

MONROVIA ELECTIONS AND SB 590



HISTORY OF MONROVIA ELECTION DATES

- 1942 - 1972 April
- 1974 -1978 March
- 1980 -1994 April
- 1997 - 2005 March
- 2009 - 2017 April
 - SB 415 (statewide primary or statewide general; date changed in 2018)
- 2020 - present March
 - SB 970 (primaries in March in years divisible by 4 or June in other even years)
- 2022 – June?

COMPLICATIONS AS A RESULT OF STATE LAW CHANGES

- Aligning regular local elections with statewide primary or statewide general elections means (for now) a variable election date depending on the year.
- The 2022 regular municipal elections must be held on the primary election date.
- The result is likely that, in the future, some terms will expire in March and some terms will expire in June.
- Ballot capacity concerns with adding new local elections in November.

SB 590 - ALLEN

- Any term of office set to expire in March or April 2022 shall be extended to expire following the certification of election results following the June 7, 2022 statewide primary election and the administration of the oath of office to the new officeholder.
- Recommend that the City Council support SB 590 and direct staff to prepare documents to align the 2022 regular municipal election with the June primary.