222, 223, 230, 231, 232, 250, 251, 260, 261, 262, 310, 320, 321, 322, 323, 330, 331, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 360, and361.

"County" means the County of Santa Cruz.

"Developed Property" means for each Fiscal Year, all Taxable Property, exclusive of Taxable Public Property, for which the County has assigned a Use Code indicating residential, commercial, agricultural, or recreational use which are not vacant. Agricultural property used for farming is considered Developed Property even if there is no structure on the property.

"Fiscal Year" means the period starting July 1 and ending on the following June 30.

"Homeowner's Exemption" means the $7,000 assessed value exemption granted for Assessor's Parcels owned and occupied by an owner as their principal residence.

"Indenture" means the indenture, fiscal agent agreement, resolution or other instrument pursuant to which CFD No. 2016-1 Bonds are issued, as modified, amended and/or supplemented from time to time.

"Maximum Special Tax" means the Maximum Special Tax determined in accordance with Section C below, that can be levied in any Fiscal Year on any Assessor's Parcel of Taxable Property.

"Multi Family Residential Property" means all Assessor's Parcels of Developed Property with one or more residential structures intended for more than one dwelling unit. Multi Family Residential also includes mobiles homes, condos and townhomes. Typical County Use Codes include: 021,025, 027, 030, 032, 033, 034, 041, 042, 043, 044, 045, 046, 100, 101, 103, and 104.

"Outstanding Bonds" means all CFD No. 2016-1 Bonds which are outstanding under an Indenture.

"Proportionately" means, for Developed Property, that the ratio of the actual Special Tax levy to the Maximum Special Tax is equal for all Assessor's Parcels of Developed Property respectively. The term "Proportionately" may similarly be applied to other categories of Taxable Property as listed in Section C below

"Public Property" means property within the boundaries of CFD No. 2016-1 owned by, irrevocably offered or dedicated to, or for which an easement for purposes of public right-of-way has been granted to the federal government, the State, the County, the Authority, or any local government or other public agency, provided that any property leased by a public agency to a private entity and subject to taxation under Section 53340.1 of the Act shall be classified as Taxable Property, taxed, and classified according to its use.

"Recreational Property" means all Assessor's Parcels of Developed Property used for amusements, sports activities, clubs, camps and conference facilities. Typical County Use Codes include: 600, 601, 602, 603, 610, 611,612, 613, 614, 615, 620, 621,622, 631, and 633.

"Single Family Residential Property" means all Assessor's Parcels of Developed Property with a residential structure intended for a single dwelling unit. Typical County Use Codes include: 016, 020, 023, 024, 026, 028, 029, 031, 060, 061, 062, 063,064, 065, 067, and 068.

"Special Tax" means the special tax to be levied in each Fiscal Year on each Assessor's Parcel of Taxable Property within CFD No. 2016-1 to fund the Special Tax Requirement.

"Special Tax Requirement" means that amount required in any Fiscal Year for CFD No. 2016-1 to: (i) pay debt service on all Outstanding Bonds which is due in the calendar year that commences in such Fiscal Year; (ii) pay periodic costs on the CFD No. 2016-1 Bonds, including but not limited to, rebate payments on the CFD No. 2016-1 Bonds; (iii) pay Administrative Expenses; (iv) pay any amounts required to establish or replenish any reserve funds for all Outstanding Bonds; (v) pay directly for acquisition or construction of CFD No. 2016-1 facilities eligible to be funded by CFD No. 2016-1 under the Act; (vi) pay for reasonably anticipated Special Tax delinquencies based on the delinquency rate for the Special Tax levy in the previous Fiscal Year; (vii) pay for the accumulation of funds reasonably required for future debt service; (viii) pay lease payments for existing or future facilities; (ix) pay costs associated with the release of funds from an escrow account; less (x) a credit for funds available, if any, to reduce the annual Special Tax levy, as determined by the CFD Administrator.

"State" means the State of California.

"Taxable Property" means all of the Assessor's Parcels within the boundaries of CFD No. 2016-1 which are not exempt from the Special Tax pursuant to law or Section E below.

"Taxable Public Property" means all Assessor's Parcels of Public Property that are not exempt pursuant to Section E below.

"Trustee" means the trustee or fiscal agent under the Indenture.

"Undeveloped Property" means, for each Fiscal Year, all Taxable Property not classified as Developed Property or Taxable Public Property. Typical County Use Codes include: 010, 011, 015, 040, 050, 051, 052, 053, 054, 055, 056, 057, 058,059, 05A, 05B, 05C, 05D, 05E, 05F, 05G, 05H, 090, 091, 092, 093, 110, 115, 116, 300, 301, 500, 501, 505, 510, 511, 515, 520, 521, 525, 530,531, 535, 540, 541, and 545.

B. ASSIGNMENT TO LAND USE CATEGORIES

Each Fiscal Year, all Assessor's Parcels of Taxable Property within CFD No. 2016-1 shall be classified as Developed Property, Taxable Public Property, or Undeveloped Property, and all Assessor's Parcels of Developed Property and Taxable Public Property shall be assigned to a Property Type in accordance with Table 1 below and shall be subject to Special Taxes in accordance with the rate and method of apportionment determined pursuant to Sections C and D below.

C. MAXIMUM SPECIAL TAX

a. Developed Property and Taxable Public Property

(1). Maximum Special Tax

The Maximum Special Tax that may be levied in any Fiscal Year for each Assessor's Parcel is shown in Table 1.

TABLE 1

Maximum Special Tax for Developed Property in CFD No. 2016-1 in any Fiscal Year

Property Type	Per	Maximum Special Tax
Single Family Residential	Unit	$49.50
Multi Family Residential	Unit	49.50
Agricultural	Parcel	86.00
Commercial	Parcel	86.00
Recreational	Parcel	86.00

(2). Multiple Property Types

In some instances, an Assessor's Parcel of Developed Property may contain more than one property type/use. The Maximum Special Tax levied on an Assessor's Parcel shall be the sum of the Maximum Special Tax for all property uses located on that Assessor's Parcel.

D. METHOD OF APPORTIONMENT OF THE SPECIAL TAX

Commencing with Fiscal Year 2016/17and for each following Fiscal Year, the Board or its designee shall determine the Special Tax Requirement and shall levy the Special Tax until the total Special Tax levy equals the Special Tax Requirement. The Special Tax shall be levied each Fiscal Year as follows:

Step 1: The Special Tax shall be levied on each Assessor's Parcel of Developed Property, Proportionately, up to 100% of the Maximum Special Tax to satisfy the Special Tax Requirement.

Notwithstanding the above the Board may, in any Fiscal year, levy Proportionately less than 100% of the Maximum Special Tax in step one (above), when (i) the Board is no longer required to levy the Special Tax at 100% in order to meet the Special Tax Requirement, and (ii) all authorized CFD No. 2016-1 Bonds have already been issued or the Board has covenanted that it will not issue any additional CFD No. 2016-1 Bonds (except refunding Bonds) to be supported by the Special Tax.

Further, notwithstanding the above, under no circumstances will the Special Tax levied against any Assessor's Parcel of Residential Property for which an occupancy permit for private residential use has been issued be increased by more than ten percent as a consequence of delinquency or default by the owner of any other Assessor's Parcel within CFD No. 2016-1.

E. EXEMPTIONS

No Special Tax shall be levied on Public Property and Undeveloped Property. However, should an Assessor's Parcel no longer be classified as Public Property or Undeveloped Property its tax- exempt status will be revoked. In the case of Public Property and pursuant to Section 53317.3 of the Act, if property not otherwise exempt from the Special Tax levied pursuant to this chapter is acquired by a public entity through a negotiated transaction, or by gift or devise, the special tax shall, notwithstanding Section 53340, continue to be levied on the property acquired and shall be enforceable against the public entity that acquired the property. However, the public agency that acquires the property may prepay and satisfy the obligation to pay the tax pursuant to Section H below.

Taxable Public Property shall be subject to the levy of the Special Tax, assigned to a Property Type in accordance with the use of the property, and shall be taxed Proportionately as part of the first step in Section D above, at up to 100% of the applicable Maximum Special Tax.

F. APPEALS AND INTERPRETATIONS

Any property owner may file a written appeal of the Special Tax with the CFD Administrator claiming that the amount or application of the Special Tax is not correct. The appeal must be filed not later than the June 30th of the Fiscal Year in which the Special Tax is due and the appellant must be current in all payments of Special Taxes. In addition, during the term of the appeal process, all Special Taxes levied must be paid on or before the payment date established when the levy was made.

The appeal must specify the reasons why the appellant claims the Special Tax is in error. The CFD Administrator shall review the appeal, meet with the appellant if the CFD Administrator deems necessary, and advise the appellant of its determination.

If the property owner disagrees with the CFD Administrator's decision relative to the appeal, the owner may then file a written appeal with the Board whose subsequent decision shall be final and binding on all interested parties. If the decision of the CFD Administrator or subsequent decision by the Board requires the Special Tax to be modified or changed in favor of the property owner, no cash refund shall be made for prior years' Special Taxes, but an adjustment shall be made to credit future Special Tax levy (ies).

This procedure shall be exclusive and its exhaustion by any property owner shall be a condition precedent to filing any legal action by such owner.

G. MANNER OF COLLECTION

The Special Tax will be collected in the same manner and at the same time as ordinary ad valorem property taxes; provided, however, that CFD No. 2016-1 may directly bill the Special Tax, may collect Special Taxes at a different time or in a different manner if necessary to meet its financial obligations, and may covenant to foreclose and may actually foreclose on delinquent Assessor's Parcels as permitted by the Act.

H. PREPAYMENT OF SPECIAL TAX

The following definition applies to this Section H:

"CFD Public Facilities" means either $78,100,000 in 2016 dollars, which shall increase by the Construction Inflation Index on July 1, 2017, and on each July 1 thereafter, or such lower number as (i) shall be determined by the CFD Administrator as sufficient to provide the public facilities to be provided by CFD No. 2016-1 under the authorized bonding program for CFD No. 2016-1, or (ii) shall be determined by the Board concurrently with a covenant that it will not issue any more CFD No. 2016-1 Bonds to be supported by Special Taxes levied under this Rate and Method of Apportionment as described in Section D.

"Construction Fund" means an account specifically identified in the Indenture to hold funds which are currently available for expenditure to acquire or construct public facilities eligible to be funded by CFD No. 2016-1 under the Act.

"Construction Inflation Index" means the annual percentage change in the April to April Engineering News-Record Building Cost Index for San Francisco, measured as of the calendar year which ends in the previous Fiscal Year. In the event this index ceases to be published, the Construction Inflation Index shall be another index as determined by the CFD Administrator that is reasonably comparable to the April to April Engineering News-Record Building Cost Index for San Francisco.

"Future Facilities Costs" means the CFD Public Facilities minus (i) public facility costs previously paid from the Construction Fund, (ii) moneys currently on deposit in the Construction Fund, and (iii) moneys currently on deposit in an escrow fund that are expected to be available to finance facilities costs.

"Outstanding Bonds" means all Previously Issued Bonds which are deemed to be outstanding under the Indenture after the first interest and/or principal payment date following the current Fiscal Year.

"Previously Issued Bonds" means all CFD No. 2016-1 Bonds that have been issued by CFD No.2016-1 prior to the date of prepayment.

1. Prepayment in Full

The obligation of an Assessor's Parcel to pay the Special Tax may be prepaid and permanently satisfied as described herein; provided that a prepayment may be made after at least one series of CFD No. 2016-1 Bonds has been issued and only for Assessor's Parcels of Developed Property or Undeveloped Property for which a Final Subdivision has been recorded prior to January 1 of the prior Fiscal Year, and only if there are no delinquent Special Taxes with respect to such Assessor's Parcel at the time of prepayment. An owner of an Assessor's Parcel intending to prepay the Special Tax obligation shall provide the CFD Administrator with written notice of intent to prepay. Within 30 days of receipt of such written notice, the CFD Administrator shall notify such owner of the prepayment amount of such Assessor's Parcel. The

CFD Administrator may charge a fee for providing this service. Prepayment in any six month period must be made not less than 45 days prior to the next occurring date that notice of redemption of CFD No. 2016-1 Bonds from the proceeds of such prepayment may be given to the Trustee pursuant to the Indenture.

The Special Tax Prepayment Amount (defined below) shall be calculated as summarized below (capitalized terms as defined below):

Bond Redemption Amount		
	plus	Redemption Premium
	plus	Future Facilities Amount
	plus	Defeasance Amount
	plus	Administrative Fees and Expenses
	less	Reserve Fund Credit
Total:	equals	Prepayment Amount

As of the proposed date of prepayment, the Special Tax Prepayment Amount (defined below) shall be calculated by the CFD Administrator as follows:

Paragraph No.:

1. Confirm that no Special Tax delinquencies apply to such Assessor's Parcel.

2. For Assessor's Parcels of Developed Property, compute the Maximum Special Tax applicable for the Assessor's Parcel to be prepaid.

3. Divide the Maximum Special Tax computed pursuant to paragraph 2 by the total estimated Maximum Special Tax for CFD No. 2016-1 based on the Developed Property Special Tax which could be charged in the current Fiscal Year, excluding any Assessor's Parcels which have been prepaid, and

4. Multiply the quotient computed pursuant to paragraph 3 by the Outstanding Bonds to compute the amount of Outstanding Bonds to be retired and prepaid (the "Bond Redemption Amount").

5. Multiply the Bond Redemption Amount computed pursuant to paragraph 4 by the applicable redemption premium (e.g., the redemption price-100%), if any, on the Outstanding Bonds to be redeemed (the "Redemption Premium").

6. Compute the current Future Facilities Costs

7. Multiply the larger quotient computed pursuant to paragraph 3(a) or 3(b) by the amount determined pursuant to paragraph 6 to compute the amount of Future Facilities Costs to be prepaid (the "Future Facilities Amount").

8. Compute the amount needed to pay interest on the Bond Redemption Amount from the first bond interest and/or principal payment date following the current Fiscal Year until the earliest redemption date for the Outstanding Bonds.

9. Determine the Special Tax levied on the Assessor's Parcel in the current Fiscal Year which has not yet been paid.

10. Add the amounts computed pursuant to paragraphs 8 and 9 to determine the "Defeasance Amount".

11. Verify the administrative fees and expenses of CFD No. 2016-1, including the costs of computation of the prepayment, the costs to invest the prepayment proceeds, the costs of redeeming CFD No.2016-1 Bonds, and the costs of recording any notices to evidence the prepayment and the redemption (the "Administrative Fees and Expenses").

12. If reserve funds for the Outstanding Bonds, if any, are at or above 100% of the reserve requirement (as defined in the Indenture) on the prepayment date, a reserve fund credit shall be calculated as a reduction in the applicable reserve fund for the Outstanding Bonds to be redeemed pursuant to the prepayment (the "Reserve Fund Credit"). No Reserve Fund Credit shall be granted if reserve funds are below 100% of the reserve requirement on the prepayment date or the redemption date.

13. The Special Tax prepayment is equal to the sum of the amounts computed pursuant to paragraphs 4, 5, 7, 10 and 11, less the amount computed pursuant to paragraph 12 (the "Prepayment Amount").

14. From the Prepayment Amount, the amounts computed pursuant to paragraphs 4, 5, 10 and 12 shall be deposited into the appropriate fund as established under the Indenture and be used to retire Outstanding Bonds or make debt service payments. The amount computed pursuant to paragraph 7 shall be deposited into the Construction Fund. The amount computed pursuant to paragraph 11 shall be retained by CFD No. 2016-1.

The Special Tax Prepayment Amount may be sufficient to redeem other than a $5,000 increment of CFD No. 2016-1 Bonds. In such cases, the increment above $5,000 or integral multiple thereof will be retained in the appropriate fund established under the Indenture to be used with the next prepayment of CFD No. 2016-1 Bonds or to make debt service payments.

As a result of the payment of the current Fiscal Year's Special Tax levy as determined under paragraph 9 (above), the CFD Administrator shall remove the current Fiscal Year's Special Tax levy for such Assessor's Parcel from the County tax rolls. With respect to any Assessor's Parcel that is prepaid, the CFD Administrator shall cause a suitable notice to be recorded in compliance with the Act, to indicate the prepayment of the Special Tax and the obligation of such Assessor's Parcel to pay the Special Tax shall cease.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, no Special Tax prepayment shall be allowed unless the amount of Maximum Special Tax that may be levied on Taxable Property within CFD No. 2016-1 both prior to and after the proposed prepayment is at least 1.1 times the maximum annual debt service on all Outstanding CFD No. 2016-1 Bonds.

2. Prepayment in Part

The Special Tax may be partially prepaid, provided that a partial prepayment may be made after at least one series of CFD No. 2016-1 Bonds has been issued and only for Assessor's Parcels of Developed Property, and only if there are no delinquent Special Taxes with respect to such Assessor's Parcel at the time of partial prepayment. The amount of the prepayment shall be calculated as in Section H.1; except that a partial prepayment shall be calculated by the CFD Administrator according to the following formula:

$PP = P_E \times F$.

These terms have the following meaning:

PP = the partial prepayment

P_E = the Special Tax Prepayment Amount calculated according to Section H.1

F = the percentage by which the owner of the Assessor's Parcel(s) is partially prepaying the Special Tax.

The Special Tax partial prepayment amount must be sufficient to redeem at least a $5,000 increment of Bonds.

The owner of any Assessor's Parcel who desires such prepayment shall notify the CFD Administrator of such owner's intent to partially prepay the Special Tax and the percentage by which the Special Tax shall be prepaid. The CFD Administrator shall provide the owner with a statement of the amount required for the partial prepayment of the Special Tax for an Assessor's Parcel within thirty (30) days of the request and may charge a fee for providing this service. With respect to any Assessor's Parcel that is partially prepaid, the CFD Administrator shall (i) distribute the prepayment funds remitted according to Section H.1, and (ii) indicate in the records of CFD No. 2016-1 that there has been a partial prepayment of the Special Tax and that a portion of the Special Tax with respect to such Assessor's Parcel, equal to the outstanding percentage (1.00 -F) of the remaining Maximum Special Tax , shall continue to be levied on such Assessor's Parcel pursuant to Section D.

I. TERM OF SPECIAL TAX

The Special Tax shall be levied for a period not to exceed 30 years commencing with Fiscal Year2016/17

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RESOLUTION NO. 2016-001

RESOLUTION OF FORMATION OF COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT

SANTA CRUZ LIBRARIES FACILITIES FINANCING AUTHORITY
Community Facilities District No. 2016-1

WHEREAS, on December 17, 2015, this Board (the "Board") of the Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority (the "Authority") adopted a resolution entitled "Resolution of Intention to Establish a Community Facilities District" (the "Resolution of Intention"), stating its intention to form the "Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority Community Facilities District No. 2016-1" (the "CFD"), pursuant to the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982, as amended, Chapter 2.5 of Part 1 of Division 2 of Title 5, commencing with Section 53311, of the California Government Code (the "Act");

WHEREAS, the Resolution of Intention, incorporating a map of the proposed boundaries of the CFD and stating the facilities to be provided (as set forth in the list attached hereto as Exhibit A), and the rate and method of apportionment of the special tax to be levied within the CFD to pay the principal and interest on bonds proposed to be issued with respect to the CFD, is on file with the Secretary of the Authority and the provisions thereof are incorporated herein by this reference as if fully set forth herein;

WHEREAS, on this date, this Board held a noticed public hearing as required by the Act and the Resolution of Intention relative to the proposed formation of the CFD;

WHEREAS, at the hearing all interested persons desiring to be heard on all matters pertaining to the formation of the CFD, the facilities to be provided therein, and the levy of said special tax were heard and a full and fair hearing was held;

WHEREAS, at the hearing evidence was presented to this Board on said matters before it, including a report caused to be prepared by the Executive Director (the "Report") as to the facilities to be provided through the CFD and the costs thereof, a copy of which is on file with the Secretary of the Authority, and this Board at the conclusion of said hearing is fully advised in the premises; and

WHEREAS, written protests with respect to the formation of the CFD, the furnishing of specified types of facilities and the rate and method of apportionment of the special taxes have not been filed with the Secretary of the Authority by 50% or more of the registered voters residing within the territory of the CFD or property owners of one-half or more of the area of land within the CFD and not exempt from the proposed special tax.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, by the Board of the Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority, as follows:

1. Recitals Correct. The foregoing recitals are true and correct.

2. No Majority Protest. The proposed special tax to be levied within the CFD has not been precluded by majority protest pursuant to section 53324 of the Act.

3. Prior Proceedings Valid. All prior proceedings taken by this Board in connection with the establishment of the CFD and the levy of the special tax have been duly considered and are hereby found and determined to be valid and in conformity with the Act.

4. Name of CFD. The community facilities district designated the "Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority Community Facilities District No. 2016-1" is hereby established pursuant to the Act.

5. Boundaries of CFD. The boundaries of the CFD, as set forth in the map of the CFD heretofore recorded in the Santa Cruz County Recorder's Office on January 12, 2016, in Volume 17 of Maps of Assessment and Community Facilities Districts at Page 24, as Instrument No. 20160001073, are hereby approved, are incorporated herein by reference and shall be the boundaries of the CFD.

6. Description of Facilities. The type of public facilities proposed to be financed by the CFD and pursuant to the Act shall consist of those items listed as facilities in Exhibit A hereto and by this reference incorporated herein (the "Facilities").

7. Special Tax.

a. Except to the extent that funds are otherwise available to the CFD to pay for the Facilities, and/or the principal and interest as it becomes due on bonds of the CFD issued to finance the Facilities, a special tax (the "Special Tax") sufficient to pay the costs thereof, secured by the recordation of a continuing lien against all non-exempt real property in the CFD, is intended to be levied annually within the CFD, and collected in the same manner as ordinary ad valorem property taxes or in such other manner as may be prescribed by this Board.

b. The proposed rate and method of apportionment of the Special Tax among the parcels of real property within the CFD, in sufficient detail to allow each landowner within the proposed CFD to estimate the maximum amount such owner will have to pay, with certain minor revisions and clarifications from the version attached to the Resolution of Intention, are shown in Exhibit B attached hereto and hereby incorporated herein (the "Rate and Method").

In the case of the Special Tax when it is levied on any parcel used for private residential purposes to pay for the Facilities, the Special Tax shall not be levied in the CFD after the final tax year specified in the Rate and Method, except that a Special Tax that was lawfully levied in or before the final tax year and that remains delinquent may be collected in subsequent years. Under no circumstances shall the Special Tax levied against any parcel in the CFD to pay for the Facilities and used for private residential purposes be increased as a consequence of delinquency or default by the owner of any other parcel or parcels within the CFD by more than 10% above the amount that would have been levied in that fiscal year had there never been any such delinquencies or defaults.

8. Responsible Official. The Interim Executive Director of the Authority, 117 Union Street, Santa Cruz CA 95060, telephone: 831-427-7700, is the officer of the Authority who will be responsible for preparing annually a current roll of special tax levy obligations by assessor's parcel number and who will be responsible for estimating future special tax levies pursuant to the Act.

9. Tax Lien. Upon recordation of a notice of special tax lien pursuant to Section 3114.5 of the Streets and Highways Code of California, a continuing lien to secure each levy of the special tax shall attach to all nonexempt real property in the CFD and this lien shall continue in force and effect until the special tax obligation is prepaid and permanently satisfied and the lien canceled in accordance with law or until collection of the tax by the Authority ceases.

10. Appropriations Limit. In accordance with the Act, the annual appropriations limit, as defined by subdivision (h) of Section 8 of Article XIII B of the California Constitution, of the CFD is hereby preliminarily established at $67,000,000, and said appropriations limit shall be submitted to the voters of the CFD as hereafter provided. The proposition establishing said annual appropriations limit shall become effective if approved by the qualified electors voting thereon and shall be adjusted in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Act.

11. Election. Under the Act, the proposition of the levy of the special tax and the proposition of the establishment of the appropriations limit specified above shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the CFD at an election. The time, place and conditions of the election shall be as specified by a separate resolution of this Board.

12. Effective Date. This resolution shall be effective upon its adoption by the Board.

EXHIBIT A

SANTA CRUZ LIBRARIES FACILITIES FINANCING AUTHORITY
Community Facilities District No. 2016-1

DESCRIPTION OF FACILITIES TO BE FINANCED BY THE CFD

The types of Facilities proposed to be financed or funded in whole or in part by the Community Facilities District No. 2016-1 (the "CFD") of the Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority (the "Authority") under the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982, as amended (the "Act") are as follows:

The Facilities means library facilities in the County of Santa Cruz, including but not limited to Aptos, Boulder Creek, Branciforte, Capitola, Downtown Santa Cruz, Felton, Garfield Park, La Selva Beach, Live Oak and Scotts Valley, but excluding library facilities in the City of Watsonville. The Facilities shall include any of the following: new construction, building renovations and service model upgrades needed to provide service desks, an area for displaying materials, separate areas for teens and children, flexible spaces and/or meeting rooms and study rooms, places to display art, new flooring, paint, shelving, furniture and technology, power/data to support library technology, and other upgrades.

The Facilities shall also include, without limitation, the attributable costs of engineering, design, planning, materials testing, coordination, construction staking, and construction, together with the expenses related to issuance and sale of any "debt", as defined in Section 53317(d) of the Act, including underwriters' discount, appraisals, market studies, reserve fund, capitalized interest, bond counsel, special tax consultant, financial advisor, bond and official statement printing, administrative expenses of the Authority, the CFD and bond trustee or fiscal agent related to the CFD, and any such debt and all other incidental expenses. The Facilities shall be constructed or modified, upgraded or otherwise renovated, whether or not acquired in their completed states, pursuant to plans and specifications approved by the Parties to the Authority's Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement.

The Facilities listed in this Exhibit A are representative of the types of improvements to be furnished by the CFD. Detailed scope and limits of specific projects will be determined as appropriate by the Parties. Addition, deletion or modification of descriptions of Facilities may be made consistent with the requirements of the Authority, the CFD and the Act.

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-002

RESOLUTION DETERMINING NECESSITY TO INCUR BONDED AND OTHER INDEBTEDNESS

SANTA CRUZ LIBRARIES FACILITIES FINANCING AUTHORITY
Community Facilities District No. 2016-1

WHEREAS, on December 17, 2015, this Board (the "Board") of the Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority (the "Authority") adopted a resolution entitled "Resolution of Intention to Establish a Community Facilities District" (the "Resolution of Intention"), stating its intention to form the "Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority Community Facilities District No. 2016-1" (the "CFD"), pursuant to the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982, as amended, Chapter 2.5 of Part 1 of Division 2 of Title 5, commencing with Section 53311, of the California Government Code (the "Act");

WHEREAS, on December 17, 2015, this Board also adopted a resolution entitled "Resolution of Intention to Incur Bonded and Other Indebtedness" (the "Resolution of Intention to Incur Indebtedness") stating its intention to incur bonded indebtedness and other debt (as defined in the Act) within the boundaries of the CFD for the purpose of financing the costs of certain facilities specified in the Resolution of Intention;

WHEREAS, this Board has held a noticed public hearing as required by the Act about the determination to proceed with the formation of the CFD, the provision of certain public facilities by the CFD and the rate and method of apportionment of the special tax to be levied within the CFD to pay the cost of the facilities, the principal and interest on the proposed bonded indebtedness and other debt in the CFD and the administrative costs of the Authority relative to the CFD;

WHEREAS, subsequent to the public hearing, this Board adopted a resolution entitled "Resolution of Formation of Community Facilities District" (the "Resolution of Formation");

WHEREAS, this Board has also held a noticed public hearing as required by the Act relative to the matters material to the questions set forth in the Resolution of Intention to Incur Indebtedness; and

WHEREAS, no written protests with respect to the matters material to the questions set forth in the Resolution of Intention to Incur Indebtedness have been filed with the Secretary of the Board.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, by the Board of the Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority, as follows:

1. Recitals. The foregoing recitals are true and correct.

2. Necessity. This Board deems it necessary to incur bonded indebtedness and other debt in the maximum aggregate principal amount of $67,000,000 within the boundaries of the CFD for the purpose of financing the costs of all or a portion of the facilities defined in the Resolution of Formation (the "Facilities"), including, but not limited to, the costs of issuing and selling bonds and incurring debt to finance all or a portion of the Facilities and the costs of the Authority in establishing and administering the CFD.

3. Entire CFD Liable. The whole of the CFD shall pay for the bonded indebtedness and other debt through the levy of the special tax. The tax is to be apportioned in accordance with the formula set forth in Exhibit "B" to the Resolution of Formation.

4. Bonds and Other Debt. Bonds and other debt in the maximum amount of $67,000,000 are hereby authorized subject to voter approval. The bonds and other debt may be issued in one or more series and mature and bear interest at such rate or rates, payable semiannually or in such other manner, all as this Board or its designee shall determine, at the time or times of sale of such bonds or the incurrence of such other debt; provided, however, that the interest rate or rates shall not to exceed the maximum interest rate permitted by applicable law at the time of sale of each series of the bonds or the incurrence of such other debt, and each series of the bonds or other debt shall have a maximum term not to exceed 30 years from its respective date of issuance.

5. Election. The proposition of incurring the bonded indebtedness and other debt herein authorized shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the CFD and shall be consolidated with elections on the proposition of levying special taxes within the CFD and the establishment of an appropriations limit for the CFD pursuant to Section 53353.5 of the Act. The time, place and further particulars and conditions of such election shall be as specified by separate resolution of this Board.

6. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect upon its adoption.

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-003

RESOLUTION CALLING SPECIAL ELECTION
SANTA CRUZ LIBRARIES FACILITIES FINANCING AUTHORITY
Community Facilities District No. 2016-1

WHEREAS, on February 4, 2016, this Board (the "Board") of the Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority (the "Authority") adopted a resolution entitled "Resolution of Formation of Community Facilities District" (the "Resolution of Formation"), ordering the formation of the "Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority Community Facilities District No. 2016-1" (the "CFD"), authorizing the levy of a special tax on property within the CFD and preliminarily establishing an appropriations limit for the CFD, all pursuant to the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982, Chapter 2.5 of Part 1 of Division 2 of Title 5, commencing with Section 53311, of the California Government Code (the "Act"); and

WHEREAS, this Board has also adopted a resolution entitled "Resolution Determining the Necessity to Incur Bonded and Other Indebtedness" (the "Resolution Determining Necessity"), determining the necessity to incur bonded indebtedness and other debt (as defined in the Act) in the maximum aggregate principal amount of $67,000,000 upon the security of the special tax to be levied within the CFD pursuant to the Act; and

WHEREAS, under the Resolution of Formation and the Resolution Determining Necessity, the propositions of the levy of the special tax, the establishment of the appropriations limit and the incurring of the bonded indebtedness or other debt (as defined in the Act) shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the CFD as required by the provisions of the Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, by the Board of the Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority, as follows:

1. Issues Submitted. Pursuant to Sections 53326, 53351 and 53325.7 of the Act, the following issues shall be submitted to the qualified electors (as defined below) of the CFD at an election called therefor as provided below: (i) levy of the special tax, (ii) incurring of bonded indebtedness or other debt and (iii) establishment of the appropriations limit.

2. Voter Approval. Under the Act, the propositions described above in section 1 shall be submitted to the voters of the CFD at an election called therefor as hereinafter provided. The ballot measures to be voted upon by the voters shall be the following:

BALLOT MEASURE: To modernize, upgrade and repair local libraries in Santa Cruz, Aptos, Live Oak, Scotts Valley, Boulder Creek, Capitola, Felton and La Selva Beach -- replace failing roofs, outdated bathrooms, electrical systems/ structurally damaged facilities; support growing use by children, seniors, veterans and others; expand access to modern technology; and construct / expand facilities where necessary; shall Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority issue $67,000,000 in bonds for Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority Community Facilities District No. 2016-1; levy a special tax annually on parcels within the Community Facilities District; establish an initial appropriations limit; and assure mandatory accountability?

YES: ______
NO: ______

3. Electors Determined. This Board hereby finds that more than 12 persons have been registered to vote within the CFD for each of the 90 days preceding the close of the hearing heretofore conducted and concluded by this Board for the purposes of these formation proceedings. Accordingly, and pursuant to the Act, this Board finds that for purposes of these proceedings the qualified electors are the registered voters within the CFD and that the vote shall be by said registered voters.

4. Election; Consolidation. This Board hereby calls a special election to consider the issues described in Section 2 above, which shall be held on June 7, 2016 (the "Election Day"), during which the polls shall be open between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. The official of the County responsible for the conduct of elections (the "Election Official") is hereby designated as the official to conduct said election. The Board of Supervisors of the County and the Election Official are hereby requested to provide such services as may be necessary to properly and lawfully hold and conduct the special election pursuant to the provisions hereof and applicable provisions of the California Elections Code, including coordination with all appropriate election officials in the County, and the consolidation of said special election with other elections being held on the Election Day.

5. Actions Authorized. Pursuant to section 53326 of the Act, and within three business days of the adoption of the Resolution of Formation, but in no event later than the date specified by the Election Official for receipt, the Secretary of the Board shall cause to be provided to the Election Official a certified copy of the Resolution of Formation, the Resolution Determining Necessity, and this Resolution Calling Special Election, together with a certified copy of the map of the boundaries of the CFD, as filed in the Office of the Recorder of the County. The Secretary of the Board is hereby authorized and directed to enter into an agreement with the Election Official for the services of such official and to provide for the reimbursement by the Authority of the costs of the Election Official in conducting the election. The Secretary of the Board and all the members of the Board and officers of the Authority, and their designees, are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver any documents and to perform all acts necessary to place the measure on the ballot including making any revisions, correction or alterations to the language of the ballot measure to comply with requirements of law and Election Official and to ensure that the applicable requirements of the Elections Code are met, including without limitation the preparation and provision to the voters of all documents and instructions required by and specified in the Elections Code.

6. Accountability. Under Section 50075.1 of the Government Code, the following accountability provisions shall apply to the special taxes:

(a) the Facilities and the incidental costs thereof, all as defined in the Resolution of Formation, shall constitute the specific single purpose;

(b) the proceeds shall be applied only to the specific purposes identified in (a) above;

(c) there shall be created one or more special accounts or funds into which the proceeds shall be deposited; and

(d) there shall be caused to be prepared an annual report if required by Section 50075.3 of the Government Code.

7. Effective Date. This resolution shall be effective upon its adoption by the Board.

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I want to be an poll worker in 2016

(check all that apply)

- ☐ I can work Tuesday, June 7
- ☐ I can work Tuesday, November 8
- ☐ I am fluent in English.
- ☐ I am also fluent in: ______________________
- ☐ I have my own transportation.
- ☐ I am willing to travel to serve outside my neighborhood.
- ☐ I have a space that could be used as a polling place

Signature: Date:

Practice Ballot / Boleta de practica

Review this ballot to get ready to vote at the polling place. It is not a real ballot, but it has all of the items you can vote on. Use it to practice marking your ballot and bring it to the polling place.

Utilice esta boleta para estar listo para votar. Usted puede practicar por marcar sus opciones y llevarla con usted para votar en la boleta real en el lugar de votación o votar por la que le enviaron por correo si usted está registrado para votar por correo.

Party-Nominated Offices

President of the United States

Presidential Preference — Vote for One

- JOHN R. KASICH
- JIM GILMORE
- DONALD TRUMP
- BEN CARSON
- TED CRUZ
-

County Committee

Member, County Central Committee

5th Supervisorial District — Vote for no more than Six

- WADE LEISHMAN, Information Technology Manager
- DARLA BEUERMAN, Appointed Incumbent
- CHERI BROWNFIELD, Bookkeeper
- TIM EMANUELSON, Controller/Financial Executive
- DAVE HODGIN, Small Business Owner
- MARSHA MAFFIA, Appointed Incumbent
- LISA GALLEGUILLOS, Appointed Incumbent
- JAMES M. GALLEGUILLOS, Appointed Incumbent
- MARY KATHLEEN GRIFFITH, Appointed Incumbent
- LEA REED, Parent

Please turn over to continue voting.

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Practice Ballot / Boleta de practica

Voter-Nominated Offices

United States Senator

Vote for One

- PRESIDENT CRISTINA GRAPPO
  Party Preference: Democratic
- HERBERT G. PETERS
  Party Preference: Democratic
- TOM PALZER
  Party Preference: Republican
- JOHN THOMPSON PARKER
  Party Preference: Peace and Freedom
  Neighborhood Council Member
- KAREN ROSEBERRY
  Party Preference: Republican
  Educator
- EMORY RODGERS
  Party Preference: Democratic
  Property Manager
- GEORGE C. YANG
  Party Preference: Republican
  Internet Startup CEO
- JERRY J. LAWS
  Party Preference: Republican
- GAIL K. LIGHTFOOT
  Party Preference: Libertarian
  Retired Registered Nurse
- MIKE BEITIKS
  Party Preference: None
  Stay-at-home Dad/Attorney
- PAMELA ELIZONDO
  Party Preference: Green
  Environmental Healing Consultant
- SCOTT A. VINEBERG
  Party Preference: None
  Social Entrepreneur
- STEVE STOKES
  Party Preference: Democratic
  Small Business Owner
- DUF SUNDHEIM
  Party Preference: Republican
  Small Businessman/Mediator
- LING LING SHI
  Party Preference: None
  Author
- LORETTA L. SANCHEZ
  Party Preference: Democratic
  California Congresswoman
- PHIL WYMAN
  Party Preference: Republican
  Attorney/Businessman/Rancher
- JARRELL WILLIAMSON
  Party Preference: Republican
  Health Care Lawyer
- THOMAS G. DEL BECCARO
  Party Preference: Republican
  Business Attorney/Author
- RON UNZ
  Party Preference: Republican
  Entrepreneur/Writer/Publisher
- GREG CONLON
  Party Preference: Republican
  Businessman/Attorney/CPA
- JASON KRAUS
  Party Preference: None
- DON KRAMPE
  Party Preference: Republican
  Retired
- MARK MATTHEW HERD
  Party Preference: Libertarian
  Community Organizer
- VON HOUGO
  Party Preference: Republican
  Teacher
- JASON HANANIA
  Party Preference: None
  Attorney/Engineer
- KAMALA D. HARRIS
  Party Preference: Democratic
  Attorney General of California
- GAR MYERS
  Party Preference: None
  International Development Promoter
- PAUL MERRITT
  Party Preference: None
  Self-Employed
- MASSIE MUNROE
  Party Preference: Democratic
  Civil Environmental Engineer
- ELEANOR GARCÍA
  Party Preference: None
  Aerospace Factory Worker
- TIM GILDERSLEEVE
  Party Preference: None
  Paratransit Operator
- CLIVE GREY
  Party Preference: None
  Woodworker/Businessman/Entrepreneur
- DON J. GRUNDMANN
  Party Preference: None
  Doctor of Chiropractic

Voter-Nominated Offices

United States Representative

18th District — Vote for One

- ANNA G. ESHOO
  Party Preference: Democratic
  Member of Congress
- RICHARD B. FOX
  Party Preference: Republican
  Physician/Attorney
- BOB HARLOW
  Party Preference: Democratic

State Senator

17th District — Vote for One

- PALMER KAIN
  Party Preference: Republican
  Community Volunteer
- BILL MONNING
  Party Preference: Democratic
  California State Senator

Member of the State Assembly

29th District — Vote for One

- SIERRA ROBERTS
  Party Preference: Republican
  Entrepreneur
- MARK STONE
  Party Preference: Democratic
  Assemblymember

Nonpartisan

County

Supervisor, 5th District — Vote for One

- BILL SMALLMAN
  Civil Engineer
- ROY KAYLOR
  Electrical Engineer
- BRUCE MCPHERSON
  Santa Cruz County Supervisor

Auditor-Controller-Treasurer-Tax Collector — Vote for One

- EDITH DRISCOLL
  Appointed Incumbent

District Attorney-Public Administrator — Vote for One

- JEFF ROSELL
  Appointed District Attorney

Measures Submitted to the Voters

State

50 SUSPENSION OF LEGISLATORS. LEGISLATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT. Authorizes Legislature to suspend Members, including without salary and benefits. Prohibits suspended Members from using powers of office or legislative resources. Provides suspension may end on specified date or by vote of Member's house. Fiscal Impact: No effect on state spending in most years. Minor state savings in some years.

YES

NO

School

Lakeside Joint School District

J To preserve quality education for all students in Lakeside Joint School District, maintain specialized training for teachers, provide comprehensive science programs, update classroom technology, and protect quality academic programs for elementary and middle school students, shall the Lakeside Joint School District be authorized to implement an annual education parcel tax of $820 for ten years, with citizens' oversight, exemptions available for senior citizens, no funds for administrators' salaries, every dollar spent on students and cannot be taken away by the State?

YES

NO

District

Santa Cruz Libraries Facilities Financing Authority Community Facilities District No. 2016-1

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YES

NO

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[voter city, state zip]

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City – cuidad State – Estado Zip code – *cp*

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Voter's signature (as registered)
Firma del votante (tal como la registró para votar)

X

Date – *Fecha*

Your polling place for the June 7, 2016 Primary Election is:
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[address]

[YES]

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