

PUBLIC NOTICE
Observation Schedule
November 5th, 2024 General Election

The public is invited to observe as the Kern County Elections Division conducts a series of public events related to the election. All events will take place at the Kern County Elections office according to the following schedule:

- ***Updated* September 30th, 2024** – Logic and Accuracy testing of the County's high-speed ballot scanners and vote tabulation system begins at 10 a.m.*.
- **October 7th, 2024** – Processing of Vote by Mail Ballots begins at 8 a.m. and is performed daily, Monday through Friday, until the daily workload is complete. *
- **October 23rd, 2024** – Audit of the County's high-speed ballot scanners and vote tabulation system begins at 9 a.m.
- **November 5th, 2024**
 - Poll Place Ballots and Vote by Mail ballots will arrive at the Elections office after the polls close at 8 p.m., and the counting of ballots will begin shortly thereafter.
- **November 6th, 2024** – The official canvass begins at 8 a.m. and will be completed on or before December 5, 2024.
- **November 12th, 2024** – The random precinct selection for the one percent manual tally of polling place ballots counted takes place.
- **November 13th, 2024**
 - The one percent manual tally of ballots counted. Performed daily, Monday through Friday, until complete. *
 - The random batch selection for the one percent manual tally of mail ballots counted.

If you have questions about these public events, you may call the Elections office at (661) 868-3590 or visit our website at <http://www.Kernvote.com>.

*Processes may continue Saturdays, Sundays, or holidays, depending on the workload. Call for more information about weekend and holiday observation opportunities.