CANVASS

ELECTION NIGHT ACTIVITIES	
ELECTION RESULTS AVAILABLE AFTER 8:00 p.m.	At the Registrar of Voters, 2724 Gateway Drive, Riverside, or by phone (951) 486-7200, (800) 773-VOTE, or website: www.voteinfo.net
ELECTION NIGHT RESULTS INFORMATION	Candidates are invited to visit the Registrar of Voters office on election night. Cumulative election results will be available to candidates via telephone or at the Registrar of Voters Office. In addition, the results will be posted to our website. www.voteinfo.net. The vote-by-mail ballots will be reported first at approximately 8:20 p.m. Telephone operators will remain available to answer questions until all precinct results have been reported. The Vote Centers officially close at 8:00 p.m. Election activity then changes, from what was primarily voter participation at the Vote Centers, to election officers completing necessary procedures and forms, and delivering equipment and supplies to the Registrar of Voters office. Certain receiving procedures take place, and then the ballot cartons are delivered to the Registrar of Voters office where the votes are tallied.
CANVASS	Following Election Day the canvass of the returns will commence at the Registrar of Voters office. During the canvass, a complete audit of all returns will be accomplished, as well as processing and counting of CVR and vote-by-mail ballots voted and/or received on election day. Additionally, if there are any qualified write-in candidates, those votes will be tallied during the canvass. As a result, close races may not be determined until the canvass is completed. The official election results will be certified after the completion of the canvass.
CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION RESULTS	After certification of the election results, winners will be mailed a Certificate of Election with instructions on where and when to file it. Winners of city races will receive certification through the City Clerk's office.