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Candidate Services

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From: Ryan Ronco, Placer County Clerk-Recorder-Registrar of Voters
To: All Media
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Subject: **Paperwork available to reduce the cost of running for office in the March 3, 2020 Presidential Primary Election**
Contact: Candidate Services at 530-886-5650

The March 3, 2020 Presidential Primary Election is quickly approaching. For offices with a mandatory filing fee, the paperwork that candidates can use to reduce or eliminate that fee will be available from the Placer County Elections Office beginning September 12, 2019.

This paperwork, known as Signature-in-Lieu petitions, may be circulated among registered voters until November 6, 2019. By collecting voters' signatures on the petition, the candidate may cover all or part of the filing fee.

Candidate filing for local political party central committees begins on September 27, 2019 at 8 AM. Candidate filing for these offices closes November 6, 2019 at 5 PM.

For all other offices on the Presidential Primary Election ballot, candidate filing begins on November 11, 2019. The Elections Office will be open on Veterans Day (November 11) from 9 AM to 4 PM to accommodate candidates. Candidate filing closes December 6, 2019 at 5 PM. If an incumbent fails to file during this time period, candidate filing will extend for any candidate except the incumbent and end on December 11, 2019 at 5 PM. If an incumbent files there will not be an extension of candidate filing for that office.

Candidates may pick up the Signature-in-Lieu petitions at the Placer County Elections Office, located at 2956 Richardson Drive, Auburn. Hours of operation are 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday excluding holidays. More information can be found on our website at www.placerelections.com or by calling 530-886-5650.

The following offices will appear on the March 3, 2020 Presidential Primary Election Ballot. Filing fees for these offices can be reduced or eliminated by circulating Signature- in-Lieu petitions:

Partisan Offices

FEDERAL OFFICES					
Office Title		Length of Term		New Term Begins	
United States President		4 years		January 20, 2021 (12:00 noon)	
COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE (Elected by Supervisorial District)					
Office Title	Party/Number to be Elected			Length of Term	New Term Begins
Supervisorial District	Democratic	Republican	American Independent	4 years	Varies by Party
1 st District	5	7	Information not provided by SOS by the time of print		
2 nd District	4	7			
3 rd District	4	7			
4 th District	4	7			
5 th District	5	7			
COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE (Elected Countywide)					
Office Title	Party			Length of Term	New Term Begins
Countywide	Green (County Council)	Peace & Freedom	Libertarian	4 years	Varies by Party
Number to be Elected	Information not provided by SOS by the time of print	7	10		

Voter-Nominated Offices

FEDERAL OFFICES		
Office Title	Length of Term	New Term Begins
United States Congress, 1 st District	2 years	January 3, 2021 (12:00 noon)
United States Congress, 4 th District	2 years	
STATE LEGISLATURE		
State Senate, 1 st District	4 years	December 7, 2020
State Assembly, 1 st District	2 years	
State Assembly, 5 th District	2 years	
State Assembly, 6 th District	2 years	

Nonpartisan Offices

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT		
Office Title	Length of Term	New Term Begins
Superior Court Judge, Seat 1	6 years	January 4, 2021
Superior Court Judge, Seat 2		
COUNTY OFFICES		
Office Title	Length of Term	New Term Begins
Supervisor, District 3	4 years	January 4, 2021
Supervisor, District 4		
Supervisor, District 5		

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