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NOTICE

**INDEPENDENT SPECIAL DISTRICT SELECTION COMMITTEE
VOTING PERIOD EXTENDED**

The period in which to submit ballots to appoint a Voting Member on the Commission (LAFCO) representing independent special districts concluded at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 1, 2026.

As noted in Government Code Section 56332(f)(6), and “[f]or an election to be valid, at least a quorum of the special districts must submit valid ballots.” As of the deadline on May 1, 2026, a majority of independent special districts had not submitted ballots, and the Independent Special District Selection Committee therefore failed to meet the quorum required by law.

As further required by Government Code Section 56332 (f)(3), **I hereby extend the voting period by 60 days to 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 30, 2026.** This extension will allow those districts that have not previously voted to submit a ballot by the new deadline.

Please visit our website for voting instructions, a copy of the ballot, and the candidate nominations/statements:

[\(https://lalafco.org/en/announcement/independent-special-district-voting-member-ballot-memorandum/\)](https://lalafco.org/en/announcement/independent-special-district-voting-member-ballot-memorandum/).

Thank you.

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