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TO: EACH SUPERVISOR

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STATUS REPORT ON STATEWIDE SPECIAL AND CONSOLIDATED ELECTIONS

Attached is the second status report regarding major events in process for the October 7, 2003 Statewide Special and November 4, 2003 Consolidated Elections. As in past major elections, these reports will be provided periodically to keep you apprised of major milestones and the status of election tasks.

Statewide Special Election – October 7, 2003

The candidate filing period for this Special Statewide Election closed on August 9, 2003. A total of 135 candidates for the office of Governor qualified for placement on the recall election ballot. This election will involve 1,938 precincts requiring the recruitment of approximately 14,000 pollworkers. To date, all polling locations have been secured and only 122 inspectors and 6,508 clerks have yet to be recruited. Preparation for launching touchscreen voting at 12 locations throughout the County is on schedule. The sample ballot has 287 ballot groups and is currently in printing. Sample ballot mailing begins on September 03, 2003 and will continue through September 16, 2003.

Consolidated Elections – November 4, 2003

The November 4, 2003 Consolidated Elections will encompass 982 election precincts requiring the recruitment of 3,928 pollworkers. To date, all polling locations have been secured and only 30 inspectors and 793 clerks have yet to be recruited. The candidate filing period for this election closed on August 8, 2003. A total of 528 candidate's filed nomination papers for the election.

Please call me if you have any questions regarding this report or any other election preparation activity.

Attachments

**OCTOBER 7, 2003 SPECIAL STATEWIDE ELECTION
STATUS OF EVENTS PERFORMED**

<u>EVENT</u>	<u>SCHEDULED COMPLETION</u>	<u>ACTUAL COMPLETION</u>
2. <u>Recruit and Appoint Precinct Officers</u>	10/06/03	
This election will involve 1,938 precincts requiring the recruitment of approximately 12,000 pollworkers. Recruitment of precinct officers is proceeding on schedule.		
3. <u>Update Registration Records</u>	09/22/03	
The August 18, 2003 update of the registration records total 3,934,638 registered voters. This event is proceeding on schedule.		
4. <u>Testing of Election Night Data Processing Hard/Ware and Programs</u>	10/07/03	
Testing of election night tally programs is in process. This event is proceeding on schedule.		

MILESTONE STATUS REPORT OF KEY EVENTS

Statewide Special Election October 7, 2003

EVENT	WEEK ENDING								
	8/15	8/22	8/29	9/5	9/12	9/19	9/26	10/3	10/10
1. FINALIZE BALLOT PAGE DESIGN.		▲ 8/22							
2. RECRUIT AND APPOINT PRECINCT OFFICERS.								△ 10/6	
3. UPDATE REGISTRATION RECORDS.							△ 9/22		
4. TESTING OF ELECTION NIGHT DATA PROCESSING HARDWARE AND PROGRAMS.									△ 10/7
5. RECEIVE SAMPLE BALLOTS AND BALLOT PAGES FROM PRINTERS.						△ 9/19			
6. MAIL SAMPLE BALLOTS.								△ 9/29	
7. PRECINCT SUPPLIES AND VOTE RECORDERS ASSEMBLED.							△ 9/26		
8. BOOTH AND SUPPLIES PICKED-UP BY PRECINCT INSPECTORS.								△ 9/27	

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MILESTONE STATUS REPORT OF KEY EVENTS

Consolidated Election November 4, 2003

EVENT	WEEK ENDING								
	9/12	9/19	9/26	10/3	10/10	10/17	10/24	10/31	11/7
1. FINALIZE BALLOT PAGE DESIGN.		△ 9/13							
2. RECRUIT AND APPOINT PRECINCT OFFICERS.									△ 11/3
3. UPDATE REGISTRATION RECORDS.							△ 10/20		
4. TESTING OF ELECTION NIGHT DATA PROCESSING HARDWARE AND PROGRAMS.									△ 11/4
5. RECEIVE SAMPLE BALLOTS AND BALLOT PAGES FROM PRINTERS.				△ 10/3					
6. MAIL SAMPLE BALLOTS.						△ 10/14			
7. PRECINCT SUPPLIES AND VOTE RECORDERS ASSEMBLED.								△ 10/25	
8. BOOTH AND SUPPLIES PICKED-UP BY PRECINCT INSPECTORS.								△ 10/25	

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