

MVCC Election Timelines

ELECTION EVENTS, ACTIVITIES, FILING PERIOD DESCRIPTIONS, ETC.	E-DAY (+/-)	START	END
Distribution of Election Procedures	E-90	Monday January 11, 2010	
Candidate Filing Period	E-90 - E-60	Monday January 11, 2010	Wednesday February 10, 2010
Candidate Withdrawal Deadline	E-60		Wednesday February 10, 2010
Vote-By-Mail Application Period	E-90 - E-10	Monday January 11, 2010	Thursday April 1, 2010
Write-in Candidate Filing Period	E-59 - E-30	Thursday February 11, 2010	Friday March 12, 2010
Candidate Statement Deadline	E-30		Friday March 12, 2010
Write-in Candidate Withdrawal Deadline	E-30		Friday March 12, 2010
Vote-By-Mail Return Deadline	E-3		Thursday April 8, 2010
Regional Election Day	Sunday April 11, 2010	Sunday April 11, 2010	Sunday April 11, 2010
Deadline to Complete Final Canvass (FC)	E + 7 7 days (City of Los Angeles business days)		Tuesday April 20, 2010

1. November 11, 2009: Announcement to MVCC general Stakeholder email list of upcoming election, and request for candidates:

"The City of Los Angeles Elections Division, in conjunction with the Mar Vista Community Council, will hold elections for all 13 seats on the MVCC Board of Directors on Sunday, April 11, 2010 from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. The Candidate filing period will commence on Monday January 11, 2010 and close on Wednesday, February 10, 2010. The seats to be elected are a Community Director, six (6) At-Large Directors, and six(6) Zone Directors. Please email info@marvista.org for additional information."

2. December, 2009: Start of Promotional material at MVCC Farmer's Market booth

Banner stating date of election to be placed at Booth, and possibly closer to election on Rec. Center fence; flyers describing process, etc. (Funding Motion for materials at November Board meeting?)

3. 2nd Announcement to MVCC general Stakeholder email list

4. Winter Newsletter announcing Election, with article encouraging stakeholders to become candidates

5. Creation of MVCC Voter Survey

To be filled out day of election? And on-line after the election?

6. March 12, 2010 Deadline for Candidate Statements

7. March/April Election Newsletter

8. Possible mailing of election information and candidate statements

9. April: Candidate Forum

10. April 11, 2010 Election Day

11. IMPORTANT QUESTION: WHEN ARE NEW BOARD MEMBERS SEATED? Previous Board members were elected to two-years terms. Should the seating take place in July of 2010?