

**PLEASE NOTE:** The sample ballots for **all parties** are included in this booklet. If you plan to mark a sample ballot to bring with you to the polls, be sure to mark the ballot corresponding to your registered party preference.

**OFFICIAL BALLOT**  
**JUNE 7, 2016 PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION**  
 SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

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**AMERICAN INDEPENDENT PARTY**

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**PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES**

**PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE**

Vote for One

- J.R. MYERS
- ROBERT ORNELAS
- ALAN SPEARS
- WILEY DRAKE
- JAMES HEDGES
- THOMAS HOEFLING
- ARTHUR HARRIS
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Write-in

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Vote for One

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Internet Startup CEO
- JERRY J. LAWS** Party Preference: Republican
- GAIL K. LIGHTFOOT** Party Preference: Libertarian  
Retired Registered Nurse
- MIKE BEITIKS** Party Preference: None  
Stay-at-home Dad/Attorney
- PAMELA ELIZONDO** Party Preference: Green  
Environmental Healing Consultant
- SCOTT A. VINEBERG** Party Preference: None  
Social Entrepreneur
- STEVE STOKES** Party Preference: Democratic  
Small Business Owner
- DUF SUNDHEIM** Party Preference: Republican  
Small Businessman/Mediator
- LING LING SHI** Party Preference: None  
Author
- LORETTA L. SANCHEZ** Party Preference: Democratic  
California Congresswoman
- PHIL WYMAN** Party Preference: Republican  
Attorney/Businessman/Rancher
- JARRELL WILLIAMSON** Party Preference: Republican  
Health Care Lawyer
- THOMAS G. DEL BECCARO** Party Preference: Republican  
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- RON UNZ** Party Preference: Republican  
Entrepreneur/Writer/Publisher
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Businessman/Attorney/CPA
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- DON KRAMPE** Party Preference: Republican  
Retired
- MARK MATTHEW HERD** Party Preference: Libertarian  
Community Organizer
- VON HOUGO** Party Preference: Republican  
Teacher
- JASON HANANIA** Party Preference: None  
Attorney/Engineer
- KAMALA D. HARRIS** Party Preference: Democratic  
Attorney General of California
- GAR MYERS** Party Preference: None  
International Development Promoter
- PAUL MERRITT** Party Preference: None  
Self-Employed
- MASSIE MUNROE** Party Preference: Democratic  
Civil Environmental Engineer
- ELEANOR GARCÍA** Party Preference: None  
Aerospace Factory Worker
- TIM GILDERSLEEVE** Party Preference: None  
Paratransit Operator
- CLIVE GREY** Party Preference: None  
Woodworker/Businessman/Entrepreneur
- DON J. GRUNDMANN** Party Preference: None  
Doctor of Chiropractic
- PRESIDENT CRISTINA GRAPPO** Party Preference: Democratic
- HERBERT G. PETERS** Party Preference: Democratic
- TOM PALZER** Party Preference: Republican
- JOHN THOMPSON PARKER** Party Preference: Peace and Freedom  
Neighborhood Council Member
- KAREN ROSEBERRY** Party Preference: Republican  
Educator
- EMORY RODGERS** Party Preference: Democratic  
Property Manager
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Design Consultant
- WILLIAM "BILL" OSTRANDER** Party Preference: Democratic  
Farmer/Non-Profit Director
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- K.H. KATCHO ACHADJIAN** Party Preference: Republican  
Small Businessman/Assemblyman
- STEVE ISAKSON** Party Preference: None  
Electronics Engineer/Businessman

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**STATE SENATOR**

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**17th District**

Vote for One

- PALMER KAIN** Party Preference: Republican  
Community Volunteer
- BILL MONNING** Party Preference: Democratic  
California State Senator

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**MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY**

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**35th District**

Vote for One

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Businessman/School Trustee
- DAWN ORTIZ-LEGG** Party Preference: Democratic  
Small Business Owner
- STEVE LEBARD** Party Preference: Republican  
Central Coast Businessman

Write-in

**COUNTY**

**COUNTY SUPERVISOR**

**1st District**

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Paso Robles Mayor
- DALE GUSTIN**  
Retired Attorney
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**MEASURES SUBMITTED TO THE VOTERS**

**STATE**

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**PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE**

Vote for One

- HENRY HEWES
- KEITH JUDD
- MICHAEL STEINBERG
- BERNIE SANDERS
- WILLIE WILSON
- ROQUE DE LA FUENTE
- HILLARY CLINTON
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Stay-at-home Dad/Attorney
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Environmental Healing Consultant
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Social Entrepreneur
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Small Business Owner
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Small Businessman/Mediator
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Retired
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Teacher
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**PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE PREFERENCE**

Vote for a Candidate

Delegates to the national convention will be selected after the primary election.

**SEDINAM MOYOWASIFSA-CURRY**

**JILL STEIN**

**DARRYL CHERNEY**

**WILLIAM KREML**

**KENT MESPLAY**

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PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE

Vote for One

- DERRICK M. REID
- JACK ROBINSON, JR.
- GARY JOHNSON
- MARC FELDMAN
- RHETT WHITE FEATHER SMITH
- JOY WAYMIRE
- STEVE KERBEL
- JOHN HALE
- JOHN MCAFEE
- CECIL INCE
- AUSTIN PETERSEN
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PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE

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# County of San Luis Obispo

C002

Presidential Primary Election  
Tuesday, June 7, 2016

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- **This will be the only official mailing from the County.** There is no sample ballot in this booklet since your **OFFICIAL BALLOT** is included. If you desire a copy of the ballot for your use, you can view or download one from the Clerk-Recorder's website or contact us and one will be sent to you.
- **The deadline for return of Vote By Mail ballots is 8:00pm, Tuesday, June 7, 2016.** Mailed ballots must be postmarked before or on Election Day and be received in the Clerk-Recorder's office no later than three days after Election Day to be counted. On Election Day you may return your ballot to any polling place, including our offices, in San Luis Obispo County between 7:00am and 8:00pm. Polling places for this election are listed in this booklet. **Ballots received after 8:00pm, June 7, 2016 MAY NOT BE COUNTED.**
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# PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION

## Presidential Nominee Contest is “Party-Nominated”

- The Presidential Primary contest continues to be a partisan office, elected by voters affiliated with each party.
- Only those voters who are registered with a specific party can vote that party’s ballot (with the exception of cross over voters – see below).
- Voters registered with a qualified political party cannot vote another party’s ballot.
- Check on your voter registration status and party affiliation at [www.slovote.com](http://www.slovote.com)
- The rules for non-partisan contests (i.e. County Supervisor) did not change and will appear on every ballot.

## Cross Over Voting

- The ballots are comprised of 6 different party ballots and a Non-Partisan ballot. Voters who are listed as No Party Preference (formerly Decline to State) voters can vote the Non-Partisan ballot (no Presidential race) or cross over and vote a party ballot from the American Independent, Democratic, and Libertarian parties only.
- To vote a Green, Peace and Freedom, or Republican party ballot, one must be registered with the respective party.
- Again, if you are already affiliated with one of the parties listed above, you will be issued that party’s ballot.

## Top Two “Voter-Nominated” Contests

- Applies to U.S. Senate, U.S. Congressional, Statewide and State legislative offices.
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Parties may provide a list of candidates who have received the official endorsement of the party for printing in this booklet.

## PARTY ENDORSEMENTS FOR THE JUNE 7, 2016 ELECTION

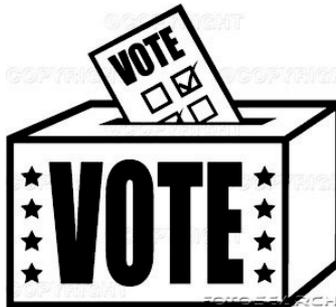
Party	Contests	Candidate
Democratic	U.S. Senate U.S. Representative, 24 <sup>th</sup> State Senate, 17 <sup>th</sup> State Assembly, 35 <sup>th</sup>	Kamala D. Harris Salud Carbajal Bill Monning Dawn Ortiz-Legg
American Independent	U.S. Senate	Tom Del Beccaro
Peace and Freedom	U.S. Senate	John Parker

\* The order of parties follows the Randomized Alphabet Drawing conducted by the County.

\* Note: Not all political parties provided an endorsement list.

**IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR PARTY  
REGISTRATION OR THE VOTER INFORMATION GUIDE,  
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# VOTER'S PAMPHLET INFORMATION SECTION

The Following Pages Contain Voter Information Applicable to your Ballot Which May Include Any/All of the Following Items:

- Candidates' Statements
- Ballot Measures
- Impartial Analyses
- Arguments and Rebuttals In Favor and Against Ballot Measures

This pamphlet section may not contain a statement for each candidate. A complete list of candidates appears on your Ballot/Sample Ballot. Each candidate's statement in this pamphlet is volunteered by the candidate and is printed at his or her expense. Each candidate's statement is printed in uniform format as submitted by the candidate.

Please note that all the statements printed in Spanish, at the candidates' request, follow the English statements for that same contest.

Arguments in support of or in opposition to the proposed laws are the opinions of the authors

## **Campaign Finance Reform**

Among all state legislative candidates appearing on the ballot in San Luis Obispo County, only the candidates listed below have pledged to abide by campaign spending limits as specified in the California Government Code. Candidates agreeing to the campaign spending limits also have the opportunity to have a Statement of Qualifications printed in the local Voter Information Guide, at their own expense.

35<sup>th</sup> Assembly District Candidates  
Jordan Cunningham

Dominic Robert Rubini (did not submit a candidate statement)

17<sup>th</sup> Senate District Candidate  
Bill Monning

Palmer Kain (did not submit a candidate statement)

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR  
U.S. REPRESENTATIVE, 24<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

**WILLIAM "BILL" OSTRANDER**

**Age: 56**

**Occupation:** Farmer/Director of Non-Profit Citizens Congress

**Education and Qualifications:** I am running for Congress because our political system is corrupted and directed by money. I have advocated in Washington but I'm not a career politician. I am a farmer and Director of Citizens Congress, which seeks to remove the influence of money in politics. We need to dilute the influence of money so representatives work for the community at large – not just those that can afford campaign contributions. Reform of how candidates finance campaigns is critical to address the "calculated inequalities" facing Americans today.

Most of us recognize the big issues that Congress should be working to fix: Campaign Finance Reform: Money always affects relationships; Wealth inequality: Does your good fortune result in my misfortune? Let's invest in infrastructure and create jobs; Post Secondary Education: Investing public funds into college and trade education returns over 700% to our economy; Global Warming: A cleaner environment is a good thing for everyone; Terrorism: Our security is important but so is being rational. We are 4,706 times more likely to drink ourselves to death than die from terrorism; Health Care: Affordable, accessible medical care is a right, not a privilege.

As a farmer, I believe in conserving our natural resources and protecting a healthy food supply. As a parent, I'm concerned for the cost of my sons' education and the programs that match their interests. As a union member, I understand the necessity of collective bargaining. And I believe all of us must participate in our governance.

Vote for Bill Ostrander

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**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR  
U.S. REPRESENTATIVE, 24<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

**JUSTIN FAREED**

**Occupation:** Third Generation Cattle Rancher/Vice President of Small Business

**Education and Qualifications:** I'm running for Congress to reform the institution, to get it working again for the American people, and to solve long-range issues that affect this and future generations. I believe that Congress needs to be held accountable instead of kicking the can down the road to the next generation.

I was born and raised on the Central Coast. I attended Santa Barbara High School and continued my education at UCLA where I earned a B.A. in Political Science. After coaching football at my alma mater, I worked for a senior member of Congress where I helped draft several bills, built consensus among members, worked to move things forward and led a congressional staff delegation to Turkey to learn first-hand the cultural, political and economic interests in the region.

A third generation California rancher and Vice President of my family's small business, I understand the burdensome taxes and regulations coming out of Washington, and the implications it has on small businesses and the agricultural community along the Central Coast. Additionally, I understand the dysfunction, polarization and empty rhetoric coming out of Washington from my time spent on Capitol Hill.

As your representative, I will work to rein-in out of control spending, ensure economic stability, and advocate for a concerted approach to our national security in order to provide economic certainty and entrepreneurial freedom for all Americans.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR  
U.S. REPRESENTATIVE, 24<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

**HELENE SCHNEIDER**

**Age: 45**

**Occupation:** Mayor of Santa Barbara

**Education and Qualifications:** These are troubling times for our nation. Washington is broken and people are tired of the shouting and partisan gridlock that threatens our democracy. It's time we had members of Congress willing to be bold, take risks and challenge the status quo to fundamentally change the way we do business in Washington, D.C. I'm running for Congress to make our country work again for the people—not the politicians and special interests.

As Mayor, I've shown what tough, decisive and collaborative leadership can do to improve our communities by creating new jobs; improving public safety—police, 911 emergency and fire services; protecting our environment, water and coastline; expanding nutrition and after-school programs for at-risk youth; cutting waste and balancing our budget. It's time we sent an outsider to Washington who can bring Democrats, Independents and Republicans together to get things done.

I don't have millions of dollars in special interest money. I have the support of real people, like you, who care deeply about our country and want to change Washington. I am proud to have earned the support of local leaders and organizations like Senator Hannah-Beth Jackson and the League of Conservation Voters. They know I will protect our open spaces and natural resources, fight for clean water and ensure that women can make reproductive health care decisions without undue government intrusion, as I did for 11 years working at Planned Parenthood.

Please join me. I'd be honored to have your support!

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**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR  
U.S. REPRESENTATIVE, 24<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

**JOHN UEBERSAX**

**Occupation:** Social Scientist, Biostatistician, Anti-War Writer

**Education and Qualifications:** BA from USC, PhD in psychology from the University of Texas at Austin. 25-years' experience in healthcare research and higher education, including positions at the RAND Corporation and as Associate Professor of Public Health at Wake Forest Medical School.

Controlled by the military-industrial complex and Wall Street, our government has made our country a global military empire. In Iraq, Afghanistan, Pakistan, Libya, Syria, Yemen, Yugoslavia and elsewhere, the pattern is the same: wars fought for economic gain, then justified by pretexts of humanitarianism and national security. As citizens, the duty to rein in our imperialist government is ours alone. I'm running so that by voting for me, an anti-war candidate, citizens may act against government militarism. In Congress I would staunchly oppose all US wars, except for immediate self-defense, and work to make peace our explicit, sincere and steadfast objective.

Healthcare. The solutions are very different from what the government says. The present system incentivizes sickness and expensive and unnecessary treatments. We should instead incentivize prevention and healthy lifestyles. The culture of healthcare must change to be more congenial to patients and providers to improve communication, decision-making and quality of care. College. As Director of Californians for Higher Education Reform (caledreform.org) I've taken a lead in documenting outrageous tuition inflation and outlining simple steps to achieve debt-free college education. For example, students should be granted credit for any course they can test out of, and 'diploma discrimination' by employers should be banned.

For more information on my platform please visit [john-uebersax.com/2016](http://john-uebersax.com/2016).

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR  
U.S. REPRESENTATIVE, 24<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

**SALUD CARBAJAL**

**Occupation:** Member, Board of Supervisors

**Education and Qualifications:** I'm Salud Carbajal. I'm a proud husband, father and Marine Corps veteran. I was the first in my family to graduate from college, working two jobs to pay for my education at UCSB. I know what it's like to struggle, and I'm committed to making sure other families have the same chance I had to get ahead.

For the last 12 years as a Santa Barbara County Supervisor, I've strived to represent our Central Coast values. Standing up for Planned Parenthood and women's reproductive rights, fighting for marriage equality and protecting our environment.

I've worked with my Republican and Democratic colleagues to expand health insurance to 14,000 county children; invested in widening Highway 101 and other roads projects to reduce congestion; and protected funding for law enforcement to keep our communities safe, even during tough economic times. We've done that while using your tax dollars wisely--balancing the budget every year, building up the largest rainy day fund in County history, and earning the highest bond rating in the state.

In Congress, I'll bring that same bipartisan spirit to tackling big issues: bringing down the cost of college; protecting our environment; creating new jobs by supporting small businesses and renewable energy; defeating ISIS; passing comprehensive immigration reform; reducing gun violence; and standing up for women's rights and health care access.

For more information on our campaign, please visit [SaludCarbajal.com](http://SaludCarbajal.com).

I hope to earn your support in the Primary election on June 7<sup>th</sup>.

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**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR  
U.S. REPRESENTATIVE, 24<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

**MATT KOKKONEN**

**Occupation:** Financial Planner/Businessman/Employer

**Education and Qualifications:** Married to Jean for 48 years. 2 children, legal immigrant from Finland. Westmont College, BA. Flying Finn of soccer team. Graduate Degrees MS Management; MS Financial Services. Santa Maria Valley Soccer League Sponsor and Player. Air-Vol Block Inc, manufacturer, Board of Directors. Simpson University Investment Committee Chairman. Grace Church (SLO) Deacon and Trustee. SLO Sheriffs' Aero Squadron Search and Rescue Pilot. Civil Air Patrol Pilot. California Army National Guard honorable discharge, etc.

I support the right to keep and bear arms, private property rights, strong national defense and the troops, energy independence. Fix the VA. Protect our borders.

I solemnly promise to: stop the illegal invasion. Why do illegals get freebies but citizens must pay for services? Stop anchor baby citizenship. Fight radical Islam. Why should we lose our freedom of speech and religion to jihadist murderers of Christians and others? Balance the budget. Stop borrowing money. Why should our children have to pay off our immoral \$19 trillion debt? Cut government spending, regulations and programs to create jobs. Lower taxes. Establish flat tax. Eliminate Common Core. Why should children's education be a social experiment instead of learning? Stop funding sanctuary cities and states. Why do our governments shelter illegal aliens and criminals? Eliminate Obamacare and restore healthcare choice. Clip the EPA. Why give water to Delta Dart fish over farmers and food? Follow the Constitution. What is your legal and moral anchor if not natural law and God given rights to life and liberty? For their future, all grandchildren need your vote for Matt. Thank you. [www.Mattforcongress.com](http://www.Mattforcongress.com).

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**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR  
U.S. REPRESENTATIVE, 24<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

**K.H. "KATCHO" ACHADJIAN**

**Occupation:** Assemblyman/Small Businessman

**Education and Qualifications:** Now more than ever my international background, combined with my business and public service experiences, prepares me to be an instrumentally effective voice for our Central Coast in Washington D.C. I'm prepared to address our national security, debt, and economy without typical partisan gridlock. It's time to bring local consensus-building skills to the Capitol. I propose holding Congress accountable for passing on-time balanced budgets, otherwise they shouldn't get paid. I'll work to stimulate our economy, empower small businesses, and fully fund and strengthen our Military to keep America safe.

I'm wholeheartedly committed to our Central Coast and have been since immigrating to the United States 45 years ago. After graduating from Cal Poly SLO, I started a small business and in 38 years have grown to three locations. One of my proudest accomplishments has been earning my Citizenship in 1982; my gratitude runs deep for the opportunities America has given me. Community service is the foundation of my story and my leadership roles are rooted in several of our local organizations, including Rotary, Farm Bureau, Chamber of Commerce and many others.

I've consistently worked in a bipartisan manner to craft policies that help hardworking families on both the County Board of Supervisors and in the State Assembly. I've worked across the aisle to ease burdens on small businesses, pass balanced budgets on time, reduce taxes, and elevate California toward prosperity by creating nearly \$4.5 billion in rainy day surplus funds.

It would be my honor to have your vote.

[www.Katcho2016.com](http://www.Katcho2016.com)

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**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR  
U.S. REPRESENTATIVE, 24<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

**STEVE ISAKSON**

**Age: 65**

**Occupation:** Chief Engineer/Businessman

**Education and Qualifications:** I have lived in this district for more than 40 years and have followed the local issues and volunteered my time. I am committed to this district and want to represent the individuals and businesses by working for you in Congress.

Deadlock and dysfunction has paralyzed Congress. It is time for a major change to break the gridlock and allow positive action. I will work with both sides to provide positive changes to benefit all the people in this district.

I am a scientist and have degrees in physics and computer science from Cal Poly and a PhD in electrical and computer engineering from UCSB. I have run my engineering consulting business for over 30 years. I currently work full time for an electronics manufacturing firm as Chief Engineer where I am valued for my ability to work with and mentor others as well as my problem solving skills.

With my analytical background I understand the causes of and effective solutions for current issues such as the drought cycle, the growing debt, and the debt's effect on our future. I will work with other members of Congress to resolve issues for the benefit of all citizens.

I ask for your vote to make us all strong. Please visit my website at [www.StevensaksonforCongress.com](http://www.StevensaksonforCongress.com) or call (805)462-8755 to learn more or to ask questions.

**DECLARACION DEL CANDIDATO A  
DIPUTADO DE EE. UU., 24.º DISTRITO ELECTORAL**

**JUSTIN FAREED**

**Ocupación:** Tercera Generación de Ganaderos/Vicepresidente de Pequeña Empresa

**Educación y preparación:** Me postulo para el Congreso para reformar la institución, para que trabaje nuevamente para el pueblo Americano, y para resolver problemas de largo alcance que afectan a esta y futuras generaciones. Creo que el Congreso debe rendir cuentas en lugar de pasar el problema a la siguiente generación.

Nací y crecí en la Costa Central. Asistí a la Escuela Preparatoria Santa Barbara y seguí mi educación en UCLA donde obtuve un título de B.A. en Ciencias Políticas. Después de ser entrenador de futbol en mi universidad, trabajé para un miembro principal del Congreso donde ayudé a redactar varios proyectos de ley, generé consenso entre miembros, trabajé para hacer avanzar las cosas y lideré una delegación de personal del congreso a Turquía para aprender de primera mano los intereses culturales, políticos y económicos de la región.

Como tercera generación de ganaderos de California y Vicepresidente de mi pequeña empresa familiar, entiendo los agobiantes impuestos y regulaciones provenientes de Washington, y las repercusiones que tienen sobre las pequeñas empresas y la comunidad agrícola a lo largo de la Costa Central. Además, entiendo la disfunción, polarización y retórica vacía que viene de Washington gracias al tiempo que pasé en Capitol Hill.

Como su representante, trabajaré para tomar las riendas de los gastos que están fuera de control, garantizar la estabilidad económica, y defender un enfoque concertado para nuestra seguridad nacional con el fin de proporcionar certeza económica y libertad emprendedora a todos los Americanos.

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**DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO A  
DIPUTADO DE EE. UU., 24.º DISTRITO ELECTORAL**

**K.H. "KATCHO" ACHADJIAN**

**Ocupación:** Asambleísta/Pequeño Empresario

**Educación y preparación:** Ahora más que nunca mis antecedentes internacionales, en combinación con mi experiencia empresarial y de servicio público, me preparan para ser una voz eficaz para nuestra Costa Central en Washington D.C. Estoy preparado para hacer frente a nuestra seguridad nacional, deuda, y economía sin el típico estancamiento partidista. Es hora de llevar habilidades de creación de consenso local al Capitolio. Propongo hacer responsable al Congreso de aprobar presupuestos equilibrados a tiempo, de lo contrario que no se les pague. Trabajaré para estimular nuestra economía, empoderar a las pequeñas empresas, y fortalecer y financiar completamente nuestro Ejército para mantener segura a América.

Estoy completamente comprometido con nuestra Costa Central y ha sido así desde que inmigré a los Estados Unidos hace 45 años. Después de graduarme de Cal Poly SLO, comencé una pequeña empresa que en 38 años se ha expandido a tres ubicaciones. Uno de los logros que más me enorgullece ha sido obtener mi Ciudadanía en 1982; mi gratitud es profunda para las oportunidades que América me ha dado. El servicio comunitario es la base de mi historia y mis funciones de liderazgo tienen raíces en varias de nuestras organizaciones locales, que incluyen el Rotary, la Farm Bureau, la Cámara de Comercio y muchas otras.

He trabajado constantemente de forma bipartidista para elaborar políticas que ayuden a las familias trabajadoras en la Junta de Supervisores del Condado y en la Asamblea del Estado. He trabajado junto con el otro partido político para disminuir la carga para las pequeñas empresas, aprobar presupuestos equilibrados a tiempo, reducir impuestos, y llevar a California hacia la prosperidad con la creación de casi \$4.5 mil millones en fondos excedentes para tiempos de dificultad.

Contar con su voto sería un honor para mí.

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## STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR STATE SENATOR, 17<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT

**BILL MONNING**

**Age: 65**

**Occupation:** CA State Senator

**Education and Qualifications:** Eight years ago, you sent me to Sacramento to make a difference, and I am proud of what we have been able to accomplish together. Since joining the State Legislature, I've authored over 80 bills signed into law by the Governor, including the ground-breaking End of Life Options Act to give terminally ill patients a compassionate way to take control of their own lives – subject to strict guidelines.

After years of hard work with many key partners, the new California Central Coast Veterans Cemetery is scheduled to open this July. My legislation in Sacramento and ability to secure funding helped break the logjam to honor those who served our nation with a final resting place, fulfilling a promise made over two decades ago.

In Sacramento, we've passed balanced, on-time budgets five years in a row and put the State's fiscal house in order. We've made great strides toward tackling our State's pension obligations while restoring critical funding to education, healthcare, and public safety. I've earned the highest ratings from the California Labor Federation, the California League of Conservation Voters, the Sierra Club, and the Consumer Federation of California.

While our economy has recovered since the Great Recession, we must continue to focus on creating jobs by strengthening the backbones of our local economy: agriculture, tourism, and our educational institutions.

That's why I'm asking you to send me to the State Senate for another term. Please visit [www.billmonning.org](http://www.billmonning.org). I'd be honored by your vote on June 7th. Thank you!

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## DECLARACION DEL CANDIDATO A SENADOR ESTATAL, 17.º DISTRITO

**BILL MONNING**

**Edad: 65**

**Ocupación:** Senador Estatal de California

**Educación y preparación:** Hace ocho años, usted me envió a Sacramento para hacer la diferencia, y estoy orgulloso de lo que hemos podido lograr juntos. Desde que me uní a la Legislatura Estatal, he redactado más de 80 proyectos de ley que el Gobernador promulgó como leyes, que incluyen la innovadora Ley de Opciones para el Final de la Vida para dar a los pacientes con enfermedades terminales una opción compasiva de tomar control de sus propias vidas – sujeta a lineamientos estrictos.

Después de años de duro trabajo con muchos socios clave, el nuevo Cementerio de Veteranos de la Costa Central de California abrirá el próximo mes de julio. Mi legislación en Sacramento y mi capacidad para asegurar financiación ayudaron a romper el atascadero para honrar a quienes sirvieron a nuestra nación con un lugar de descanso final, lo cual cumple la promesa que se hizo hace más de dos décadas.

En Sacramento, aprobamos presupuestos equilibrados y a tiempo cinco años seguidos y pusimos la casa fiscal del Estado en orden. Hemos hecho grandes avances para enfrentar las obligaciones de pensiones de nuestro Estado al tiempo que restauramos el financiamiento esencial para la educación, la atención médica, y la seguridad pública. He obtenido los más altos puntajes de la California Labor Federation, la California League of Conservation Voters, el Sierra Club, y la Consumer Federation of California.

A pesar de que nuestra economía se ha recuperado desde la Gran Recesión, debemos seguir enfocados en crear empleos al fortalecer la columna vertebral de nuestra economía local: la agricultura, el turismo, y nuestras instituciones educativas.

Es por eso que le pido que me envíe al Senado Estatal para otro mandato. Por favor visite [www.billmonning.org](http://www.billmonning.org). Sería un honor para mí recibir su voto el 7 de junio. ¡Gracias!

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR  
MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY, 35<sup>th</sup> DISTRICT**

**JORDAN CUNNINGHAM**

**Occupation:** Businessman/School Trustee

**Education and Qualifications:** It's no secret that Sacramento is broken.

**Job Growth:** Each year, businesses leave California for more business-friendly states, taking good jobs with them. It's time to turn the tide. The California Small Business Association and the National Federation of Independent Business both support my campaign. They know that I will use my experience as President of the Central Coast Taxpayers Association to fight the tax increases and regulatory burdens that are costing us jobs.

**Public Safety:** Failed policies from Sacramento have endangered our neighborhoods. As a former prosecutor, I know what we need to make our community safer. Both District Attorney Dan Dow and Sheriff Ian Parkinson have endorsed me because of my dedication to public safety.

**Education:** California's future workforce is a direct product of our education system. We must do everything we can to support our schools. We must make our public colleges affordable for working families. I have worked with students, parents, teachers, and administrators as a school trustee. I'm prepared to tackle education reform on day one.

Assemblyman Katcho Achadjian supports me because he knows that I will fight to keep families safe and grow our economy. I will be accountable to you, providing commonsense leadership and a voice for the Central Coast and our values. I hope to earn your vote.

If you have a question, please call me at (805) 391-7474. [www.JordanCunningham.org](http://www.JordanCunningham.org)

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**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, 1<sup>st</sup> DISTRICT**

**JOHN R. HAMON JR.**

**Age: 61**

**Occupation:** Businessman/Current City of Paso Robles Councilmember

**Education and Qualifications:** I am honored to be elected three times to serve Paso Robles as a City Councilman and after 10 years of experience and knowledge, I have a reputation of being a well-informed leader who makes wise decisions. I am a common sense individual who will listen to all ideas for improving our County.

I am a protector of property rights and I do not approve of outsiders telling us how we must manage our resources. I support local control that is fair and I will never allow the exportation of groundwater to buyers from outside our County.

With over 40 years of experience as a successful small business owner and employer, I understand fiscal management and being conservative with public tax dollars.

I advocate for business because the relationship is critical for a healthy community. I support the jobs that our strong agricultural, retail, manufacturing, construction and service businesses create and also our tourism industry that allows us to share a little bit of our home with visitors in exchange for their financial contribution to our businesses.

I am asking for the opportunity to carry your voice and vision to the Board of Supervisors.

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**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, 1<sup>st</sup> DISTRICT**

**STEVEN W. MARTIN**

**Age: 64**

**Occupation:** Paso Robles Mayor/Local Businessman

**Education and Qualifications:** It has been my honor to serve as the Mayor of Paso Robles twice: first in 1988, now since 2014. I have served on the City Council from 2012-present and from 1987-1996. My focus is on enhancing water resources, improving local government services, maintaining fiscal responsibility and creating an environment for economic development in North County.

I will address critical issues without partisan and ideological bickering. I will support a balanced approach to development to encourage job growth while protecting our unique way of life in North County. I will listen, lead and communicate while establishing a productive working rapport with every member of the Board of Supervisors and leaders in our community. I will work to find the best solutions that benefit all of us in North County, not just a few narrow interest groups.

I am a lifelong North County resident. My wife and I have two grown daughters and have lived in Paso Robles since 1973.

I own and operate a small business and understand the challenges faced by business owners who struggle to provide jobs in a difficult economy.

I see a bright future for San Luis Obispo County and I respectfully ask for your vote.

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, 1<sup>st</sup> DISTRICT**

**DALE GUSTIN**

**Occupation:** Retired Attorney

**Education and Qualifications:** Trust in Gustin. After serving as an attorney in Paso Robles for 35 years, I retired. I have never held a public office before, but since 1979, I have been involved in numerous city functions and I have served on numerous Boards of Directors including being a member of Rotary and a Past President of same and a member of the Pioneer Day Committee.

I have been active since 1979 having served on the Board of Directors for the Paso Robles Chamber of Commerce, Camp Fire Boys and Girls and currently the Paso Robles Main Street Board.

I was one of the persons who helped form the United Way of SLO County and served on that board for many years.

I ask for your vote on June 7, 2016 because I want to bring my wide diversity of knowledge and experience to the Board of Supervisors and want to allow all residents to have a voice in their government.

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**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, 1<sup>st</sup> DISTRICT**

**JOHN PESCHONG**

**Occupation:** Small Independent Businessman

**Education and Qualifications:** San Luis Obispo County is my home. It is where my wife and I are raising our family and it's where I started my business. As an active 4-H parent, the former President of the California Mid-State Fair Board of Directors, and President of the Central Coast Taxpayers Association I understand firsthand why our community is so special.

We need a Supervisor who will work to maintain and improve the quality of life in San Luis Obispo County while standing up against increased taxes and the criminal behavior of street gangs.

I am a strong supporter of property rights and the protections given under Proposition 13 and that is why the Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association supports my campaign for Supervisor.

I am willing to give law enforcement the resources they need to combat gang activity in every corner of our county and that is why District Attorney Dan Dow supports me.

I am proud to have earned the support from a broad coalition of community leaders that includes John Lacey, Assessor Tom Bordonaro, Supervisor Debbie Arnold and Supervisor Lynn Compton. I would be honored to have your support. If you have questions please call me at (805) 440-7818.

**DECLARACION DEL CANDIDATO A  
LA JUNTA DE SUPERVISORES, 1.er DISTRITO**

**STEVEN W. MARTIN**

**Edad: 64**

**Ocupación:** Alcalde de Paso Robles/Empresario Local

**Educación y preparación:** ha sido un honor para mí servir como alcalde de Paso Robles dos veces: primero en 1988 y ahora desde 2014. He trabajado en el Concejo Municipal desde 2012 al presente y de 1987-1996. Me enfoco en mejorar los recursos hídricos, mejorar los servicios del gobierno local, mantener la responsabilidad fiscal y crear un ambiente de desarrollo económico en el Norte del Condado.

Abordaré problemas críticos sin disputas partidarias e ideológicas. Apoyaré un equilibrado enfoque en el desarrollo para fomentar el crecimiento del empleo y proteger nuestro estilo de vida único en el Norte del Condado. Escucharé, guiaré y comunicaré al tiempo que estableceré una buena y productiva relación de trabajo con cada miembro de la Junta de Supervisores y líderes de nuestra comunidad. Trabajaré para encontrar las mejores soluciones que nos beneficien a todos en el Norte del Condado, no sólo a unos pocos grupos de interés.

He vivido toda mi vida en el Norte del Condado. Mi esposa y yo tenemos dos hijas adultas y hemos vivido en Paso Robles desde 1973.

Dirijo y soy propietario de una pequeña empresa y entiendo los desafíos que enfrentan los propietarios de empresas que luchan por proporcionar empleos en una economía difícil.

Veo un futuro brillante para el Condado de San Luis Obispo y le pido respetuosamente su voto.

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**DECLARACIÓN DEL CANDIDATO A  
LA JUNTA DE SUPERVISORES, 1.er DISTRITO**

**JOHN PESCHONG**

**Ocupación:** Pequeño Empresario Independiente

**Educación y preparación:** el Condado de San Luis Obispo es mi hogar. Es aquí donde mi esposa y yo criamos nuestra familia y donde comencé mi negocio. Como padre activo de 4-H, Expresidente de la Junta Directiva de California Mid-State Fair, y Presidente de la Asociación de Contribuyentes de la Costa Central entiendo de primera mano por qué nuestra comunidad es tan especial.

Necesitamos un supervisor que trabaje para mantener y mejorar la calidad de vida del Condado de San Luis Obispo y que haga frente al incremento de los impuestos y a la conducta criminal de pandillas callejeras.

Soy un firme defensor de los derechos de propiedad y de las protecciones que otorga la Propuesta 13 y es por eso que la Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association apoya mi campaña para Supervisor.

Estoy listo para dar a los encargados del cumplimiento de la ley los recursos que necesitan para combatir la actividad de pandillas en cada esquina de nuestro condado y es por eso que el Abogado de Distrito Dan Dow me apoya.

Me enorgullece haber ganado el apoyo de una amplia coalición de líderes de la comunidad que incluye a John Lacey, el Asesor Tom Bordonaro, la Supervisora Debbie Arnold y el Supervisor Lynn Compton. Contar con su apoyo sería un honor para mí. Si tiene alguna pregunta por favor llámeme al (805) 440-7818.



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## Voter Status Search

To see your voter status, enter the following information and click "Show status".

In order to maintain the privacy of the voter, the information provided must be an exact match to the voter registration on file with our office and all fields must be completed.

If you cannot view your voter status, please contact the Elections Office at 781-5228 and we will assist you.

Birth date (format: mm/dd/yyyy)	<input type="text"/>
Last 4 digits of your California driver's license number (or the last 4 digits of your California ID number)	<input type="text"/>
Street address (number only) (example: if your address is 123 Main, enter 123)	<input type="text"/>

Show status

## Find Out The Status Of Your Vote-By-Mail Ballot

### Voter Registration Status

Registered City:	San Luis Obispo
Registered Political Party:	Democratic
Voter Registration Status:	Active
* Vote-by-Mail Status:	Permanent Vote-By-Mail voter

### Vote-by-Mail Ballot Status

Ballot Category:	Permanent Vote-By-Mail voter
Date Issued:	10/4/2010
Date Returned:	11/02/2010
Challenged:	
Return Source:	Ballot returned by mail