

# County of Santa Clara

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## **POLLS CLOSE FOR AUGUST 16 SPECIAL ELECTION IN SUNNYVALE**

*10,478 Vote by Mail Ballots Tallied and Reported*

**SANTA CLARA COUNTY, CALIF.** – The Santa Clara County Registrar of Voters' Office has reported that polls have closed for the August 16, 2016 Special Election in Sunnyvale and released the first election night results. The Special Election was held to fill a vacancy on the Sunnyvale City Council for an unexpired term; only voters who live in Sunnyvale were eligible to participate.

The results released at 8:01 p.m. include 10,478 returned Vote by Mail and Early Voting ballots out of 41,103 Vote by Mail and Early Voting ballots issued.

The Registrar of Voters' Office will post updated results approximately every 45 minutes and will continue updating results until all precincts have reported. For live election results, follow the Registrar of Voters on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and on the [sccvote.org](http://www.sccvote.org) website at [Election Results](#).

Vote by Mail ballots may be counted if they are postmarked on or before Election Day and arrive within three days of the election. The Registrar of Voters' Office is required to wait until Friday, August 19, to determine the exact number of outstanding Vote by Mail ballots before adding them to the final results tally.

Media outlets that want to capture footage of the ballot-counting process at the Registrar of Voters' Office should contact Media Officer Philip Chantri at 1-408-282-3008.

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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