CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR COUNTYWIDE INITIATIVES November 2, 2010

This calendar is for County use only. Proponents should seek their own legal advice. Dates with the (*) asterisk indicate those necessary to place a countywide initiative measure on the November 2, 2010 General Election ballot. All section references are to the California Elections Code.

	Request for Ballot Title and Summary, Notice of Intention, text of proposed measure and \$200 refundable deposit filed with the Registrar of Voters. § 9103
Day Notice of Intent is Filed	Registrar of Voters forwards text of proposed initiative to County Counsel for preparation of Ballot Title and Summary. § 9105(a)
Within 15 Days after Measure Filed	Ballot Title and Summary of initiative received from County Counsel. § 9105(a)
Day ROV Receives Ballot Title	Registrar of Voters forwards Ballot Title and Summary of initiative to proponents. § 9105(b)
October 11, 2009 (E-387)	The clock begins on the 180-day period for the proponents to circulate the petition as soon as they receive the Ballot Title and Summary of the initiative from the Registrar of Voters. NOTE: During this 180-day period and prior to circulation, proponents must publish the Notice of Intention and County Counsel's Ballot Title and Summary in a newspaper of general circulation published in the county. Proof of publication must be provided to the Registrar of Voters prior to circulation. October 11 th is the last day for the 180-day period to begin if proponents wish to have the entire 180-day period for publication of Notice of Intention/County Counsel's Ballot Title and Summary and for circulation of the petition.
April 9, 2010* (E-207)	Last day for initiative proponents to file 72,802 (10%) or 145,604 (20%) valid signatures with the Registrar of Voters. § 9107
June 9, 2010* (E-146)	Last day for Registrar of Voters to verify petition signatures in order to place on ballot. § 9114

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June 29, 2010* (E-126)	Anticipated date of Registrar of Voter's submission of certification of sufficiency of an initiative petition to Board of Supervisors (BOS). Options for BOS at that meeting include:
	 Order submission of the measure to the voters at the November 2, 2010 General Election.
	 Request various reports on the effect of proposed initiative(s). The reports shall be presented to the BOS within the time prescribed by the BOS, but no later than July 29, 2010, 30 days after certification. §§ 9111, 9114, 9116, 9118
August 6, 2010* (E-88)	County Counsel's Impartial Analysis and any Fiscal Impact Statements to be printed in the sample ballot pamphlet are due to Registrar of Voters. Last day for Direct Arguments to be filed with Registrar of Voters. §§ 9160, 9162, 9163
August 7, 2010 through August 16, 2010 (E-87 – 78)	Public Review period begins on August 7, 2010 and closes August 16, 2010, 5:00 p.m. All documents that will be subject to public review will be posted on the Registrar of Voters website and available at the Registrar of Voters office on Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Direct Arguments, Impartial Analysis and Fiscal Impact Statements are subject to legal action during this public review period. § 9190
August 16, 2010 (E-78)	Deadline for submittal of Rebuttal Arguments to be filed with Registrar of Voters. § 9167
August 17, 2010 through August 26, 2010 (E-77 – 68)	Public Review period for Rebuttal Arguments begins on August 17, 2010 and closes August 26, 2010. The Rebuttal Arguments will be posted on the Registrar of Voters website and available at the Registrar of Voters office on Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Only Rebuttal Arguments are subject to legal action during this public review period. § 9190
September 23, 2010 (E-40)	Registrar of Voters begins sample ballot mailing approximately on this date. Mailing completed no later than October 12, 2010. § 13303

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October 4, 2010	Registrar of Voters begins mailing vote-by-mail ballots. § 3001
(E-29)	
October 12, 2010 (E-21)	Sample ballot mailing ends. § 13303
October 18, 2010 (E-15)	Last day to register for November 2, 2010 General Election. § 2102
October 26, 2010 (E-7)	Vote-by-Mail ballot mailing ends. § 3001
November 2, 2010 (E-0)	Election Day.