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In this edition of the Clark County Election Department Newsletter, we share the results of the June 2026 Primary Election and take a closer look at what happens after voters cast their ballots. Learn how ballots move through the tabulation process, why election results remain unofficial until certification, and how Nevada's election history has shaped the voting process we know today. Whether you are interested in election results, election administration, or Nevada history, this issue offers a behind-the-scenes look at the work that continues long after Election Day.

Interesting Moments in Nevada Election History

Nevada has a long and colorful election history. Since becoming a state in 1864, Nevada voters have participated in presidential elections, constitutional amendments, and historic ballot measures that helped shape both our state and the nation.

Did you know Nevada has often mirrored the national outcome in presidential elections? Since statehood, Nevada voters have selected the eventual winner of the presidential election in 33 of 41 elections.

Nevada has not always voted for candidates from the two major political parties. In 1892, Nevada voters chose the People's Party, also known as the Populist Party, for president. It remains the only time Nevada voted for a third-party presidential candidate.

One of Nevada's most unique voting traditions is the option to select "None of These Candidates" in certain statewide races. First introduced in 1976, "None of These Candidates" has been part of Nevada elections for 50 years.



1892 People's Party campaign poster promoting James Weaver for President of the United States.



Button from 1970s national campaign to lower voting age.

Nevada voters have also decided important ques-

tions beyond candidates. In 1971, voters approved lowering the voting age to 18 in a statewide special election. The measure passed by only 1,565 votes, showing how even close elections can have lasting effects.

Election history reminds us that every vote contributes to Nevada's story. From choosing leaders to deciding major public questions, Nevada voters have played an important role in shaping the state's future for more than 160 years. ■



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did you know?

Nevada adopted its direct primary election system in 1909, giving voters the power to choose their party's nominees instead of leaving those decisions to political party leaders.

2026 Primary Election Results

The results below summarize the contests decided in the June 2026 Primary Election. Some races determined which candidates will advance to the November General Election, while others were decided in the Primary because only one candidate qualified or because the candidate was elected outright. **As you review the results, remember that not every contest appearing on the November ballot is listed here. Additional offices, including many judicial races and other contests that did not appear on the Primary ballot, will be decided in the 2026 General Election.**

OFFICE	CANDIDATE NAME ON THE BALLOT		PARTY
	Last Name	First & Other Names	
FEDERAL PARTISAN OFFICES			
Representative in Congress District 1	Buck	Carrie Ann	REP
Representative in Congress District 1	Titus	Dina	DEM
Representative in Congress District 3	Lee	Susie	DEM
Representative in Congress District 3	O'Donnell	Marty	REP
Representative in Congress District 4 <i>(NOTE: This office covers areas in multiple Counties, i.e., Esmeralda, Mineral, and Nye; parts of Clark, Churchill, Lincoln, and Lyon)</i>	Whipple	Cody K.	REP
STATE PARTISAN OFFICES			
Governor	Ford	Aaron D.	DEM
Governor	Lombardo	Joseph	REP
Lieutenant Governor	Jauregui	Sandra	DEM
Secretary of State	Marchant	Jim	REP
State Treasurer	Johnson	Drew	REP
State Treasurer	Mathis-Coleman	Tya	DEM
State Controller	MacDougall	Michael	DEM
Attorney General	Cannizzaro	Nicole Jeanette	DEM
Attorney General	Guzmán Fralick	Adriana	REP
State Senate District 2	Flores	Edgar	DEM
State Senate District 8	Harris	George E.	REP
State Senate District 21	Ohrenschall	James	DEM
State Assembly District 1	Esparza	Alexis Elizabeth	DEM
State Assembly District 2	Bywaters	Kamilah	DEM

State Assembly District 3	Silvestri	Joseph P.	REP
State Assembly District 5	Quinn	Kelly	REP
State Assembly District 6	Jackson	Jovan Alexander	DEM
State Assembly District 8	Charafi	Joseph “Joey”	REP
State Assembly District 8	Nguyen	Duy	DEM
State Assembly District 9	Hampton	Ryan	DEM
State Assembly District 9	Neely	Erica Alejandra	REP
State Assembly District 10	Karris	Venise L.	DEM
State Assembly District 15	Davila	Miguel	DEM
State Assembly District 16	González	Cecelia	DEM
State Assembly District 17	Hunt	Linda F.	DEM
State Assembly District 18	Considine	Venicia	DEM
State Assembly District 19	Patchett	Jason	REP
State Assembly District 20	Orentlicher	David	DEM
State Assembly District 22	Booth	Shenea	DEM
State Assembly District 29	Pereszlenyi	Alex J.	DEM
State Assembly District 34	Nadeem	Hanadi	DEM
State Assembly District 41	Chapman	Kelly	REP
State Assembly District 41	Spotleson	Vinny	DEM
State Assembly District 42	Brandlin	Christopher	REP
State Assembly District 42	Brown-May	Tracy	DEM

COUNTY PARTISAN OFFICES

County Commissioner District E	Kess	Manny	REP
County Commissioner District E	Segeberblom	“Tick”	DEM
County Commissioner District F	Kasama	Heidi	REP
County Commissioner District F	Yan	Minja	DEM
County Commissioner District G	Gibson	Jim	DEM
County Commissioner District G	Maxham	Jon	REP
County Assessor	Joe	Judy	REP
County Assessor	Washington	Tamicka N.	DEM
County Clerk	Goya	Lynn Marie	DEM
County Recorder	Flanagan	Tanya	DEM
County Recorder	Young	Bill	REP
Public Administrator	Itkin-Goodman	Stephanie	DEM
Public Administrator	Murphy	Michael	REP

STATE AND DISTRICT NONPARTISAN OFFICES

District Court Judge Department 13	Ganz	Adam	NP
District Court Judge Department 26	Goodey	Jessica	NP
District Court Judge Family Division Department P	Isso	Jennifer	NP
District Court Judge Family Division Department P	Perry	Mary	NP
District Court Judge Family Division Department R	Caston	Marilyn A.	NP
District Court Judge Family Division Department R	Henderson	Bill	NP
District Court Judge Family Division Department S	Brewer	Kristine	NP
District Court Judge Family Division Department S	Forman	Randall	NP
Board of Regents District 2	McGrath	Jennifer	NP
Board of Regents District 2	Villa	Patrick L.	NP
Board of Regents District 5	Denis	Moises “Mo”	NP
Board of Regents District 5	Molina	Stephanie	NP
Board of Regents District 8 <i>(NOTE: This office covers areas in multiple Counties, i.e., Clark, Elko, Esmeralda, Eureka, Lincoln, Nye, and White Pine)</i>	Goicoechea	Pete	NP
Board of Regents District 8 <i>(NOTE: This office covers areas in multiple Counties, i.e., Clark, Elko, Esmeralda, Eureka, Lincoln, Nye, and White Pine)</i>	Lane	Lori	NP

COUNTY NONPARTISAN OFFICES

Trustee Clark County School District F	Bustamante Adams	Irene	NP
Trustee Clark County School District F	Hutchinson	Robert E.	NP
Board Member Virgin Valley Water District Bunkerville	Pollock	Vernon W.	NP
Trustee Overton Power District 5 Seat 1 Overton	Jones <i>(declared elected)</i>	Richard A.	NP
Trustee Overton Power District 5 Seat 2 Logandale	Dalley <i>(declared elected)</i>	Lindsey	NP
Trustee Overton Power District 5 Seat 4 Bunkerville	Leavitt <i>(declared elected)</i>	Michael L.	NP

Trustee Overton Power District 5 Seat 6 Mesquite	Rust (declared elected)	Morris D.	NP
Town Advisory Board Laughlin <i>Vote for not more than 5</i>	Beck (declared elected)	Bradley	NP
Town Advisory Board Laughlin <i>Vote for not more than 5</i>	Ochs (declared elected)	Kathy D.	NP
Town Advisory Board Laughlin <i>Vote for not more than 5</i>	Walker (declared elected)	Pamela	NP
Town Advisory Board Moapa <i>Vote for not more than 5</i>	Ortiz (declared elected)	James	NP
Town Advisory Board Searchlight <i>Vote for not more than 5</i>	Harting (declared elected)	Robin	NP
Town Advisory Board Searchlight <i>Vote for not more than 5</i>	Myers (declared elected)	Kyle	NP
Sheriff	McMahill	Kevin	NP

CITY OFFICES (ALL NONPARTISAN)

HENDERSON

City of Henderson Mayor	Chadwick	Hollie	NP
City of Henderson Mayor	Romero	Michelle	NP
City of Henderson City Council Ward III	Atlas	Jennifer	NP
City of Henderson City Council Ward III	Cox	Carrie	NP
City of Henderson Municipal Court Judge Department 1	Albritton	Alicia	NP
City of Henderson Municipal Court Judge Department 1	Thompson	Gary	NP

LAS VEGAS

City of Las Vegas Councilman Ward 2	McCarthy	Luke	NP
City of Las Vegas Councilman Ward 2	Nordstrom	Shannon	NP
City of Las Vegas Councilman Ward 4	Allen-Palenske (declared elected)	Francis	NP
City of Las Vegas Councilman Ward 6	Brune	Nancy	NP
City of Las Vegas Municipal Court Judge Department 1	Pellizzari	Amanda	NP
City of Las Vegas Municipal Court Judge Department 1	Walker	Matt	NP
City of Las Vegas Municipal Court Judge Department 2	Green	Jessica A.	NP
City of Las Vegas Municipal Court Judge Department 2	Murphy	Allycia	NP

MESQUITE			
City of Mesquite Councilmember Seat 1	Rosen	John S.	NP
City of Mesquite Councilmember Seat 1	Shackelford	Ronald	NP
City of Mesquite Councilmember Seat 3	Gallo <i>(declared elected)</i>	Pattie A.	NP
NORTH LAS VEGAS			
City of North Las Vegas Mayor	Black	Scott	NP
City of North Las Vegas Mayor	Monroe-Moreno	Daniele	NP
City of North Las Vegas Council Member Ward 1	Strothers	Sherry	NP
City of North Las Vegas Council Member Ward 1	Villeda	Esmeralda	NP
City of North Las Vegas Council Member Ward 3	Zeiler	Ida	NP
City of North Las Vegas Municipal Court Judge Department 1	Cannon	Chris	NP
TOWNSHIP NONPARTISAN OFFICES			
Constable Bunkerville Township	Haviland	Jace W.	NP
Constable Goodsprings Township	Trybul	Kristina A.	NP
Constable Henderson Township	Taylor	Kenny	NP
Constable Mesquite Township	Oliver	Wyatt	NP
Constable Moapa Township	Jensen	Joshua R.	NP
Constable Moapa Valley Township	Harding	Mark	NP
Justice of the Peace Henderson Township Department 2	Bateman	Sam	NP
Justice of the Peace Henderson Township Department 3	Schifalacqua	Barbara	NP
Justice of the Peace Henderson Township Department 4	Allmon	Michael	NP
Justice of the Peace Henderson Township Department 4	Cory	John	NP
Justice of the Peace Las Vegas Township Department 11	Goodman	Eric A.	NP
Justice of the Peace Las Vegas Township Department 12	Sullivan	Diana L.	NP
Justice of the Peace North Las Vegas Township Department 3	Harris	Belinda T. "BTH"	NP

When Do Election Results Become Official?

On Election Night, election officials begin reporting results shortly after the polls close. While these results provide an early snapshot of the election, they are not yet official.

Counting votes does not end when voting ends.

After Election Day, election officials continue processing eligible mail ballots and reviewing provisional ballots. Election officials verify voter eligibility, resolve ballot issues, and count every ballot that state law requires to be counted.

Some voters wonder why results can change after Election Night. Under Nevada law, mail ballots with a postmark on or before Election Day may arrive up to four days after the election and still be counted if received by 5:00 p.m. on the fourth day following the election.

Election officials also contact voters whose mail ballot envelopes are missing a signature or whose

signature could not be verified. This process, called signature curing, gives voters an opportunity to resolve the issue so their ballot can be counted.

In addition, election officials review provisional ballots to determine whether the voter was eligible to vote in that election. If so, the provisional ballot is counted.

As mail ballots are processed, signatures are cured, and provisional ballots are reviewed, vote totals continue to change.

Once election officials have completed ballot processing and verified the results, the Registrar of Voters presents the official election results to the Clark County Board of Commissioners. This public meeting, called the canvass, must take place no later than the 10th day after the election. During the canvass, the Board reviews and accepts the election results before they are transmitted to the Nevada Secretary of State for statewide certification.

Election Night results provide an early snapshot of the election, but they do not become official until the canvass is complete and the election is certified. This process helps ensure that election results accurately reflect all eligible ballots cast. ■

Community Outreach

The Clark County Election Department is on a mission to build vibrant, engaged communities through dynamic outreach programs. The Election Department offers voter education, community presentations, and outreach throughout Clark County. If your organization is interested in scheduling a presentation or learning more about election services, contact us at **(702) 455-2944**. Let's make a difference together!



What is Tabulation?

Although voters sometimes use the terms voting and counting as if they mean the same thing, those are different components of the election process.

When voting in person, you have cast your vote once you insert your ballot into the tabulator at your voting site. If voting by mail, your ballot has been cast once election officials have verified your signature on the outside of the mail ballot return envelope and the counting board has accepted the ballot.

Tabulation is the process of counting the accepted ballots. During tabulation, special high-speed scanners “read” each individual ballot and calculate vote totals per contest.

Separate operations for ballot casting, ballot processing, and ballot tabulation help ensure every eligible ballot is counted securely and accurately by verifying that each person is an eligible voter and protecting voter privacy throughout the process. ■

important 2026 General Election dates

Oct. 6

Last Day to Register Before Extended Registration Begins

Oct. 7-20

Online Extended Registration & Updates

Oct. 17-30

In-Person Early Voting/ Same-Day Registration In -Person

Oct. 21- Nov. 3

Same-Day Registration Available Online

Nov. 3

General Election Day/ Same-Day Registration Available

OTHER GOVERNMENT CONTACTS

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Federal U.S. Election Assistance Commission (EAC)

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