

Candidate Checklist – June 5, 2018 Election

Listed below is a description of the various mandatory and optional forms to be filed for candidacy in the June 5, 2018 Election. It is the obligation of the candidate to ensure that all filing requirements and deadlines have been met. All candidates are urged to file the required documents as early as possible to avoid a last minute rush, confusion or misunderstanding. Additionally, it is recommended that the candidate file all documents personally.

Document	Applies to	Filing Period	Filed
Signature-In-Lieu Petition	All candidates - Judicial, Legislative, Congressional, Board of Supervisors, and Local County Candidates	Dec. 14 – Feb. 7 (E-173 to E-118)	
Candidate’s Statement of Qualifications for State Voter Information Guide	Optional for U.S. Senate & Statewide Office candidates	Jan. 25 – Feb. 14 (E-131 to E-111)	
Declaration of Intention	Judicial Candidates only	Jan. 29 – Feb. 7 (E-127 to E-118)	
Declaration of Intention extension	Anyone other than the Judicial incumbent who did not file	Feb. 8 – Feb. 12 (E-117 to E-113)	
Declaration of Candidacy	All candidates	Feb. 12 – Mar. 9 (E-113 to E-88)	
Nomination Paper	All candidates	Feb. 12 – Mar. 9 (E-113 to E-88)	
Candidate's Statement of Qualifications for County Voter Information Guide	Optional for Judicial, Board of Supervisor, County , Congressional & Legislative candidates	(Must be filed & paid for with Dec. of Candidacy)	
Nomination Document extension	Anyone other than the incumbent who did not file	Mar. 10 – Mar. 14 (E-87 to E-83)	
Campaign Disclosure Statements	Legislative, Judicial, Board of Supervisor & County candidates	Obtain filing schedule from County Elections or online at www.fppc.ca.gov	
Code of Fair Campaign Practices	Optional for All Candidates	File with Dec. of Candidacy	
Statement of Economic Interests (Form 700)	All candidates EXCEPT candidates for U.S. Senate & Congress	File with Dec. of Candidacy	