City of Solana Beach Special Municipal Mail Ballot Election
May 7, 2019
Frequently Asked Questions

IMPORTANT DATES

April 8, 2019	First day mail ballots are available First day in-office voting available at the Registrar of Voters office (8 a.m. – 5 p.m.)
April 15, 2019	Vote-by-mail ballot processing (signature checking) begins
April 22, 2019	Deadline to register to vote
April 23–May 7, 2019	Conditional Voter Registration period. If you missed the registration deadline you may still register and vote, but you must go to the Registrar's office to do so.
April 23, 2019	Opening and preparing mail ballots for computer tabulation
May 7, 2019	Election Day Registrar of Voters Office is open for voting 7 a.m. - 8 p.m.

1. WHY IS THERE AN ELECTION ON MAY 7, 2019?
The California Elections Code permits jurisdictions to call for a special election to be conducted should specific circumstances arise. On May 7, 2019 the City of Solana Beach will have an election.

Measure B:
Shall the proposed ordinance adding a Specific Plan Overlay and amending the Solana Beach Municipal Code (SBMC) to allow a state-licensed residential care facility of up to 99 beds for those in need of assisted living in the ER-2 (Estate Residential-2) Zone at 959 Genevieve Street be adopted?

2. WHO CAN VOTE IN THIS ELECTION?
All registered voters in the City of Solana Beach are eligible to vote.

3. WHEN IS THE DEADLINE TO REGISTER TO VOTE IN THIS ELECTION?
April 22, 2019 is the deadline to register to vote in this election. You will need to re-register when you move, change your name or change your political party. You can register online at sdvote.com. Voter registration forms are also available at the Post Office, Department of Motor Vehicles and library buildings, as well as various City Clerk offices and the Registrar of Voters office at 5600 Overland Ave, San Diego 92123. If you miss the deadline to register, you may register conditionally and vote a provisional ballot at the Registrar's office.

4. WHAT IS A CONDITIONAL VOTER REGISTRATION?
If you do not register to vote by the April 22nd deadline, you may still conditionally register and cast a provisional ballot. To do that, you must visit the San Diego County Registrar of Voters office during the 14 days before the election or on Election Day. Once your voter registration is processed and determined to be eligible, your registration becomes permanent. Then the provisional ballot you cast can be counted. Learn more.

5. WHEN WILL I RECEIVE MY BALLOT?
On April 8, 2019, a ballot packet will be mailed to voters in the City of Solana Beach. This packet will contain an official ballot and a prepaid postage envelope for returning the ballot to the Registrar of Voters office. Ballot packets will also be mailed to those who register to vote before April 22, 2019. Voters may also vote at the Office of the Registrar of Voters beginning Monday, April 8th through Election Day (Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; on Election Day 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.). Any mail ballot postmarked by Election Day and received by the Registrar of Voters no later than three days after Election Day will be deemed timely cast.

6. **I HAVE VOTED AND MAILED MY BALLOT. HOW DO I KNOW IT'S BEEN RECEIVED BY YOUR OFFICE?**

    You can verify receipt of your mail ballot at sdvote.com. Type in your voter information and you will see when your ballot was issued and received by the Registrar of Voters.

    It is <u>NOT</u> necessary to apply for a mail ballot for this election. A ballot will automatically be sent to every eligible voter.

    Please feel free to call 858-565-5800 with your questions or for additional information.