

# MONTEREY COUNTY ELECTIONS



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## NEWS RELEASE

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### MONTEREY COUNTY ELECTIONS REMINDS VOTERS TO REGISTER TO VOTE FOR THE MAY 3, 2011 MONTEREY PENINSULA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT DIVISION 1 ALL MAIL BALLOT ELECTION – VERIFY STATUS ONLINE TODAY!

**Salinas, CA** – The Monterey County Elections Department would like to remind voters that the May Monterey Peninsula Water Management District Division 1 All Mail Ballot Election is less than one month away and there is still time to get on the rolls to participate!

Anyone can verify whether or not Monterey County Elections has their record up to date by using the link on the Department's home page, "***Are You Registered to Vote in Monterey County?***"

The **deadline** to register to vote is ***Monday, April 18, 2011***. However, voters are encouraged to ***REGISTER TO VOTE NOW*** in order to guarantee they receive their local election material before Election Day. There are two easy ways to register to vote: **1. IN PERSON:** Stop by the Monterey County Elections Department in Salinas or pick up a voter registration form at any post office, library, your local City Clerk's Office, and offices of the DMV. **2. ONLINE** by filling out the form through the Secretary of State's Office at [www.sos.ca.gov](http://www.sos.ca.gov) – look for the yellow "Register to Vote" button on the right side of the page. We suggest you make sure you see the postal worker date stamp your completed form because **POST MARKS ARE ACCEPTED** on voter registration forms.

Voters can also verify their local voter information pamphlet and a sample of their official ballot by selecting "***Where do I vote?***" from the left side of the homepage.

Information about the May 3, 2011 Monterey Peninsula Water Management District Division 1 All Mail Ballot Election such as qualifications to register to vote, vote by mail information, a link to verify voter registration status and access to the local voter information pamphlet can be found on the Department's website at [www.MontereyCountyElections.us](http://www.MontereyCountyElections.us) or by calling the Department at (831) 796-1499 or toll free at (866) 887-9274.

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