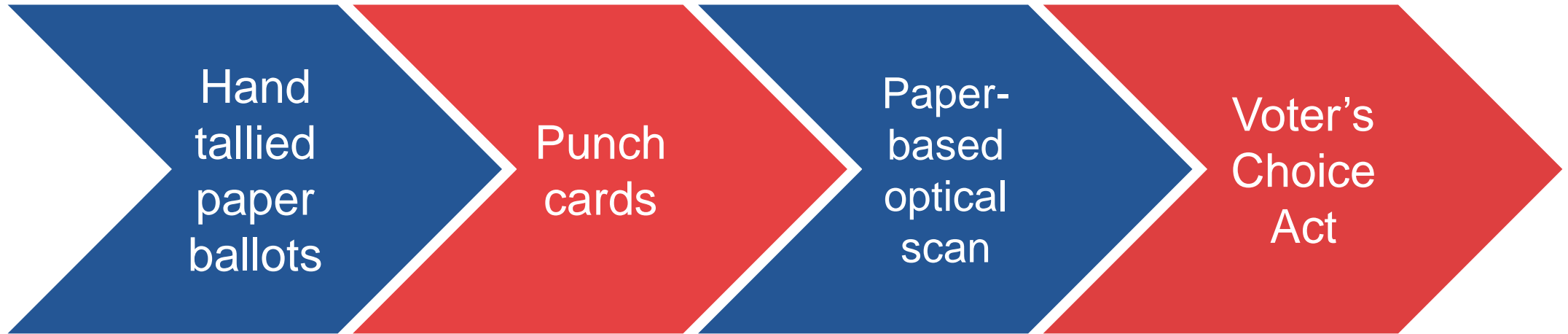




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VOTERS CHOICE ACT OVERVIEW

Voting in Fresno County: 1800s to Present



What is the Voter's Choice Act (VCA)?

- Signed by the Governor in 2016 (Senate Bill 450)
- Allows counties to send all registered voters vote-by-mail ballots
- Replaces polling places with Vote Centers and secure drop boxes





Three Convenient Ways to Vote



MAIL IT. 

 **DROP IT.**

VISIT. 

votefresnocounty.com

Mail It



Every registered voter will receive a vote-by-mail ballot

- Return your ballot postage-free
- Ballots are processed beginning 10 days before Election Day.
- You can track your ballot at VoteFresnoCounty.com



Drop It

Drop your ballot at any secure drop box through Election Day

- 43 secure drop boxes will be located throughout Fresno County (32 legally required).
- Available 29 days before the election
- Open 24/7 through Election Day
- Our conveniently located drop boxes are secure, accessible and locked.

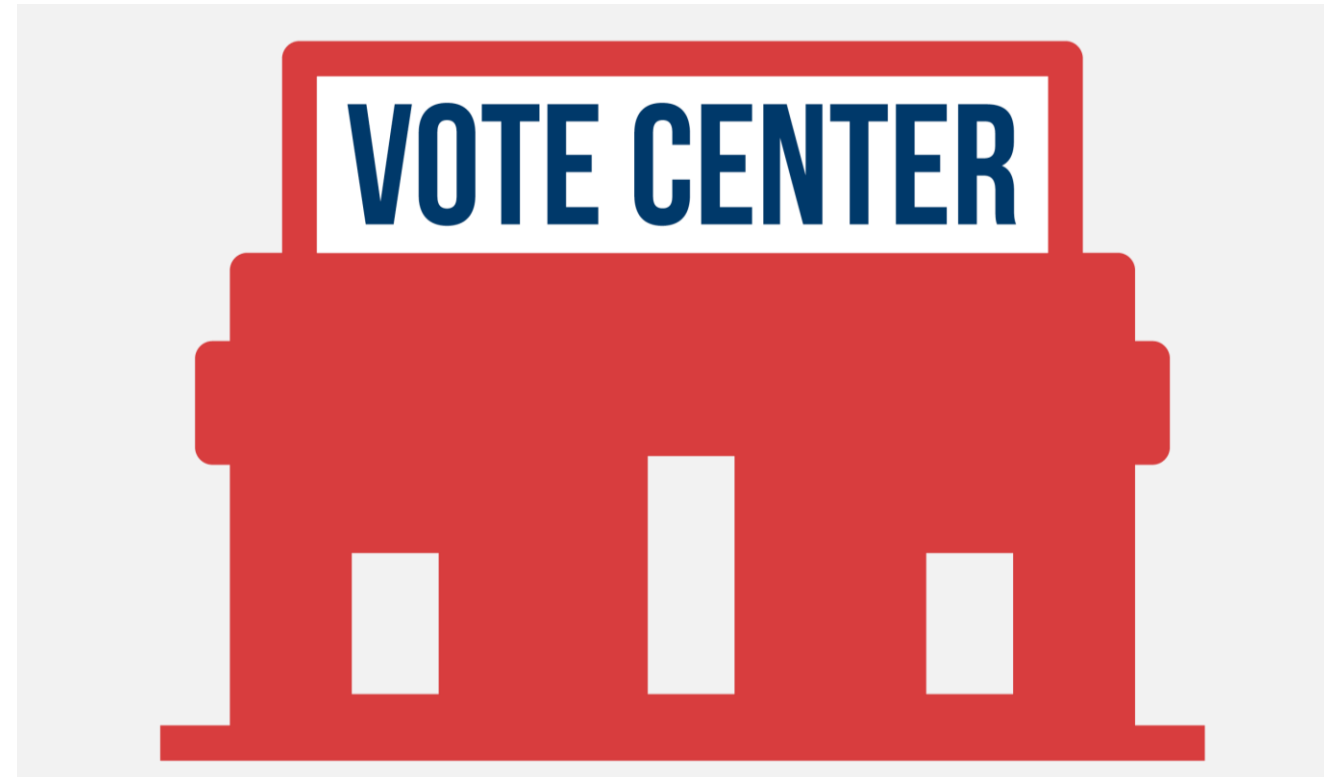


Visit



Vote at any Fresno Vote Center

- All will be open the weekend before the election through Election Day
- Some will be open 10 days before the election.
- Additional services available to all registered Fresno County voters



Ballot Security

Every vote-by-mail
signature is reviewed!



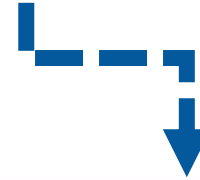


Countdown to Election Day



ANYTIME

- Check your voter registration at votefresnocounty.com in advance so you receive the correct vote-by-mail ballot.



29 DAYS BEFORE

- Vote-by-mail ballots will be sent to all registered voters in Fresno County, and you can mail your ballot postage-free anytime if postmarked on or before Election Day.
- You can drop off your ballot at any one of 43 secure drop boxes (32 legally required), conveniently located throughout Fresno County through Election Day.

Countdown to Election Day



10 DAYS BEFORE

- Ten Vote Centers will be open at locations throughout Fresno County through Election Day.



3 DAYS BEFORE

- 53 Vote Centers will be open at locations throughout Fresno County through Election Day (48 legally required).



ELECTION DAY - MARCH 3, 2020

- Vote in person, register to vote or change your political party affiliation. Vote-by-mail ballots must be postmarked on or before Election Day.



How Do Vote Centers Differ from Polling Places?



POLLING PLACE	VOTE CENTER
1 location to vote in person	53 locations to vote in person (48 legally required)
1 accessible voting machine	3 accessible voting machines
13 available hours for voting in person at a polling place on Election Day	93 available hours for voting in person at a Vote Center
3 or 4 poll workers	5 to 10 Vote Center Workers, extensively trained
1 ballot drop off location open	43 ballot drop off locations (32 legally required)

Questions?



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