



**Voting Accessibility Advisory Committee (VAAC)
Agenda**

Friday, August 13, 2021

1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Zoom Meeting ID: 860 1597 0667

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1:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

I. Welcome and Introductions

1:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

II. Updates: September 14, 2021, California Gubernatorial Recall Election

A. Vote-by-mail voting

1. Accessible vote-by-mail system is available to all voters beginning August 16.
2. Voters will begin receiving their vote-by-mail paper ballots after August 11.
3. Large-print vote-by-mail ballots will be available.

B. Voter Information Pamphlets

1. Voters will receive their voter information pamphlets during the week of August 9.
2. Large print information pamphlets available
3. Audio versions of information pamphlets available
4. Accessible digital version of information pamphlet available on Department's website: sfelections.org

C. Accessible In-person Voting

1. City Hall Voting Center opens August 16 during each weekday, except Labor Day, from 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. and is also open the two weekends before Election Day, September 4 and 5, and September 11 and 12, from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

2. Curbside voting available at the City Hall Voting Center and at polling places upon request
3. Emergency ballots: The Department can deliver and pick up ballots from people who are unable to receive and vote their ballots by Election Day, including those in care facilities or who are homebound.

2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.

III. Project to develop method for people to digitally sign and return Vote-By-Mail Ballots

- A. City funding development of methods for voters to use blockchain to digitally sign and return vote-by-mail ballots
- B. VAAC members encouraged to provide input on scope of work

2:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

IV. Summary and Next Meeting

- A. Questions or comments regarding meeting topics
- B. Suggestions for future agenda items