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INFORMATION FOR WRITE-IN CANDIDATES

2022 PRIMARY NOMINATING ELECTION

LOS ANGELES (**April 7, 2022**) - Los Angeles City Clerk Holly L. Wolcott announced today that the General Information for Write-In Candidates pamphlet for the 2022 Primary Nominating Election is now available. This pamphlet provides vital information and legal deadlines for individuals interested in becoming a write-in candidate for citywide offices (Mayor, City Attorney, Controller), Los Angeles City Council Districts 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, and 15 (odd-numbered), and Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD) Board of Education Offices 2, 4, and 6 (even-numbered).

Candidates interested in running for citywide, City Council, or LAUSD offices must have resided in the jurisdiction in which they are running for office no later than **Saturday, January 8, 2022**.

Interested individuals who wish to become write-in candidates may file the Declaration of Intention to Become a Write-In Candidate beginning **Monday, April 11, 2022**. The document must be filed with the Office of the City Clerk - Election Division by **Tuesday, May 24, 2022 at 5:00 p.m.**

The General Information for Write-In Candidates pamphlet can be downloaded from our website at clerk.lacity.org/clerk-services/elections/municipal-elections under the section entitled "2022 General Information for Write-In Candidates." If you would like to request a copy of the pamphlet or have questions, please call the Election Division at (213) 978-0444 or toll-free at (888) 873-1000 between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

The City's Primary Nominating Election will be held June 7, 2022, and the General Municipal Election will be held November 8, 2022. The Office of the City Clerk administers candidate filing for the City of Los Angeles and the Los Angeles Unified School District. More information can be found on the City Clerk's election website: <https://clerk.lacity.org/elections> or by contacting the Election Division at (213) 978-0444, or toll-free at (888) 873-1000 between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

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**GENERAL INFORMATION
FOR
WRITE-IN CANDIDATES**



**LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS
2022**

**PRIMARY NOMINATING ELECTION
Tuesday, June 7, 2022***

**GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION
Tuesday, November 8, 2022**

Conducted by the County of Los Angeles

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*See City Election Code Section 104

ELECTION CALENDAR – 2022

JANUARY 8, 2022, SATURDAY

Last day to establish residency within applicable City/District boundaries.

APRIL 11, 2022, MONDAY

First day to file Declaration of Intention to Become a Write-In Candidate, Write-In Candidates also file Statement of Economic Interests and other documents with Ethics Commission.

MAY 9, 2022, MONDAY

First day to apply for and vote a Vote-By-Mail Ballot for the Primary Nominating Election.

MAY 23, 2022, MONDAY

Last day to register to vote in the Primary Nominating Election.

MAY 24, 2022, TUESDAY

Last day to file Declaration of Intention to Become a Write-In Candidate or to withdraw said declarations.

MAY 31, 2022, TUESDAY

Last day to apply by mail for a Vote-By-Mail Ballot for the Primary Nominating Election.

JUNE 7, 2022, TUESDAY
PRIMARY NOMINATING ELECTION

JULY 7, 2022, THURSDAY

Last day for the County of Los Angeles to certify results for the Primary Nominating Election.

OCTOBER 10, 2022, TUESDAY

First day to apply for and vote a Vote-By-Mail Ballot for the General Municipal Election.

OCTOBER 24, 2022, MONDAY

Last day to register to vote in the General Municipal Election.

NOVEMBER 1, 2022, TUESDAY

Last day to apply by mail for a Vote-By-Mail Ballot for the General Municipal Election.

NOVEMBER 8, 2022, TUESDAY
GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION

DECEMBER 8, 2022, THURSDAY

Last day for County of Los Angeles to certify results for the General Municipal Election.

DECLARATION OF INTENTION

To become a Write-In Candidate you must complete a Declaration of Intention to Become a Write-In Candidate form*, which is available from the Office of the City Clerk – Election Division on the following dates:

FILING DATES: First Day - Mon., April 11, 2022
[Election Code Last Day - Tue., May 24, 2022
Section 312(b)].

SIGNATURES OR FILING FEE - ALL OFFICES: Each Write-In Candidate shall do one of the following at the time they file their Declaration of Intention:

1. Pay a filing fee in the amount of \$300;

or

2. Waive the filing fee and file a Nominating Petition* with the City Clerk, bearing the signatures of no less than 500 and no more than 1,000 voters (500 signatures must be valid).

The Nominating Petition* specifically for use by Write-In Candidates, must be obtained in advance from the Office of the City Clerk. Unused petition forms from previous filings may not be used.

Petitions are issued only to you or your representative. The representative must have your written and signed authorization.

*****FILING FEE IS NON-REFUNDABLE*****

VALID SIGNATURES - WHERE OBTAINED

MAYOR, CITY ATTORNEY and CITY CONTROLLER: from qualified, registered voters within the City of Los Angeles [Charter Section 422 (a)];

MEMBER OF LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL: from qualified, registered voters of the Council District in which you are running [Charter Section 422(a)];

MEMBER OF BOARD OF EDUCATION OF LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT: from qualified, registered voters of the Board of Education District in which you are running [Charter Section 422(a)].

FILING PETITIONS: Write-in Petitions must be filed between Monday, April 11 and Tuesday, May 24, 2022, between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. All sections of your petition must be filed at the same time [Election Code Sections 111(c) and 312(b)].

SUPPLEMENTAL PETITIONS: If the petition is found to be insufficient prior to the deadline for filing petitions, you may file a Supplemental Petition. These petitions must be obtained from the Office of the City Clerk - Election Division. No Supplemental Petitions are accepted for filing after the last day specified for filing Write-In Petitions - Tuesday, May 24, 2022 [Charter Section 422(c) and Election Code Section 312(d)].

All forms mentioned above shall be obtained from and are to be filed with:

Office of the City Clerk
Election Division
555 Ramirez Street, Space 300
Los Angeles, CA 90012
(213) 978-0444, (888) 873-1000
TTY: 3-1-1 for LA Residents
or (213) 485-2121

clerk.lacity.org/elections

*Only forms provided by the City Clerk will be accepted.

OFFICES TO BE FILLED

MAYOR

INCUMBENT: Eric Garcetti*

TERM OF OFFICE: 4 years, commencing December 12, 2022 [Charter Section 205].
2 terms maximum.

SALARY: \$278,982.¹

QUALIFICATIONS: Registered voter of the City of Los Angeles at the time of nomination and election, and resident of the City of Los Angeles since at least January 8, 2022 [Charter Section 407(a)].

CITY ATTORNEY

INCUMBENT: Mike Feuer*

TERM OF OFFICE: 4 years, commencing December 12, 2022 [Charter Section 205].
2 terms maximum.

SALARY: \$257,522.¹

QUALIFICATIONS: Must be qualified to practice in all the courts of the state, and must have been so qualified for at least 5 years immediately preceding his or her election [Charter Section 270]. Registered voter of the City of Los Angeles at the time of nomination and election, and resident of the City of Los Angeles since at least January 8, 2022 [Charter Section 407(a)].

CITY CONTROLLER

INCUMBENT: Ron Galperin*

TERM OF OFFICE: 4 years, commencing December 12, 2022 [Charter Section 205].
2 terms maximum.

SALARY: \$236,062.¹

QUALIFICATIONS: Registered voter of the City of Los Angeles at the time of nomination and election, and resident of the City of Los Angeles since at least January 8, 2022 [Charter Section 407(a)].

MEMBERS OF THE LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL

<u>District</u>	<u>Incumbent</u>
1	Gilbert Cedillo
3	Bob Blumenfeld
5	Paul Koretz*
7	Monica Rodriguez
9	Curren D. Price, Jr.
11	Mike Bonin
13	Mitch O'Farrell
15	Joe Buscaino

TERM OF OFFICE: 4 years, commencing December 12, 2022 [Charter Section 205].
3 terms maximum.

SALARY: \$214,602.¹

QUALIFICATIONS: Registered voter of the Council District at the time of nomination and election, and resident of the Council District since at least January 8, 2022 [Charter Section 407(a)].

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

<u>District</u>	<u>Incumbent</u>
2	Mónica Garcia*
4	Nick Melvoin
6	Kelly Fitzpatrick-Gonez

TERM OF OFFICE: 4 years, commencing December 12, 2022 [Charter Section 806(b)].
3 terms maximum.

SALARY: \$50,000 for members of the Board of Education with outside employment [Charter Section 804].

OR

For a Board Member who devotes his or her entire time to the duties of serving as a member of the Board of Education for the LAUSD and who accepts no compensation, fee or honorarium from outside employment, shall be paid a full time salary of \$125,000.²

QUALIFICATIONS: Registered voter of the School District at the time of nomination and election, and resident since at least January 8, 2022 [Charter Sections 407(a) and 803].

*Not eligible to run for additional term due to term limits

¹Salary as of July 1, 2019

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²Salary as of July 10, 2017

POLITICAL REFORM ACT OF 1974

The Political Reform Act of 1974 is a State of California statute that requires all candidates and committees supporting or opposing such candidates and committees, or supporting or opposing ballot measures in an election, to disclose their contributions and expenditures.

CAMPAIGN FINANCE REQUIREMENTS

Mayor, City Attorney, City Controller, City Council and Board of Education Candidates and City Ballot Measure Committees

Candidates and committees are required to disclose financial information to the public by filing Statement of Economic Interests (State Form 700), Recipient Committee Campaign Statement (State Form 460), and other forms. These forms must be filed with the Los Angeles City Ethics Commission.

Candidates and committees are also subject to other campaign finance laws, such as requirements regarding political communications.

More information regarding the campaign finance laws is available in the candidate guide that is available on the Ethics Commission's website. Please contact the Ethics Commission for additional guidance.

FORM 700 - STATEMENT OF ECONOMIC INTERESTS

Each candidate shall file a Statement of Economic Interests with the City Ethics Commission which itemizes investments and interest in real property held by the candidate on the date of declaration of candidacy, and sources of income received during the 12 months prior to the date of filing.

If you have any questions regarding Form 700 - Statement of Economic Interests filing requirements, please contact the City Ethics Commission at (213) 978-1960.

Advisory Notice

Pursuant to City of Los Angeles Ordinance No. 187219, beginning Monday, November 8, 2021, PROOF OF COVID-19 VACCINATION or PROOF OF NEGATIVE COVID-19 TEST (conducted within the last 72 hours) will be required to enter City buildings.

Those unable to provide this proof will be provided assistance at a table located immediately outside the office.

Los Angeles City Ethics Commission
200 N. Spring Street, Room 2410
Los Angeles, CA 90012
(213) 978-1960
Fax: (213) 978-1988
ethics.lacity.org