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CANDIDATE CONTACT FORM

PRIMARY NOMINATING ELECTION - JUNE 2, 2026

CANDIDATE INFORMATION

Candidate's name as registered to vote

First Name:

Last Name:

Office Sought:

Residential Address: (Please include zip code)

Phone Number: (Private)

Occupation:

Email Address: (Private)

CAMPAIGN INFORMATION

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION MAY BE PUBLISHED ON THE CITY CLERK OR LA COUNTY WEBSITE.

Campaign Contact:

Phone Number: (Public)

Campaign Address: (Please include zip code)

Email Address: (Public)

Campaign Website:

Committee Name:

Committee ID:

Note: The information contained on this form is public record.



DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY AND ELIGIBILITY

Election Type (Check One): Primary Special

Office Sought:

Mayor

Election Date:

Candidate Name:

Residence Address:

Mailing Address:

Phone Number (Private):

Phone Number (Public):

Email Address:

Website:

I am at present an incumbent of the following public office (if any):

I meet the statutory and constitutional qualifications for this office (including, but not limited to, citizenship and residency, if required).

I am a legally registered voter and resident of the City if nominated for Mayor, at least thirty (30) days immediately preceding the last day upon which candidates are permitted to file nominating petitions for such office with the City Clerk. (City Charter Section 201)

If nominated, I will accept the nomination and not withdraw. (Elections Code § 8040)

CANDIDATE WITHDRAWAL – All nomination papers shall be filed with the city elections official during regular business hours as posted, not later than the 88th day before election. Until that time, but not after, a candidate may **withdraw** his or her nomination paper after it is filed with the elections official as provided in this section. (Elections Code § 10224)

I hereby declare myself a candidate for the Primary Nominating Election and declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Candidate Signature:

Date:

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DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY AND ELIGIBILITY

Election Type (Check One): Primary Special

Office Sought:

City Attorney

Election Date:

Candidate Name:

Residence Address:

Mailing Address:

Phone Number (Private):

Phone Number (Public):

Email Address:

Website:

I am at present an incumbent of the following public office (if any):

I meet the statutory and constitutional qualifications for this office (including, but not limited to, citizenship and residency, if required).

I am a legally registered voter of the City, and have been a bona fide resident of the City, for at least thirty (30) days immediately preceding the last day upon which candidates are permitted to file nominating petitions for such office with the City Clerk. (City Charter Section 502)

I am qualified to practice in all the courts of the State of California, and have been so qualified for at least five (5) years immediately preceding the first day upon which candidates for the Office of City Attorney are permitted to file nominating petitions for such office with the City Clerk. (City Charter Section 601)

If nominated, I will accept the nomination and not withdraw. (Elections Code § 8040)

CANDIDATE WITHDRAWAL – All nomination papers shall be filed with the city elections official during regular business hours as posted, not later than the 88th day before election. Until that time, but not after, a candidate may **withdraw** his or her nomination paper after it is filed with the elections official as provided in this section. (Elections Code § 10224)

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Candidate Signature:

Date:

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DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY AND ELIGIBILITY

Election Type (Check One): Primary Special

Office Sought:

City Auditor

Election Date:

Candidate Name:

Residence Address:

Mailing Address:

Phone Number (Private):

Phone Number (Public):

Email Address:

Website:

I am at present an incumbent of the following public office (if any):

I meet the statutory and constitutional qualifications for this office (including, but not limited to, citizenship and residency, if required).

I am a legally registered voter of the City, and have been a bona fide resident of the City, for at least thirty (30) days immediately preceding the last day upon which candidates are permitted to file nominating petitions for such office with the City Clerk. (City Charter Section 502)

I am licensed to practice in the State of California as a certified public accountant and have been so certified for at least five (5) years immediately preceding the date of filing of a nominating petition for the Office of City Auditor. (City Charter Section 801)

If nominated, I will accept the nomination and not withdraw. (Elections Code § 8040)

CANDIDATE WITHDRAWAL – All nomination papers shall be filed with the city elections official during regular business hours as posted, not later than the 88th day before election. Until that time, but not after, a candidate may **withdraw** his or her nomination paper after it is filed with the elections official as provided in this section. (Elections Code § 10224)

I hereby declare myself a candidate for the Primary Nominating Election and declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Candidate Signature:

Date:

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DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY AND ELIGIBILITY

Election Type (Check One): Primary Special

Office Sought:

City Prosecutor

Election Date:

Candidate Name:

Residence Address:

Mailing Address:

Phone Number (Private):

Phone Number (Public):

Email Address:

Website:

I am at present an incumbent of the following public office (if any):

I meet the statutory and constitutional qualifications for this office (including, but not limited to, citizenship and residency, if required).

I am a legally registered voter of the City, and have been a bona fide resident of the City, for at least thirty (30) days immediately preceding the last day upon which candidates are permitted to file nominating petitions for such office with the City Clerk. (City Charter Section 502)

I am qualified to practice in all the courts of the State of California, and have been so qualified for at least five (5) years immediately preceding the first day upon which candidates for the Office of City Prosecutor are permitted to file nominating petitions for such office with the City Clerk. (City Charter Section 701)

If nominated, I will accept the nomination and not withdraw. (Elections Code § 8040)

CANDIDATE WITHDRAWAL – All nomination papers shall be filed with the city elections official during regular business hours as posted, not later than the 88th day before election. Until that time, but not after, a candidate may **withdraw** his or her nomination paper after it is filed with the elections official as provided in this section. (Elections Code § 10224)

I hereby declare myself a candidate for the Primary Nominating Election and declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Candidate Signature:

Date:

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DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY AND ELIGIBILITY

Election Type (Check One): Primary Special

Office Sought:

Council District Number:

Election Date:

City Council

Candidate Name:

Residence Address:

Mailing Address:

Phone Number (Private):

Phone Number (Public):

Email Address:

Website:

I am at present an incumbent of the following public office (if any):

I meet the statutory and constitutional qualifications for this office (including, but not limited to, citizenship and residency, if required).

I am a legally registered voter and resident of the Councilmanic District if and from which nominated for City Council, at least thirty (30) days immediately preceding the last day upon which candidates are permitted to file nominating petitions for such office with the City Clerk. (City Charter Section 201)

If nominated, I will accept the nomination and not withdraw. (Elections Code § 8040)

CANDIDATE WITHDRAWAL – All nomination papers shall be filed with the city elections official during regular business hours as posted, not later than the 88th day before election. Until that time, but not after, a candidate may **withdraw** his or her nomination paper after it is filed with the elections official as provided in this section. (Elections Code § 10224)

I hereby declare myself a candidate for the Primary Nominating Election and declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Candidate Signature:

Date:

For more information, please contact our office at (562) 570-6101.

OFFICIAL FILING FORM

**AFFIDAVIT OF NOMINEE AND OATH
OR AFFIRMATION OF ALLEGIANCE**

(Elections Code §§ 20, 200, 10223, 10226
CA Constitution Article xx, Section 3)

Attest: _____
City Clerk
Date: _____

I,
hereby declare myself a candidate for nomination to the office of

To be voted for at the STATEWIDE DIRECT PRIMARY ELECTIONS to be held on JUNE 2, 2026.

I request my name and ballot designation to appear on the ballot as follows:

Print Your Name for Use on the Ballot

Print Ballot Designation Requested

Candidate initials below if NO ballot
designation is preferred:

Print your principal profession, vocation or occupation in 3 words or less. If you hold an elective office, you may use the elective office title or use the word "Incumbent". See written instructions provided for restrictions and examples.

IMPORTANT NOTE: A ballot designation is optional. If one is requested, a completed **BALLOT DESIGNATION WORKSHEET** must be submitted. If no ballot designation is requested, write "NONE" and initial in the box. (Elections Code §§ 13107, 13107.3)

Mailing Address: _____ Apt or Unit #: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
Residence Address (Required): _____ Apt or Unit #: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
Business Address: _____ Apt or Unit #: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
Telephone Numbers: Day () _____ Evening () _____ Fax () _____
Email: _____ Website: _____

"I _____, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties upon which I am about to enter."

I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed by me in _____, California, on this _____ day of _____ in the year _____.

Signature of Candidate

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CANDIDATE STATEMENT INFORMATION

Election Type (Check One): Primary General Special

Office Sought: Election Date:

Candidate Name:

OFFICE	APPROX. REGISTRATION NUMBERS	ESTIMATED COST			
		ENGLISH ONLY		ENGLISH & SPANISH	
		1 COLUMN	2 COLUMNS	2 COLUMNS	4 COLUMNS
MAYOR CITY ATTORNEY CITY AUDITOR CITY PROSECUTOR	278,626	\$7,900	\$15,800	\$15,800	\$31,600
DISTRICT 1	26,144	\$900	\$1,800	\$1,800	\$3,600
DISTRICT 3	35,454	\$1,200	\$2,400	\$2,400	\$4,800
DISTRICT 5	40,632	\$1,300	\$2,600	\$2,600	\$5,200
DISTRICT 7	29,238	\$1,000	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$4,000
DISTRICT 9	27,271	\$900	\$1,800	\$1,800	\$3,600

I **DO NOT WANT** my Candidate Statement to appear online or in the Official Sample Ballot Booklet.

I WANT my Candidate Statement to appear **ONLINE ONLY**. The cost of the Online Candidate Statement is \$279.60.

I WANT my Candidate Statement to appear Online and in the Official Sample Ballot Booklet in **English**.

I WANT my Candidate Statement to appear Online and in the Official Sample Ballot Booklet in **English and Spanish**.

I understand an estimated cost is required when the Candidate Statement is filed (cash, check made payable to the City of Long Beach, Visa, MasterCard, or debit card). The cost is an estimate of the candidate's pro rata shares of the cost of printing your Statement in the Official Sample Ballot Booklet. Actual costs will be reviewed and may result in either additional billing or a refund.

Estimated Cost:

Candidate Signature: Date:

For more information, please contact our office at (562) 570-6101.



CANDIDATE STATEMENT FORM - NONPARTISAN OFFICES
(Elections Code Sections 13307, 13308, 13311, and 13313)
READ INFORMATION ON BACK OF FORM BEFORE SUBMITTING STATEMENT

STATEMENT OF:

CANDIDATE FOR:

ELECTION DATE:

AGE:

OCCUPATION:

[BEGIN STATEMENT HERE (1 COLUMN)]

FORMATTING INSTRUCTIONS:

Please type your statement in the **first column** using upper- and lower-case letters. The statement text will be typeset using font style Times New Roman, size 11-point or a comparable size and style determined by system requirements. We recommend you use Times new Roman, 11-point font when submitting your statement even though it will later be formatted to fit the system requirements.

Candidate statements that are within the word limit but do not fit in the allowed column space provided will be charged double or more, depending on how many columns are used to print the statement, or the second column space will be populated with the next candidate statement by another Candidate in the Official Sample Ballot Booklet.

The format and style of the candidate statement are in a column width (newspaper) style, and the estimated cost of the candidate statement is derived from per column use.

NOTE: Spanish may be longer than the English version, so the statement may continue over into the second column for an estimated cost of two (2) columns. For more information, please contact the Election Planning Section at electionplanning@rcc.lacounty.gov.

PLEASE CONSIDER THIS INFORMATION BEFORE PURCHASING A CANDIDATE STATEMENT.

The Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk makes every effort to mail Sample Ballots/Candidate Statements as early as possible during the voting period and prior to the voters' receipt of their Vote By Mail ballots. However, this is not always possible due to the volume of material and the complexity of coordinating mail distribution. For mailing timelines and more information, refer to Section 1, Chapter 3 of the Candidate Handbook and Resource Guide.

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ESTIMATED COST

The estimate is just an approximation of the actual cost that varies from one election to another election and may be significantly more or less than the estimate, depending on number of voter registration, the length and/or format of the statement submitted, printing cost, and if it is published online only. Accordingly, the elections official is not bound by the estimate and may, on a pro rata basis, bill the candidate for additional actual expense to or refund any excess paid depending on the final actual cost. In the event of underpayment, the elections official may require the candidate pay to the balance of the cost incurred. In the event of overpayment, the elections official shall prorate the excess amount among the candidates and refund the excess amount paid.

Pursuant to California law, the local agency has authorized a word maximum of 200 or 400, and requires that the estimated cost be paid by one of the following:

- In advance, by all candidates, District will pay for all candidate statements,
 District will bill candidate after the election, _____

The estimated cost of your printed English statement is _____
The estimated cost of your printed English & Spanish statement is _____
The estimated cost of an English Online Only Candidate Statement is \$279.60 (Please be advised that your candidate statement will only appear online and NOT in the Official Sample Ballot Booklet, if you select ONLINE ONLY (English)).
NOTE: Cost is estimated on a per column basis for the printing of the Official Sample Ballot Booklet and by a standard fee for English Online Only Candidate Statements. The estimated cost may double, triple, or quadruple depending on your language selection(s) and/or statement formatting.

I have read, understood, and enclosed the provisions contained on this form that includes all pages, and read the Candidate Handbook and Resource Guide (see Chapter 3), and request that my statement as shown to be printed as indicated:

- A. Please mark (X) one box: English English & Spanish
B. Please mark (x) one box: Print & Online Online Only (English)



_____ Signature of Candidate _____ Date
() _____ () _____
Phone Number (Daytime) Phone Number (Evening) Email Address

DO NOT PRINT THIS STATEMENT IN THE EVENT

_____ There is no opposition to this contest on the ballot. _____ No other candidate for this contest files a statement.
INITIALS INITIALS

OFFICE USE ONLY

Verified filing of Declaration of Candidacy and/or Nomination Papers

Project No.		Candidate No.	
Total No. of Words:		Total No. of Enhanced Words:	
By Elections Official Deputy:			

_____ Date _____ Election Official



**California Secretary of State
BALLOT DESIGNATION WORKSHEET**

June 2, 2026, Statewide Direct Primary Election (Elections Code §§ 13107, 13107.3, 13107.5; California Code of Regulations § 20711)

This entire form **must be completed**, or it will not be accepted, and you will **not** be entitled to a ballot designation. **DO NOT LEAVE ANY RESPONSE SPACES BLANK.** If information requested is not applicable, please write "N/A" in the space provided, otherwise the information **MUST** be provided. **UPON FILING, THIS WORKSHEET WILL BE A PUBLIC DOCUMENT.**

Candidate Information

1

Candidate Name: _____

Office: _____ Email: _____

Home Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Business Address: _____

Phone Number(s)
Business: _____ Home/Mobile: _____ Fax: _____

Attorney or Other Authorized Person Information

2

Attorney Name (or other person authorized to act on your behalf): _____

Address: _____

Phone Number(s)
Business: _____ Mobile: _____ Fax: _____

You may select as your ballot designation one of the following designations:

- (a) Your current principal profession(s), vocation(s), or occupation(s) [maximum total of three words, separated by a slash ("/")].
- (b) The full title of the public office you currently occupy and to which you were elected.
- (c) "Appointed [full title of public office]" if you currently serve by appointment in an elective public office and are seeking election to the same office or to some other office.
- (d) "Incumbent" if you were elected (or, if you are a Superior Court Judge, you are a candidate for the same office that you hold) to your current public office and seek election to the same office.
- (e) "Appointed Incumbent" if you were appointed to your current elective public office and seek election to the same office.

Proposed Ballot Designation(s)

3

Proposed Ballot Designation(s): _____

Alternate Ballot Designation(s) 1: _____

Alternate Ballot Designation(s) 2: _____

If your proposed ballot designation is pursuant to Elections Code § 13107(a)(3):

The professions, vocations or occupations relied upon to support my proposed ballot designation(s) constitute my primary, main or leading professions, vocations or occupations. **Initial** _____

Translation of Proposed Designation: Gender specific translations will default to the masculine form for uniformity in translation unless you specify otherwise: () Masculine () Feminine

In the spaces provided on the next page(s):

- (a) Describe why you believe you are entitled to use the proposed ballot designation.
- (b) If your proposed ballot designation contains one or more slashes ("/") separating words in your ballot designation for separate principal profession(s), vocation(s), or occupation(s) (collectively known as "PVOs"), complete a justification section for each separate PVO.
- (c) Attach any documents or exhibits that you believe support your proposed ballot designation. **(Note: It is not necessary to provide copies of Certificates of Election if you are currently a seated member for a voter-nominated office).**
- (d) If using the title of an elective office, attach a copy of your certificate of election or appointment.
- (e) Any supporting documents will not be returned to you. **Do not submit originals.**

It is your responsibility to justify your proposed ballot designation and to provide all requested details.



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If your proposed ballot designation includes the word "volunteer," indicate the title of your volunteer position and the name of the entity for which you volunteer along with a brief description of the type of volunteer work you do and the approximate amount of time involved. You may only use the ballot designation "community volunteer" if you volunteer for a 501(c)(3) charitable, educational, or religious organization, a governmental agency or an educational institution. You may not use "community volunteer" together with another designation.

If your proposed ballot designation contains **one or more slashes ("/")** separating multiple principal profession(s), vocation(s), or occupation(s) (collectively known as "PVOs"), **complete a justification section for each separate PVO.**

<p>Justification for use of Proposed Ballot Designation(s) If you are proposing alternate ballot designations, please provide justification for use of those on Page 3.</p> <p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">4</p>	<p>Justification for use of 1st PVO:</p>
	<p>Current or most recent job title: _____ Start Date: _____ End Date: _____</p>
	<p>Employer Name or Business: _____</p>
	<p>Person who can verify this information:</p>
	<p>Name: _____ Phone Number(s): _____ Email: _____</p>
	<p>Justification for use of 2nd PVO:</p>
	<p>Current or most recent job title: _____ Start Date: _____ End Date: _____</p>
	<p>Employer Name or Business: _____</p>
	<p>Person who can verify this information:</p>
	<p>Name: _____ Phone Number(s): _____ Email: _____</p>
	<p>Justification for use of 3rd PVO:</p>
	<p>Current or most recent job title: _____ Start Date: _____ End Date: _____</p>
<p>Employer Name or Business: _____</p>	
<p>Person who can verify this information:</p>	
<p>Name: _____ Phone Number(s): _____ Email: _____</p>	

Before signing below, answer/initial the following questions. Does your proposed ballot designation:

- | | | | | |
|-----|---|------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|
| 1) | Use only a portion of the title of your current elected office? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial _____ |
| 2) | Non-judicial candidates: Use only the word "Incumbent" for an elective office to which you were appointed? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial _____ |
| 3) | Use more than three total words for your principal professions, vocations, or occupations? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial _____ |
| 4) | Suggest an evaluation of you, such as outstanding, leading, expert, virtuous, or eminent? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial _____ |
| 5) | Refer to a status (Veteran, Activist, Founder, Scholar), rather than a profession, vocation, or occupations? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial _____ |
| 6) | Abbreviate the word "retired"? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial _____ |
| 7) | Place the word "retired" after the words it modifies? Example: Accountant, retired | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial _____ |
| 8) | Use a word or prefix (except "retired") such as "former" or "ex-" to refer to a former profession, vocation, or occupation? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial _____ |
| 9) | Use the word "retired" along with a current profession, vocation, or occupation? Example: Retired Firefighter/Teacher | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial _____ |
| 10) | Use the name of a political party or political body? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial _____ |
| 11) | Refer to a racial, religious, or ethnic group? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial _____ |
| 12) | Refer to any activity prohibited by law? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial _____ |

If the answer to any of these questions is "yes," your proposed ballot designation is likely to be rejected.

X

Candidate's Signature

Date Signed: Month/Day/Year

For your reference, attached are [Elections Code sections 13107, 13107.3, and 13107.5](#), and [California Code of Regulations \(CCR\), title 2, section 20711](#). You also may wish to consult [CCR, title 2, sections, 20712-20719](#) (found at www.sos.ca.gov).



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COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY IF one or more Alternate Ballot Designation(s) are provided. If this page is not applicable, please initial: _____.

Justification for
Alternate Ballot
Designation(s) 1

A

Justification for use of 1st PVO:		
Current or most recent job title:	Start Date:	End Date:
Employer Name or Business:		
Person who can verify this information:		
Name:	Phone Number(s):	Email:
Justification for use of 2nd PVO:		
Current or most recent job title:	Start Date:	End Date:
Employer Name or Business:		
Person who can verify this information:		
Name:	Phone Number(s):	Email:
Justification for use of 3rd PVO:		
Current or most recent job title:	Start Date:	End Date:
Employer Name or Business:		
Person who can verify this information:		
Name:	Phone Number(s):	Email:

Justification for
Alternate Ballot
Designation(s) 2

B

Justification for use of 1st PVO:		
Current or most recent job title:	Start Date:	End Date:
Employer Name or Business:		
Person who can verify this information:		
Name:	Phone Number(s):	Email:
Justification for use of 2nd PVO:		
Current or most recent job title:	Start Date:	End Date:
Employer Name or Business:		
Person who can verify this information:		
Name:	Phone Number(s):	Email:
Justification for use of 3rd PVO:		
Current or most recent job title:	Start Date:	End Date:
Employer Name or Business:		
Person who can verify this information:		
Name:	Phone Number(s):	Email:



For your reference, the relevant provisions of Elections Code section 13107 are reproduced below:

(a) With the exception of candidates for Justice of the State Supreme Court or court of appeal, immediately under the name of each candidate, and not separated from the name by any line, unless the designation made by the candidate pursuant to Section 8002.5 must be listed immediately below the name of the candidate pursuant to Section 13105, and in that case immediately under the designation, may appear at the option of the candidate only one of the following designations:

(1) Words designating the elective city, county, district, state, or federal office which the candidate holds at the time of filing the nomination documents to which the candidate was elected by vote of the people.

(2) The word "incumbent" if the candidate is a candidate for the same office which the candidate holds at the time of filing the nomination papers, and was elected to that office by a vote of the people. A candidate shall not use the word "incumbent" if the candidate was elected to their office in an at-large election and is a candidate in a district-based election.

(3) No more than three words designating either the current principal professions, vocations, or occupations of the candidate, or the principal professions, vocations, or occupations of the candidate during the calendar year immediately preceding the filing of nomination documents.

(4) The phrase "appointed incumbent" if the candidate holds an office by virtue of appointment, and the candidate is a candidate for election to the same office, or, if the candidate is a candidate for election to the same office or to some other office, the word "appointed" and the title of the office. In either instance, the candidate may not use the unmodified word "incumbent" or any words designating the office unmodified by the word "appointed." However, the phrase "appointed incumbent" shall not be required of a candidate who seeks reelection to an office which the candidate holds and to which the candidate was appointed, as a nominated candidate, in lieu of an election, pursuant to Sections 5326 and 5328 of the Education Code or Section 7228, 7423, 7673, 10229, or 10515 of this code.

(b) (1) Except as specified in paragraph (2), for candidates for judicial office, immediately under the name of each candidate, and not separated from the name by any line, only one of the following designations may appear at the option of the candidate:

(A) Words designating the city, county, district, state, or federal office held by the candidate at the time of filing the nomination documents.

(B) The word "incumbent" if the candidate is a candidate for the same office that the candidate holds at the time of filing the nomination papers.

(C) No more than three words designating either the current principal professions, vocations, or occupations of the candidate, or the principal professions, vocations, or occupations of the candidate during the calendar year immediately preceding the filing of nomination documents.

(2) For a candidate for judicial office who is an active member of the State Bar employed by a city, county, district, state, or by the United States, the designation shall appear as one of the following:

(A) Words designating the actual job title, as defined by statute, charter, or other governing instrument.

(B) One of the following ballot designations: "Attorney," "Attorney at Law," "Lawyer," or "Counselor at Law." The designations "Attorney" and "Lawyer" may be used in combination with one other current principal profession, vocation, or occupation of the candidate, or the principal profession, vocation, or occupation of the candidate during the calendar year immediately preceding the filing of nomination documents.

(3) A designation made pursuant to subparagraph (A) of paragraph (1) or paragraph (2) shall also contain relevant qualifiers, as follows:

(A) If the candidate is an official or employee of a city, the name of the city shall appear preceded by the words "City of."

(B) If the candidate is an official or employee of a county, the name of the county shall appear preceded by the words "County of."

(C) If the candidate is an official or employee of a city and county, the name of the city and county shall appear preceded by the words "City and County."

(D) If the candidate performs quasi-judicial functions for a governmental agency, the full name of the agency shall be included.

(c) A candidate for superior court judge who is an active member of the State Bar and practices law as one of the candidate's principal professions shall use one of the following ballot designations as the candidate's ballot designation: "Attorney," "Attorney at Law," "Lawyer," or "Counselor at Law." The designations "Attorney" and "Lawyer" may be used in combination with one other current principal profession, vocation, or occupation of the candidate, or the principal profession, vocation, or occupation of the candidate during the calendar year immediately preceding the filing of nomination documents.

(d) For purposes of this section, all California geographical names shall be considered to be one word. Hyphenated words that appear in any generally available standard reference dictionary, published in the United States at any time within the 10 calendar years immediately preceding the election for which the words are counted, including a generally available standard reference dictionary published online, shall be considered as one word. Each part of all other hyphenated words shall be counted as a separate word.

(e) The Secretary of State and any other elections official shall not accept a designation of which any of the following would be true:



**California Secretary of State
BALLOT DESIGNATION WORKSHEET**

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- (1) It would mislead the voter.
- (2) It would suggest an evaluation of a candidate, such as outstanding, leading, expert, virtuous, or eminent.
- (3) It abbreviates the word “retired” or places it following any word or words which it modifies.
- (4) It uses a word or prefix, such as “former” or “ex-,” which means a prior status. The only exception is the use of the word “retired.”
- (5) It uses the name of any political party, whether or not it has qualified for the ballot.
- (6) It uses a word or words referring to a racial, religious, or ethnic group.
- (7) It refers to any activity prohibited by law.

(f) If, upon checking the nomination documents and the ballot designation worksheet described in Section 13107.3, the elections official finds the designation to be in violation of any of the restrictions set forth in this section, the elections official shall notify the candidate by registered or certified mail return receipt requested, addressed to the mailing address provided on the candidate’s ballot designation worksheet.

(1) The candidate shall, within three days, excluding Saturday, Sunday, and state holidays, from the date the candidate receives notice by registered or certified mail, or from the date the candidate receives actual notice of the violation, whichever occurs first, appear before the elections official or, in the case of the Secretary of State, notify the Secretary of State by telephone, and provide a designation that complies with subdivision (a) or (b).

(2) If a candidate fails to provide a designation that complies with subdivision (a) or (b) within the three-day period specified in paragraph (1), a designation shall not appear after the candidate’s name.

(g) A designation given by a candidate shall not be changed by the candidate after the final date for filing nomination documents, except as specifically requested by the elections official as specified in subdivision (f) or as provided in subdivision (h). The elections official shall maintain a copy of the ballot designation worksheet for each candidate that appears on the ballot in the county for the same period of time as applied to nomination documents pursuant to Section 17100.

(h) The designation shall remain the same for all purposes of both primary and general elections, unless the candidate, at least 98 days before the general election, requests in writing a different designation which the candidate is entitled to use at the time of the request.

(i) In all cases, the words so used shall be printed in a manner consistent with the space requirements of Sections 13207 and 13211.

(j) If a foreign language translation of a candidate’s designation is required under the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965 (52 U.S.C. Sec. 10101 et seq.), as amended, to appear on the ballot in addition to the English language version, it shall be as short as possible, as consistent as is practicable with this section, and shall employ abbreviations and initials wherever possible in order to avoid undue length.

For your reference, Elections Code section 13107.3 is reproduced below:

- (a) A candidate who submits a ballot designation pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 13107 shall file a ballot designation worksheet that supports the use of that ballot designation by the candidate, in a format prescribed by the Secretary of State.
- (b) The ballot designation worksheet shall be filed with the elections official at the same time that the candidate files his or her declaration of candidacy.
- (c) In the event that a candidate fails to file a ballot designation worksheet in accordance with subdivision (a), no designation shall appear under the candidate’s name on the ballot.

For your reference, Elections Code section 13107.5 is reproduced below:

- (a) A candidate’s ballot designation as “community volunteer” shall constitute a valid principal vocation or occupation for purposes of subdivision (a) of Section 13107, if not otherwise in violation of any of the restrictions set forth in that section, and subject to the following conditions:
 - (1) A candidate’s community volunteer activities constitute his or her principal profession, vocation, or occupation.
 - (2) A candidate is not engaged concurrently in another principal profession, vocation, or occupation.
 - (3) A candidate may not use the designation of “community volunteer” in combination with any other principal profession, vocation, or occupation designation.
- (b) The Secretary of State shall by regulation define what constitutes a community volunteer for purposes of this section.



For your reference, California Code of Regulations section 20711 is reproduced below:

(a) In order to facilitate review of a candidate's proposed ballot designation by the Secretary of State pursuant to Elections Code § 13107, the candidate shall submit, at the time of filing his or her proposed ballot designation on the Declaration of Candidacy, a completed Ballot Designation Worksheet on a form provided by the Secretary of State.

(b) All Ballot Designation Worksheets filed with the Office of the Secretary of State or the county elections officials pursuant to this section shall be public records and shall be available for inspection and copying at the public counter of the Elections Division of the Office of the Secretary of State, Fifth Floor, 1500 11th Street, Sacramento, California 95814, or at the office of the applicable county elections official.

(c) The Secretary of State shall provide a master copy or copies of the Ballot Designation Worksheet to all elections officials responsible for providing and accepting the nomination documents for candidates in elections for offices certified by the Secretary of State. The Ballot Designation Worksheet shall request that the candidate proposing the ballot designation provide the following information:

(1) The candidate's name, home, business and mailing addresses, telephone numbers, e-mail address, if available, and fax number;

(2) A designation of the office for which the candidate is seeking election;

(3) The name, home, business and mailing addresses, telephone numbers, e-mail address, if available, and fax number of the attorney representing the candidate or for any other person to be contacted in the event the Secretary of State requires further information regarding the proposed ballot designation;

(4) The proposed ballot designation submitted by the candidate;

(5) The candidate may submit one or more proposed alternate ballot designations ranked in order of the candidate's preference;

(6) A brief statement identifying the factual basis upon which the candidate claims the proposed ballot designation and each proposed alternate ballot designation, including the following:

(A) If the candidate holds elected office and is submitting his or her proposed ballot designation pursuant to Elections Code § 13107, subdivisions (a)(1) or (a)(2), the candidate shall indicate the elective office he or she currently occupies and may attach a copy of his or her Certificate of Election;

(B) If the candidate is a judicial officer and is submitting his or her proposed ballot designation pursuant to Elections Code § 13107, subdivisions (a)(1) or (a)(2), the candidate shall indicate the elective office he or she currently holds and may attach either (A) a copy of his or her Certificate of Election or (B) a copy of his or her commission or certificate of appointment, issued at the time the candidate was appointed to the judicial office which he or she currently occupies;

(C) If the candidate submits a ballot designation pursuant to Elections Code § 13107, subdivision (a)(3), the candidate shall indicate:

(i) The title of the position or positions which he or she claims supports the proposed ballot designation;

(ii) The dates during which the candidate held such position;

(iii) A description of the work he or she performs in the position;

(iv) The name of the candidate's business or employer;

(v) The name and telephone number of a person or persons who could verify such information; and

(vi) A statement that the professions, vocations or occupations relied upon to support the proposed ballot designation constitute the primary, main or leading professions, vocations or occupations of the candidate, in accordance with the definition of the term "principal" as set forth at § 20714, subdivision (b).

(D) If the candidate submits a ballot designation pursuant to Elections Code § 13107, subdivision (a)(4), the candidate shall indicate the date on which he or she was appointed to the office for which he or she is an appointed incumbent.

(d) The candidate may attach or append any supporting documents or other exhibits to his or her Ballot Designation Worksheet which he or she believes support his or her proposed ballot designation. Such attached documents or other exhibits shall be deemed to be incorporated by reference as part of the candidate's Ballot Designation Worksheet and shall be considered as such by the Secretary of State.

(e) If a candidate requests a change of his or her ballot designation pursuant to Elections Code § 13107(e), that request shall be accompanied by a Ballot Designation Worksheet.



For Official Use Only
Date Received

SIGN REMOVAL AFFIDAVIT - STATEMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY

Election Type (Check One): Primary General Special

Office Sought:

Election Date:

Candidate Name:

Committee Address:

Contact Name:

Phone Number:

Email Address:

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Please Initial:

1. Campaign signs cannot be placed: on telephone poles, on streets signs or trees, on sidewalks or median islands, in parks or other public areas in Long Beach.
2. No person, except a public officer or employee performing a public duty, shall place any sign on, above, along or within any public property.
3. Any person or entity responsible that fails to adhere to the law shall be liable for the City's costs incurred in the removal of such sign, and the City Manager or his/her designee is authorized to collect said costs.

I hereby accept responsibility for the proper placement and removal of all Temporary Signs placed pursuant to Long Beach Municipal Code Sections 21.44.600 & 21.44.900 and all applicable Government Codes.

Candidate Signature:

Date:

For more information, please contact our office at (562) 570-6101.



**STATEMENT OF ACCEPTANCE OR REJECTION
OF EXPENDITURE CEILINGS**

Election Type (Check One): Primary General

Office Sought:

Election Date:

Candidate Name:

Committee Name:

Committee ID:

Candidate acceptance or rejection of expenditure ceilings. (LBMC Section 2.01.510)

- A. Each candidate for office, at the time of filing his or her nomination papers, shall file a statement accepting or rejecting the expenditure ceilings in Division IV.
- B. If a candidate declines to accept the expenditure ceilings in Section 2.01.410, the candidate shall be nonetheless subject to the contribution limitations in Section 2.01.310.
- C. A candidate who agrees to accept the expenditure ceilings in Section 2.01.410 may not change that decision, except that if an opposing candidate files a statement of rejection, then the candidate may rescind his or her acceptance within ten (10) calendar days of the last date for filing nomination papers provided that the candidate has not accepted any contributions in amounts greater than the limitations set forth in Section 2.01.310.
- D. If a primary candidate advances to the general municipal election, such candidate shall file a statement accepting or rejecting the expenditure ceilings with the City Clerk no later than five (5) working days after the primary nominating election results are officially declared by the City Council.

In accordance with the Long Beach Municipal Code Section 2.01.510 of the Long Beach Campaign Reform Act, I hereby agree to:

Accept Expenditure Ceiling

Reject Expenditure Ceiling

I understand that for the office I am seeking, the expenditure ceiling is:

I further understand that if I accept or reject the expenditure ceilings, I am still subject to the campaign contribution limitations of the Campaign Reform Act.

I further understand that acceptance of the expenditure ceiling may not be rescinded unless an opposing candidate for the same elected municipal office files a statement of rejection.

Candidate Signature:

Date:

For more information, please contact our office at (562) 570-6101.



DEAN C. LOGAN
Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk

TRANSLITERATION FORM FOR LOCAL JURISDICTIONS (Cities, School Districts, Water Districts, etc.)

I, _____, candidate for nomination to the _____ office of

agree as indicated below:

CHECK ONE:

I will accept the transliteration of my name provided by the Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk in Armenian, Bengali, Burmese, Cambodian/Khmer, Chinese, Farsi, Gujarati, Hindi, Japanese, Korean, Mongolian, Russian, Telugu, and Thai.

OR

I am submitting an attachment of the transliteration(s) for the language(s) below. I will accept the transliteration of my name provided by the Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk for any language not submitted.

<u>Languages</u>	<u>Name Transliteration</u>	<u>Languages</u>	<u>Name Transliteration</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Armenian:		<input type="checkbox"/> Japanese:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bengali:		<input type="checkbox"/> Korean:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Burmese:		<input type="checkbox"/> Mongolian:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cambodian/Khmer:		<input type="checkbox"/> Russian:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Chinese:		<input type="checkbox"/> Telugu:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Farsi:		<input type="checkbox"/> Thai:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Gujarati:			
<input type="checkbox"/> Hindi:			

GENDER IDENTIFICATION:

Male Female Non-Binary

I am aware of the deadline to submit transliterations and review period. I understand that I may request changes to transliterations during the review period and that transliterations are considered final upon expiration of the deadline. I further understand that there will not be an extension of the review period.

Candidate's Signature

Date

Candidate Filing #:

LOS ANGELES COUNTY
REGISTRAR-RECORDER/COUNTY CLERK

NEW SERVICE FOR LIMITED-ENGLISH VOTERS:

TRANSLITERATION OF
CANDIDATE NAMES

BACKGROUND:

Public Law 109-246 extended the Voting Rights Act of 1965 (VRA) to federally mandate that Los Angeles County provide written and oral election assistance to limited-English, Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Spanish, Tagalog/Filipino and Vietnamese speaking voters. In January 2000, the Department of Justice further directed this office to transliterate the names of candidates in those languages that do not use Roman Characters. (Transliteration is the process of reproducing phonetic sounds as closely as possible from one alphabet or writing system into another.) At that time, these languages included Chinese, Japanese and Korean.

After the 2010 Census, the following languages were included: Cambodian/Khmer, Hindi, and Thai.

In 2018 two languages were added: Armenian and Farsi.

In 2020 five languages were added: Bengali, Burmese, Gujarati, Mongolian, Telugu.

In 2021 one language was added: Russian.

PROCESS:

This department will transliterate your name in Armenian, Bengali, Burmese, Cambodian / Khmer, Chinese, Farsi, Gujarati, Hindi, Japanese, Korean, Mongolian, Russian, Telugu, and Thai. Candidates will also be permitted to submit their own transliterations for each or all of these languages. A review period will be established to allow candidates to request changes prior to the deadline set to print translated Official Sample Ballot Booklets. Various minority community groups and news media assist this office by reviewing submitted transliterations to insure uniform name recognition within the community. Once transliterations are considered final, no further changes or submissions of transliterations are considered final, no further changes or submissions of transliteration requests will be accepted after the review period. **There will be no exceptions.**

TRANSLITERATION FORM:

All candidates will be required to file this document together with their nomination documents but no later than the last day to file these documents.

CITY OF LONG BEACH
Code of Fair Campaign Practices Pledge
(Elections Code § 20440)

There are basic principles of decency, honesty, and fair play which every candidate for public office in the State of California has a moral obligation to observe and uphold in order that, after vigorously contested but fairly conducted campaigns, our citizens may exercise their constitutional right to a free and untrammelled choice and the will of the people may be fully and clearly expressed on the issues.

THEREFORE:

(1) **I SHALL CONDUCT** my campaign openly and publicly, discussing the issues as I see them, presenting my record and policies with sincerity and frankness, and criticizing without fear or favor the record and policies of my opponents or political parties that merit this criticism.

(2) **I SHALL NOT USE OR PERMIT** the use of character defamation, whispering campaigns, libel, slander, or scurrilous attacks on any candidate or their personal or family life.

(3) **I SHALL NOT USE OR PERMIT** any appeal to negative prejudice based on a candidate's actual or perceived race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, physical disability, mental disability, medical condition, marital status, age, sexual orientation, sex, including gender identity, or any other characteristic set forth in Section 12940 of the Government Code, or association with another person who has any of the actual or perceived characteristics set forth in Section 12940 of the Government Code.

(4) **I SHALL NOT USE OR PERMIT** any dishonest or unethical practice that tends to corrupt or undermine our American system of free elections, or that hampers or prevents the full and free expression of the will of the voters including acts intended to hinder or prevent any eligible person from registering to vote, enrolling to vote, or voting.

(5) **I SHALL NOT** coerce election help or campaign contributions for myself or for any other candidate from my employees.

(6) **I SHALL IMMEDIATELY AND PUBLICLY REPUDIATE** support deriving from any individual or group that resorts, on behalf of my candidacy or in opposition to that of my opponent, to the methods and tactics that I condemn. I shall accept responsibility to take firm action against any subordinate who violates any provision of this code or the laws governing elections.

(7) **I SHALL DEFEND AND UPHOLD** the right of every qualified American voter to full and equal participation in the electoral process.

I, the undersigned, candidate for election to public office in the State of California or treasurer or chairperson of a committee making any independent expenditures, hereby voluntarily endorse, subscribe to, and solemnly pledge myself to conduct my campaign in accordance with the above principles and practices.

Signature of Candidate

Date