

**MONTEREY COUNTY ELECTIONS DEPARTMENT - UPDATED TENTATIVE OBSERVATION SCHEDULE FOR THE
PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION**

March 5, 2024

<u>START DATE</u>	<u>END DATE*</u>	<u>ACTION TAKEN</u>
January 19, 2024	*	Pre-Election Logic and Accuracy Testing
February 5, 2024	*	Vote by Mail (Absentee) Ballot Processing daily
February 5, 2024	*	Ballot Scanning (VBM, EV, PP) Adjudication
February 12, 2024	*	Election Officer and Inspector Training (Additional dates if needed)
March 2, 2024	March 4, 2024	Inspector Supply Pick-up
March 5, 2024	March 5, 2024	Election Day Activities - 6 a.m. to closing: polling place activities; 8 p.m. to completion: ballot tabulation and reporting, warehouse operations, etc.
March 5, 2024	*	Results Reporting: Election Day - 8:15 p.m.; 10 p.m. (continued hourly until 100% of the Polling Places/Precincts have reported) Days After - Update reports as available, dependent upon turnout.
March 6, 2024	*	Reconciliation of Materials
March 11, 2024	*	Random Selection of Batches and 1% Manual Tally
March 7, 2024	*	Provisional Ballot Processing
	April 2, 2024	U.S. President: Counties to send Statement of Results to SOS
	April 4, 2024	Last day to Certify Election Results
March 25, 2024	*	Post-Election Logic and Accuracy Testing

Most activities begin at 8 a.m. at:

Monterey County Elections Department
1441 Schilling Place - North Building
Salinas, CA 93901

Election Day voting takes place at various locations in Monterey County from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Regular office hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Please call (831) 796-1499 for more information and to verify daily schedule of events.
Visit <https://www.montereycountyelections.us/> for more information.

* Dates for the above listed activities depend on turnout, number of contests, number of ballot cards, etc.
Please contact the Elections Office for additional details.
**Date dependent upon certification.