Summer 2018

> Thank you for serving San Francisco voters throughout the long day on June 5, 2018. Your dedication makes Election Day possible. You are the Engine of the Election!

#### Turnout

November 2018 election.

A total of 253,583 voters cast their ballot this election. That's a 52.61% turnout among San Francisco's 481,991 registered voters.



## Poll Worker Recruitment

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More than 2,000 poll workers worked this Election; although many were returning poll workers, we would like to recognize the nearly 1,000 people who signed up for the first time to volunteer and serve on Election day.



#### Top high schools

What you thought

Thank you to everyone who completed our post-election survey!

It was great! We were a great team, which made serving my fellow voters all the more enjoyable.

It was a very interesting day and nice to learn something new and be able to contribute to the community. I really enjoyed my first poll worker assignment. The people I worked with set a high bar for future poll work experiences.

Looking forward to November!

### **Help Spread the Word!**

The Outreach Team is hitting the streets to educate and engage San Franciscans ahead of the November 6, 2018 Election! In addition to registering voters, the team shares information about voting options, educates voters about Ranked-Choice Voting, and supports community engagement through partnerships with community organizations.

If you are interested in having the Outreach Team participate in an event in your neighborhood, contact the Outreach division at sfoutreach@sfgov.org.

### **Non-Citizen Voting**

In 2016, San Francisco voters passed Proposition N, which changed the definition of a voter in the City, and allows certain non-citizens the right to vote for members of the Board of Education. Now, non-citizens who live in San Francisco and who will be 18 at the time of an election, and who are parents, guardians, and caregivers of children under the age of 19 who also live in San Francisco are eligible to vote in School Board elections. The first election that Prop N takes effect is the upcoming November 2018 election.

This summer, we will develop a training curriculum to equip you, our poll workers, with the information you'll need to serve non-citizen voters on Election Day. The Poll Worker Manual for the November election will cover voting procedures for standard, vote-by-mail, and provisional non-citizen voters in detail.

To give you a hint of what's ahead, procedures for noncitizen voters will mirror those for other voters. One difference is that non-citizens will vote on a one-card ballot, with only the Board of Education contest. All content and instructions will appear in four languages — English, Chinese, Spanish, and Filipino — on a single card.

In late July, visit sfelections.org for more information on the implementation of non-citizen voting.

# You're Invited

Join the Department of Elections for the opportunity to view new voting equipment that may be used in San Francisco starting in 2019! This event will be held at City Hall, outside of the office of the Department of Elections, Room 48, **July 25-31**, weekdays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The equipment that will be on display is the Democracy Suite featuring the ImageCast X, the ImageCast Evolution, and the ImageCast Central and is provided by the Dominion Voting Systems.

At this event, attendees will have hands-on experience with the voting machines through marking and casting a demonstration ballot as well as viewing a setup and breakdown of the equipment, and the process for tabulating the results. Attendees will also be given the opportunity to provide feedback on the features of the voting equipment.

This event is open to all who are interested. Your feedback will help us better serve San Francisco voters and poll workers in future elections.

For more information about this event, contact the Department of Elections at (415) 554-4375 or sfvote@sfgov.org.

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Mark your Calendars! November 6 is our next election!