

## Le comté de Los Angeles va envoyer à tous les électeurs un bulletin de vote par correspondance à commencer par les présidentielles de novembre

SAN PEDRO, CA — Today, the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors voted unanimously to approve a proposal by Los Angeles County Supervisors Janice Hahn and Sheila Kuehl to send a Vote-by-Mail ballot to all eligible LA County voters for all elections—starting with the general election this November.

"It is hard to imagine that, amid the coronavirus crisis, we have a major election coming up this November," said Supervisor Janice Hahn who authored the motion. "No one should have to choose between their health and their right to vote. We don't know what challenges we will be facing in this pandemic this fall, but by sending every voter a mail-in-ballot we can ensure that everyone can cast their ballot safely, no matter what the future holds."

The current "Safer At Home" public health order is set to expire May 15, 2020 but health officials have acknowledged that some form of social distancing will be needed for an extended period of time and that "Safer At Home" orders may be reenacted if deemed necessary to slow the spread of COVID-19. These issues could present challenges for the General Election, including possibly hampering the recruitment of election workers or making it difficult for in-person voting locations to meet capacity demands while ensuring social distancing.

"Nothing, including all the challenges related to COVID19, should be allowed to

▶ prevent voters from casting their ballots in November," said Supervisor ...