

# County of Santa Clara

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## **POLLS OPEN FOR AUGUST 16, 2016 SPECIAL ELECTION IN SUNNYVALE**

**SANTA CLARA COUNTY, CALIF.** – All 28 polling places in Sunnyvale are now open to eligible voters for the August 16, 2016 Special Election. The 28 polling places, as well as the Voting Center located at the Registrar of Voters' Office, will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. today.

Voters who received ballots by mail may drop off their ballots at any Polling Place, Ballot Drop-Off Site or the Santa Clara County Registrar of Voters' Office prior to 8 p.m. tonight. A complete list of ballot drop-off locations and hours was included with the Vote by Mail ballot and may be found on the Registrar of Voters' website at [August 16 Special Election Ballot Drop-Off Sites](#).

Vote by Mail ballots that are returned by mail must be postmarked on or before Election Day and must be received by Friday, August 19 (three days after the election). No postage is required to return ballots by mail.

Voters may locate their polling places by checking the back of their Sample Ballot and Voter Information Pamphlet, by visiting the Registrar of Voters' website at [sccvote.org](#), by using the free [SCCVOTE mobile app](#) (which is available for download on Android and Apple devices) or by calling 1-866-430-VOTE (8683).

Election materials and bilingual assistance are available in Chinese, Hindi, Japanese, Korean, Spanish, Tagalog, and Vietnamese. Call 1-408-299-8683 (VOTE) for assistance.

Media outlets that would like to capture footage at polling places or the Registrar of Voters' Office should contact Media Officer Philip Chantri at (408)282-3008.

### **August 16, 2016 Special Election**

The August 16, 2016 Special Election is being held to fill a vacancy on the Sunnyvale City Council for an unexpired term. Because this Special Election involves one contest in the City of Sunnyvale, only voters who live in Sunnyvale are eligible to participate.

Total Registration (as of 8/15/16)	56,122
Permanent Vote By Mail (as of 8/15/16)	39,713
Military & Overseas Voters (as of 8/15/16)	501

Board of Supervisors: Mike Wasserman, Cindy Chavez, Dave Cortese, Ken Yeager, S. Joseph Simitian  
County Executive: Jeffrey V. Smith



Voters by Language (as of 8/15/16)	English: 52,922	Chinese: 1,429	Spanish: 715	Tagalog: 300	Vietnamese: 614
	Japanese 7	Korean: 116	Hindi: 14	Khmer: 0	Thai: 1
Voters by Qualified Political Parties (as of 8/15/16)	Democratic (DEM): 26,344 Republican (REP): 10,204 American Independent (AI): 921 Green (GRN): 224 Libertarian (LIB): 392 Peace & Freedom (PF): 92 No Party Preference/Other: 17,843				

### Election Night Results and Information

Election results will be available at [sccvote.org](http://sccvote.org). The first results with preliminary Vote by Mail ballot tallies and Early Voting ballot tallies will be issued online at approximately 8:05 p.m.

The Registrar of Voters' Office will post updated polling place results on its website at [Election Results](#) and on its [Twitter](#) and [Facebook](#) pages at approximate intervals of 45 minutes until all precincts have reported.

### Vote by Mail Ballot Drop-Off Sites:

Voters who received Vote by Mail ballots have the option of dropping off their completed ballots at the following locations:

#### Open during normal business hours today:

Santa Clara County Government Center – 1st Floor, 70 W. Hedding Street, San Jose  
Sunnyvale City Hall – City Finance Office, 650 W. Olive Avenue, Sunnyvale

#### Extended hours until 8:00 p.m. today:

Registrar of Voters' Office – Parking lot near the flagpole, 1555 Berger Drive, Building 2, San Jose  
Sunnyvale Public Library – Outside drop-box, 665 W. Olive Avenue, Sunnyvale

For more information, contact the Registrar of Voters' Office at 1-408-299-VOTE (8683) or toll-free at 1-866-430-VOTE (8683), or visit [www.sccvote.org](http://www.sccvote.org).

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