2022 Pre-Endorsing Conference Vote-By-Mail Ballot Instructions

VBM Email Address: Ballots must be received by the Regional Director/Convener responsible for the Pre-Primary Endorsement vote in the relevant district. Please use the following email addresses to submit your ballot.

Region 1E -Region 7 -Region 14 -Region7@CADEM.ORG Region1E@CADEM.ORG Region14@CADEM.ORG Region 1W -Region 8 -Region 15 -Region8@CADEM.ORG Region1W@CADEM.ORG Region15@CADEM.ORG Region 2 -Region 9 -Region 16 -Region2@CADEM.ORG Region9@CADEM.ORG Region16@CADEM.ORG Region 10 -Region 17 -Region 3 – Region3@CADEM.ORG Region10@CADEM.ORG Region17@CADEM.ORG Region 4 -Region 11 -Region 18 -Region4@CADEM.ORG Region11@CADEM.ORG Region18@CADEM.ORG Region 5 -Region 12 -Region 19 -Region5@CADEM.ORG Region12@CADEM.ORG Region19@CADEM.ORG Region 6 -Region 13 -Region 20 -Region20@CADEM.ORG Region6@CADEM.ORG Region13@CADEM.ORG

To check which Region the election you are voting on is in, please visit www.cadem.org/endorsements and select "Pre-Endorsement Conference Schedule." There you will be able to see which AD, SD, or CD race is in each Region's Pre-Endorsement Conference.

If you wish to mail your ballot to CADEM, please use the address below. It is strongly recommended that you email your ballot to ensure that it is received on time.

Mail: 1830 9th Street, Sacramento, CA 95811

VBM Ballot Deadline: To be counted, ballots must be submitted to the responsible Regional Director/Convener prior to the roll call vote of the relevant district. All Roll Call Votes will start 5 minutes after candidate speeches end, in each Pre-Endorsement Conference. Ballots may not be counted if they are sent to the wrong VBM address or Region. **It is the voter's responsibility to make sure the VBM Ballot gets to the correct Regional Director/ Convener on time.**

VBM Restrictions: You may only submit one ballot per district in which you are entitled to a vote. **Once a VBM Ballot is received by the Regional Director/Convener, you may not retract, rescind, or otherwise change your vote.** This includes if your submission is for someone that is not an eligible candidate. You must submit a separate ballot for each district in which you are entitled a vote, if you wish to participate in that district. For instance, if you are eligible to vote in an Assembly District and a Congressional District, you must submit two separate VBM Ballots; one for the Assembly race and one for the Congressional race.

Prior to sending your Vote-by-Mail Ballot, please verify that you have completed the following:

- Your name, address where you are registered, contact information and county are clearly printed in the space provided.
- You have clearly printed the name of the eligible candidate or "no endorsement" in the space provided in the body of the ballot. For a list of candidates, please visit the Endorsements Webpage at www.cadem.org/endorsements/candidates-who-have-filed/ or contact your Regional Director/Convener.
- The district type and number are clearly printed in the space provided in the body of the ballot. For example, if you were voting to endorse *Jane Doe* in *Senate District 41*, you would print *SD 41* in the space provided.
- You have clearly printed your DSCC ID# or Voter ID#. This ID number will be provided to you in the emails from CADEM and will be available to all candidates for your reference. If you are unable to find your DSCC ID# or Voter ID# please email the Regional Email above to request assistance. This ID number is how CADEM Staff is able to track your ballot.
- You have signed and dated your ballot. **Your signature must be an original signature.** Electronic signatures will not be accepted.

It is important to remember that if your ballot is illegible; your ballot will not count. This Document is a fillable PDF to make it is easier for you to fill it out.

If you have questions about the Vote-by-Mail process, please contact your Regional Director/Convener or visit www.cadem.org/endorsements for more information.



2022 Pre-Endorsing Conference Vote-By-Mail Ballot

Vote-By-Mail (VBM) ballots must be mailed, emailed, or handed to the California Democratic Party (CDP) Regional Director/Convener responsible for the Pre-Endorsing Conference vote in the relevant district. Please read the second page of the ballot for specifics.

ONCE RECEIVED BY THE REGIONAL DIRECTOR/CONVENER, YOU MAY NOT RETRACT, RESCIND, OR OTHERWISE CHANGE YOUR VOTE.

To be counted, ballots must be submitted to the responsible Regional Director/Convener prior to the roll call vote of the relevant district. All Roll Call Votes will start 5 minutes after candidate speeches end, in each Pre-Endorsement Conference. Ballots may not be counted if they are sent to the wrong VBM address or Region.

YOU MAY ONLY VOTE FOR ONE CANDIDATE PER BALLOT.

| Name | | |
|--|--|--|
| | | |
| | Ziړ | |
| Mobile Number | County | |
| Fmail Address | | |
| I cast my Pre-Endors | sing Conference vote for: orint "No Endorsement" on the line above) | |
| I cast my Pre-Endors | sing Conference vote for: | |
| I cast my Pre-Endors (Please print candidate's name or p | orint "No Endorsement" on the line above) | in the(Indicate AD, SD or CD & District #) |
| I cast my Pre-Endors (Please print candidate's name or p | sing Conference vote for: | in the(Indicate AD, SD or CD & District #) |
| I cast my Pre-Endors (Please print candidate's name or p My DSCC ID# or Vote (This number can be found on the email on the first page) | orint "No Endorsement" on the line above) er ID# is: email sent to you by CADEM. If you cannot fi | in the(Indicate AD, SD or CD & District #) |
| I cast my Pre-Endors (Please print candidate's name or p My DSCC ID# or Vote (This number can be found on the email on the first page) I declare under penalt | orint "No Endorsement" on the line above) er ID# is: email sent to you by CADEM. If you cannot fi | in the(Indicate AD, SD or CD & District #) ind this number, please email the regional |

<u>Please remember that all ballots must have an original signature. Electronic signatures will not be accepted.</u>