



## IMPERIAL COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICE PRESS RELEASE

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### **Imperial County June 7 Primary Election Update**

The Imperial County Registrar of Voters has issued an “Unofficial Election Results” update on the Registrar’s website at [www.Elections.ImperialCounty.org](http://www.Elections.ImperialCounty.org) for the June 7 Primary Election. The unofficial update will include polling site ballots and vote-by-mail (VBM) ballots received or post-marked on or before Election Day. This will not be a final tally of all ballots. As mandated by the State of California, the Registrar of Voters has until July 7, 2022 to certify the election.

The Registrar’s Office estimates there are approximately 800 provisional ballots remaining to be tallied.

Provisional ballots are cast at polling places on Election Day. Reasons why a voter is issued a provisional ballot include:

- The voter’s name is listed on the Active Voter Roster List as a Vote-by-Mail Voter and the voter is unable to surrender his/her vote-by-mail ballot in order to be issued a polls ballot.
- The voter’s name is not printed in the Roster-Index, has moved and did not re-register to vote at his/her new residence address.
- A voter is voting in the wrong voting precinct and not his/her assigned voting precinct.
- A first time voter who is required to provide ID, but is unable to do so.
- The voter’s eligibility to vote cannot be determined by the poll worker.

The procedure for tallying provisional ballots is a lengthy process and takes longer to verify because of the numerous checks involved in the process to ensure the accuracy and integrity of the election. Provisional ballots are counted after all voter rosters are reviewed and the voter’s history is applied to the voter’s record, which require additional steps.

Please note, the next update will be posted on the Registrar of Voters’ website once all provisional ballots are verified, processed, and tabulated.

The Registrar’s staff will work diligently to complete the processing of ballots and update the public of results in a timely manner. The Registrar’s office wishes to thank the public for their patience as staff and poll workers continue to process ballots.

For further information, visit the Registrar of Voters’ website at [www.Elections.ImperialCounty.org](http://www.Elections.ImperialCounty.org).

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