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Registrar of Voters

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P.O. Box 11298
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Dear Seal Beach Voter:

Thank you for being registered to vote so your voice can be heard regarding who is elected to govern the City of Seal Beach.

This mailer explains how, when, and where to vote in the January 31, 2023 City of Seal Beach Districts 3 and 5 Municipal Run-Off Election.

The City's Charter requires the Run-Off Election because no candidate for these offices received more than 50% of the votes cast in the November 8, 2022 General Election. The Seal Beach Municipal Code also requires that this be an all mail ballot election.

This means there will NOT be in-person voting at Vote Centers for this election. All active registered voters in City Council Districts 3 and 5 will be mailed a ballot to mark at home and can cast their ballot by either:

- Placing it in the mail (no postage required, must be postmarked by January 31)
- Dropping it off at one of two ballot drop boxes in the city, City Hall, or the Registrar of Voters in Santa Ana no later than 8 p.m. on January 31

If you would like to track your vote-by-mail ballot, you can sign up to receive notifications with OC Ballot Express at **ocvote.gov/track**.

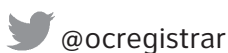
As your Registrar of Voters, it is my commitment that Orange County elections are fair, accurate, transparent, and accessible. If you have any questions, please visit our website at **ocvote.gov**, call the Registrar of Voters Voter Hotline at 714-567-7600 or 1-888-628-6837, or email us at **ocvoter@ocvote.gov**.

Vote Easy. Vote Secure.

Sincerely,

Bob Page
Registrar of Voters

Need Help? (714) 567-7600 or ocvote.gov/help





Important Information

Dates to Remember

JANUARY

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Tuesday, January 3, 2023
Vote-by-Mail Ballot Mailing Begins

Tuesday, January 17, 2023
Last Day to Register to Vote

Tuesday, January 31, 2023
Last Day of Voting

Can I vote at a Vote Center?

No, this is an all mail ballot election. No Vote Center voting will be conducted.

Voter services will only be provided at the Registrar of Voters' office, located at 1300 S. Grand Ave., Bldg C, Santa Ana, 92705. These services include: voter registration, replacement ballots, conditional voter registration, provisional ballots, and accessible voting.

Can I vote if I register after the registration deadline?

Yes, conditional voter registration extends the 15-day registration deadline in California to eligible voters, allowing them to register and vote provisionally starting 14 days prior to an election and on Election Day, at the Registrar of Voters' office. For more information, visit ocvote.gov/conditional-voter-reg.

How do I return my Vote-by-Mail ballot?

Mark your ballot, then follow the instructions on the official envelope to sign and seal your ballot in the envelope provided. You can:

- **Mail** your ballot in the enclosed postage-paid envelope so that it is postmarked by Election Day, January 31.
- **Drop off** your ballot before 8:00 pm on Election Day, January 31, at
 - one of the two drop boxes in the city. Visit ocvote.gov/dropbox for more information about the drop boxes that will be open for this election.
 - Seal Beach City Hall, 211 8th Street, Seal Beach, California 90740, or
 - the Registrar of Voters' office or drop box.

If you are unable to return your ballot, use your Vote-by-Mail envelope to authorize someone to return it for you.

If you need a replacement ballot, call us at 714-567-7600, or go to ocvote.gov/replacement.

No later than seven days before the day of the election, you may request a vote-by-mail ballot in Spanish, Vietnamese, Chinese or Korean. To learn more, please call 714-567-7600.

Remote Accessible Vote-by-Mail Ballot

Any voter may cast a ballot using a certified Remote Accessible Vote-by-Mail (RAVBM) system. The electronic ballot can be downloaded to the voter's computer, marked using the voter's own computer or assistive technology, then printed and returned by following the instructions included with the electronic ballot. To access your Remote Accessible Vote-by-Mail ballot, visit ocvote.gov/ravbm.

For additional information or assistance:

- Call the Registrar of Voters at 714-567-7600
- Email ravbm@ocvote.gov
- Visit the Registrar of Voters' office:
1300 S Grand Ave., Bldg. C
Santa Ana, CA 92705

No later than seven days before Election Day, the voter may request the county elections official to send a ballot that voters with disabilities can read and mark privately and independently pursuant to the federal Help America Vote Act of 2002 (52 U.S.C. Sec. 20901 et seq.).



Voter Information Guide

City of Seal Beach Districts 3 and 5 Municipal Run-Off Election

As a result of the November 8, 2022 General Election, a majority (50% plus 1) of votes in the contests for Councilmember, District 3 and Councilmember, District 5 were not cast for any candidate. Therefore, pursuant to Seal Beach Charter § 502 and 509, and Municipal Code § 2.05.020, on Tuesday, January 31, 2023, an all mailed ballot Run-Off Election shall be held for Councilmember, District 3 and Councilmember, District 5. The names on the ballot shall be the two candidates receiving the highest votes in each contest – Councilmember, District 3: Lisa Landau and Stephanie Wade; Councilmember, District 5: Mariann Klinger and Nathan Steele.

The following pages contain:

- Candidates' Statements

Candidates' Statements in this guide are volunteered by the candidates and paid for at their expense.

City Candidates' Statements are filed and accepted by the City Clerk.

All Candidates' Statements are printed exactly as filed.

Ballot Drop-Off Locations

Drop Boxes available 24/7 January 3 until January 31 at 8pm.

SANTA ANA			
Orange County Registrar of Voters	Drive-Thru & Walk Up	1300 S Grand Ave, Bldg C	Corner of McFadden Ave
SEAL BEACH			
Leisure World Seal Beach*	Drive-Thru & Walk Up	13531 St. Andrews Dr	In front of Amphitheater
Mary Wilson Branch Library	Walk Up	707 Electric Ave	Btwn Main St & Marina Dr

*Must have community access.

Offices available M-F 8am-5pm January 3 until January 30** and 7am-8pm January 31.

SANTA ANA			
Orange County Registrar of Voters		1300 S Grand Ave, Bldg C	Corner of McFadden Ave
SEAL BEACH			
Seal Beach City Hall		211 8th Street	Btwn Electric Ave & Central Ave

**Offices will be closed for the holiday on January 16.

Language Assistance

No later than seven days before the day of the election, you may request a vote-by-mail ballot in Spanish, Vietnamese, Chinese or Korean. To learn more, please call 714-567-7600.

A más tardar siete días antes del día de la elección, puedes solicitar una boleta de votación por correo en Español, Vietnamita, Chino o Coreano. Para obtener más información, llama al 714-567-7600.

Quý vị có thể yêu cầu phiếu bầu qua thư bằng tiếng Tây Ban Nha, tiếng Việt, tiếng Trung hoặc tiếng Hàn ít nhất là bảy ngày trước ngày bầu cử. Để biết thêm thông tin, vui lòng gọi 714-567-7600.

在不遲於選舉日七天之前，您可以要求西班牙文、越南文、中文或韓文的郵寄選票。要了解更多信息，請致電714-567-7600。

선거일 기준 7일 이전까지 스페인어, 베트남어, 중국어, 또는 한국어로 된 투표용지를 요청할 수 있습니다. 자세한 사항은 714-567-7600으로 연락하십시오.



STATEMENTS OF CANDIDATES SEEKING NONPARTISAN OFFICE
CITY OF SEAL BEACH
MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL, DISTRICT 5

MARIANN KLINGER
Planning Commissioner

As a candidate for Seal Beach City Council in District 5, I believe I can serve my Leisure World neighbors, representing their needs and interests as the vital part of the city they are. I will support their interests along with those of all city residents. I hope to maintain the vision of community and caring that makes Leisure World and Seal Beach successful.

For the past seven years I have served on the city's Planning Commission, appointed by City Council Member Sandra Massa-Lavitt. As a planning commissioner and as a 13-year resident of the city and of Leisure World, I am familiar with the wonderful small town atmosphere of Seal Beach and the close-knit community of Leisure World. I have been fortunate enough to serve with security for ten years and to help many of my neighbors.

I believe my previous work experience and education will serve me well on the Seal Beach council. I covered city and county governments for 20 years as a daily newspaper reporter and editor, mostly in Monterey County. I earned a BA degree in communications and a MA in Political Science.

In Leisure World I am active in a number of clubs and organizations and I am endorsed by the Orange County Firefighters Association.

NATHAN STEELE
Business Owner

I would like to thank all of those who voted in the November election. At 45% of the vote, your trust and support are resounding. I am very grateful.

Though this is a run-off election, I am running on the same message - experienced leadership and common-sense solutions for Seal Beach and Leisure World.

With your support, I will bring professional and real-world experience to the City Council. Working at the executive level of Fortune 500 companies, I helped them solve difficult, seemingly impossible problems through creative and unique solutions. I have also dedicated significant time helping those in need through my mission work in Africa and across the globe. My experience enables me to best serve you.

I am fully prepared to:
Protect Seal Beach and Leisure World from rising violent crime
Support and fully-fund our law enforcement
Fight for local control over housing projects
Protect our community from overdevelopment
Fight against Sacramento's mandates
Advocate for taxpayers and fiscal responsibility

I have a lifetime of service to others. I am prepared to lead. I humbly ask for your vote, once again.
www.nathansteele.com

SAMPLE BALLOT

**City of Seal Beach Districts 3 and 5 Municipal Run-Off Election
January 31, 2023
Orange County**

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Member, City Council District 5	
Vote for One	
<input type="checkbox"/>	MARIANN KLINGER Planning Commissioner
<input type="checkbox"/>	NATHAN STEELE Business Owner