

**CITY OF SAN JOSE
CANDIDATE ELECTION INFORMATION**

MARCH 3, 2020 PRIMARY MUNICIPAL ELECTION DATES OF INTEREST	
DATE	DESCRIPTION
September 5, 2019	Campaign Contribution Period Begins (SJMC § 12.06.290)
November 11, 2019 to Noon , December 6, 2019	Nomination Period. (Elec. Code § 10220 et seq.) <i>Between these dates candidates may be issued nomination papers and must submit them to the City Clerk by the filing deadline (SJMC § 12.05.060)</i>
November 12, 2019*	First Day Candidates May Be Issued Nominations Papers Due to Public Holiday (Veterans' Day) First Day Campaign Signs May Be Displayed (SJMC § 23.04.760.A)
December 4, 2019 to March 3, 2020	24-Hour Contribution/Independent Expenditure Reporting Period (FORM 497 , Gov. Code. §§ 82036, 84203) <i>Contribution of \$1,000 or more in the aggregate from a single source must be reported within 24 hours of receipt. Non-monetary contribution of \$1,000 or more must be reported within 48 hours.</i>
After 5:00 p.m. December 6 to December 16, 2019	Public Examination of Candidate Statements (Elec. Code § 13313)
Noon , December 11, 2019	Extended Nomination Period (Elec. Code § 10225) <i>If the eligible incumbent fails to file nomination documents by noon on December 6, 2019, the nomination period will be extended for a five calendar-day period for candidates other than the incumbent to submit nomination papers. (SJMC § 12.05.060.C)</i>
December 12, 2019	Randomized Alphabet Drawing (Elec. Code § 13112) <i>Secretary of State will conduct a drawing of the alphabet for determining the order of candidates' names on the ballot.</i>
January 6, 2020 to February 18, 2020	Write-In Candidacy Period (Elec. Code § 8601) <i>Any qualified person wishing to file as a write-in candidate may pick up papers beginning this date. Papers must be filed with the City Clerk no later than 14 days prior to election day.</i>

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January 23, 2020	Last Day to File First Pre-Election Campaign Statement (FORM 460 or 470 , Gov. Code §§ 84200.5, 84200.8) <i>For the period between January 1, 2020 through January 18, 2020.</i>
January 31, 2020**	Semi-Annual Campaign Disclosure Statement Due (FORM 460 , Gov. Code § 84200) <i>Covers the period July 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019, or January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019 if no previous statement has been filed.</i> <i>**Due to the statewide primary election being held early in the year, the deadline for the first pre-election statement for calendar year 2020 is earlier than the deadline for the semi-annual statement for calendar year 2019. Per FPPC guidance, a candidate/committee active in both calendar years may file the 2019 statement on January 23, 2020.</i>
January 23, 2020 to February 11, 2020	County Voter Information Guide and Sample Ballot Mailing Period (Elec. Code § 13303)
February 3, 2020 to March 10, 2020	Vote-by-Mail Ballot Mailing Period (Elec. Code § 3001)
February 18, 2020*	Last Day to Register to Vote or Change Address (Elec. Code § 2102)
February 20, 2020	Last Day to file Second Pre-Election Campaign Statement (FORM 460 , Gov. Code §§ 84200.5, 84200.8) <i>For the period between January 19, 2020 through February 15, 2020.</i>
February 25, 2020	Last day to request vote by mail ballot by mail from County Elections Official
Noon , March 2, 2020	Last Day to file Third Campaign Statement (FORM 460 , SJMC § 12.06.910.G) <i>For the period between February 16, 2020 through 11:59 p.m. on March 1, 2020.</i>
11:59 p.m. , March 2, 2020	Campaign Contribution Period Ends (SJMC § 12.06.290)

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March 3, 2020	PRIMARY ELECTION DAY <i>Vote Centers will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.</i>
March 5, 2020	Official Canvassing of Votes by the Registrar of Voters Begins (Elec. Code § 15301)
March 13, 2020	Last Day to Remove Campaign Signs (SJMC § 23.04.760) <i>Signs must be removed by all candidates unless candidate is succeeding to the general election.</i>
April 2, 2020	Last Day for Registrar of Voters to Certify Election for Primary Election Results (Elec. Code § 15372)
July 31, 2020	Semi-Annual Campaign Disclosure Statement Due (FORM 460 , Gov. Code § 84200) <i>Covers the period January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020</i>
TBD	Council Declares Results of March 3, 2020 Primary Municipal Election
August 30, 2020	Last Day to deposit personal funds into campaign bank accounts for the purpose of paying outstanding debt (SJMC § 12.06.295) Last Day to retire all campaign-related debts (SJMC § 12.06.710)
TBD	Last Day to dispose of Surplus Campaign Funds if candidate was defeated or elected to office (SJMC § 12.06.720) <i>Surplus Campaign Funds can only be:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Returned to the contributors on a pro rata basis;</i> • <i>Turned over to the general fund of the City of San Jose; OR</i> • <i>Used for attorney's fees and other costs in connection with an election contest or recount</i> <p>NOTE: <i>Candidates who withdraw from the election must dispose of Surplus Campaign Funds within 180 days after the date of withdrawal</i></p>

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March 4, 2020	Run-off Campaign Contribution Period Begins (SJMC § 12.06.290)
July 31, 2020	Semi-Annual Campaign Disclosure Statement Due (FORM 460 or 470 , Gov. Code. § 84200) <i>Covers the period June 4 – June 30, 2020.</i>
Noon , July 31, 2020	Deadline to File Ballot Designation Worksheet with City Clerk, by Noon, if the candidate requests in writing a different designation than the one used for the primary election (Elec. Code § 13107(e))
August 5 to November 3, 2020	24-Hour Contribution/Independent Expenditure Reporting Period (FORM 497 , Gov. Code. §§ 82036, 84203) <i>Contribution of \$1,000 or more in the aggregate from a single source must be reported within 24 hours of receipt. Non-monetary contribution of \$1,000 or more must be reported within 48 hours of receipt.</i>
Noon , August 7, 2020	Deadline to File Candidate’s Statement of Qualifications with City Clerk (Elec. Code. § 13307)
After 5:00 p.m. August 7 to August 17, 2020	Public examination of Candidate Statements (Elec. Code § 13313)
August 13, 2020	Randomized Alphabet Drawing (Elec. Code §§ 13100, 13112) <i>Secretary of State will conduct a drawing of the alphabet for determining the order of candidates’ names on the ballot.</i>
September 24, 2020	First Pre-Election Campaign Statement Due (FORM 460 or 470 , Gov. Code §§ 84200.5, 84200.8) <i>Covers the period July 1 – September 19, 2020.</i>
September 24 to October 13, 2020	County Voter Information Guide and Sample Ballot Mailing Period (Elec. Code § 13303)
October 19, 2020	Last Day to Register to Vote or Change Address (Elec. Code § 2102)
October 22, 2020	Second Pre-Election Campaign Statement Due (FORM 460 , Gov. Code §§ 84200.5, 84200.8) <i>Covers the period September 20 – October 17, 2020.</i>
October 27, 2020	Last Day Voters may request Vote-by-Mail Ballots (Elec. Code § 3001)

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Noon , November 2, 2020	Third Campaign Statement Due (FORM 460 , SJMC § 12.06.910.G) <i>Covers the period October 18 – 11:59 p.m., November 1, 2020</i>
11:59 p.m. , November 2, 2020	Campaign Contribution Period Ends (SJMC § 12.06.290.C)
November 3, 2020	RUN-OFF ELECTION DAY <i>The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.</i>
November 13, 2020	Last Day to Remove Campaign Signs (SJMC § 23.04.760)
December 3, 2020	Last Day for Registrar of Voters to certify November election results (Elec. Code §§ 15301, 15372)
TBD	Council Declares Results of November 3, 2020 Run-Off Municipal Election
January 31, 2020	Semi-Annual Campaign Disclosure Statement Due (FORM 460 or 470 , Gov. Code § 84200) <i>Covers the period July 1, 2020 – December 31, 2020.</i>
11:59 p.m. , May 3, 2021*	Last Day to deposit personal funds into campaign bank accounts for the purpose of paying outstanding debt (SJMC § 12.06.295) Last Day to retire all campaign-related debts (SJMC § 12.06.710)
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* Date adjusted due to weekend or public holiday; deadlines move forward to next business day.

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CAMPAIGN FORMS**

FPPC Forms

- [**Form 700**](#): *Statement of Economic Interests (and Amendment Schedules) - 2018/2019 (Use through 12/31/2019)*
- [**Form 410**](#): *Statement of Organization*
- [**Form 450**](#): *Recipient Committee Campaign Statement-Short Form (Not for use by candidates/officeholders)*
- [**Form 460**](#): *Consolidated Campaign Disclosure Form*
- [**Form 470**](#): *Officeholder/Candidate Campaign Statement-Short Form and Form 470 Supplement*
- [**Form 496**](#): *24-hour Independent Expenditure Report*
- [**Form 497**](#): *24-hour Contribution Report*
- [**Form 501**](#): *Candidate Intention Statement*
- [**Form 511**](#): *Paid Spokesperson Report*

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- [**Form 502**](#): *Personal Campaign Funds Declaration of Candidate*
- [**Form 504**](#): *Disclosure of Post-Election Payment Agreements*

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