



Hermosa Beach

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Staff Report

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Honorable Mayor and Members of the Hermosa Beach City Council Regular Meeting of February 14, 2017

MARCH 7, 2017 COUNTYWIDE ELECTION UPDATE (City Clerk Elaine Doerfling)

At the last meeting, I reported on the March 7, 2017 election called by the L.A. County Board of Supervisors for the purpose of submitting to voters a proposal to levy a ¼ cent special sales tax for ten years to fund services for the County's homeless population.

The County's mailing of official sample ballot booklets began January 26 and continues through February 14; the mailing of vote-by-mail (VBM) ballots began February 6. ***The deadline for a registered voter to apply for a vote-by-mail ballot is February 28.***

Voter registration may be handled online at the County's website www.lavote.net <<http://www.lavote.net>> or by mail (forms are available in my office). ***The registration deadline for voting in the March 7 election is Tuesday, February 21.***

There will be designated polling places in Hermosa Beach on Election Day for those who prefer voting in person - those polls will open at 7 a.m. and close at 8 p.m. The County has also set up ***early voting locations (one at El Camino College) for the weekend of Saturday, March 4, and Sunday, March 5, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.***

As a service to our VBM voters who prefer to drop off their ballots rather than mail them to the County, my office has again volunteered to be a ***"VBM ballot drop-off location" from Monday, February 6 through Monday, March 6.*** The official locked ballot box (delivered by the County) is located in ***Room 203 at City Hall*** and available for use only during the City's posted office hours (***7 a.m. - 6 p.m., Monday - Thursday***).

Attachments:

1. Registration/voting information
2. Weekend early voting locations
3. Vote-by-mail drop-off locations

Submitted by: Elaine Doerfling, City Clerk

Noted: John Jalili, Interim City Manager