Election 2020

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How is Election 2020 Different?

Challenges to Latino Voter Participation in the 2020 Election

1. COVID-19 Will Distract Potential Voters Concerned with the Health and Economic Challenges of the Pandemic
2. Closures Have Severely Limited Voter Registration Opportunities and Depressed Voter Registration Rates
3. An Increased Emphasis on VBM Voting May Create Barriers for Voters Who Need or Prefer In-Person Voting
4. Significant Changes to Voting Procedures and Polling Place Operations May Confuse or Create Other Barriers for Voters
5. Enhanced Reliance on Internet and Mobile Communications Will Increase the Potential Influence of Misinformation
You are eligible to vote if you are:

- A U.S. citizen living in California
- At least 18 years old
- Registered where you currently live
- Not currently in state or federal prison or on parole for the conviction of a felony
- Not currently found mentally incompetent to vote by a court
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<th>Question</th>
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<td>1 Did you or do you feel you were being threatened differently? Were you able to communicate effectively with poll workers?</td>
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<td>2 Were you able to cast a regular ballot? If not, were you offered or provided upon request with a provisional ballot?</td>
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<td>3 Were you asked for (incorrect) voter identification?</td>
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<td>4 Was your registration status what you expected it to be?</td>
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<td>5 Were there individuals attempting to intimidate you at the polls?</td>
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<td>6 How long did you wait to vote? Were there broken voting machines or other infrastructure malfunctioning?</td>
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<td>7 Did you receive materials, including ballots, in the mail as expected?</td>
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Voice and Role

• Positive Tone (Not Fear-Driven)
• Non-Partisan
• Emphasis on American Democracy Overall
• Highlight Importance of Latino Community in Civic Life
• We Do Not Endorse Political Candidates or Parties
California Deadlines

Voter Registration: October 19th
Same day voter registration is available.

Request Vote By Mail Ballot: Must arrive by October 27th but all voters are being mailed a ballot

Submit Vote By Mail Ballot: Postmarked by November 3rd

Early Voting Period: Starts October 5th in some counties
Resources

NEF Election 2020 – Latino Voters at Risk

NEF 2020 Latino Election Handbook

National Voter Registration Day – Toolkit

CA State Elections and Voter Information
At the core of Election Protection are four national hotlines to provide voters with critical election information, resolve issues, and document irregularities. During election season, the four hotlines are linked together.

(866) OUR-VOTE
(888) VE-Y-VOTA
(888) API-VOTE
(844) YALLA-US
Thank you!

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