



DEPARTMENT OF  
**FINANCE**  
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

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September 5, 2025

Honorable Malia Cohen  
State Controller  
California State Controller's Office  
300 Capitol Mall, Suite 1850  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**Dear Controller Cohen:**

Pursuant to Chapter 97, Statutes of 2025, the Director of Finance respectfully requests that the State Controller's Office remit payment to county elections officials for the statewide special election scheduled for November 4, 2025.

Specifically, Finance requests that \$251,306,359 be allocated in fiscal year 2025-26, as provided in Attachment I.

If you have any questions or need additional information regarding this matter, please contact Jessie Romine, Principal Program Budget Analyst, at (916)445-8913.

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Director

By:

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Attachment

cc: Dr. Shirley N. Weber, Secretary of State  
Lisa Martin, Chief Deputy Secretary, Secretary of State  
Reggie Fair, Deputy Secretary of Operations, Secretary of State  
Jesse Salinas, President, California Association of Clerks and Elections Officials  
Justin Garrett, Interim Chief Policy Officer, California State Association of Counties  
Julissa Cardenas, Legislative Representative, California State Association of Counties  
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Attachment I

| County       | Allocation    |
|--------------|---------------|
| Alameda      | \$ 11,429,947 |
| Alpine       | \$ 38,950     |
| Amador       | \$ 159,610    |
| Butte        | \$ 843,000    |
| Calaveras    | \$ 348,832    |
| Colusa       | \$ 227,358    |
| Contra Costa | \$ 6,568,000  |
| Del Norte    | \$ 139,345    |
| El Dorado    | \$ 836,800    |
| Fresno       | \$ 4,047,000  |
| Glenn        | \$ 236,600    |
| Humboldt     | \$ 839,000    |
| Imperial     | \$ 681,090    |
| Inyo         | \$ 220,826    |
| Kern         | \$ 3,188,500  |
| Kings        | \$ 518,300    |
| Lake         | \$ 351,028    |
| Lassen       | \$ 144,700    |
| Los Angeles  | \$ 67,194,000 |
| Madera       | \$ 892,560    |
| Marin        | \$ 1,635,647  |
| Mariposa     | \$ 75,000     |
| Mendocino    | \$ 351,000    |
| Merced       | \$ 1,395,245  |
| Modoc        | \$ 71,860     |
| Mono         | \$ 187,000    |
| Monterey     | \$ 3,500,000  |
| Napa         | \$ 682,336    |
| Nevada       | \$ 645,200    |

| County          | Allocation    |
|-----------------|---------------|
| Orange          | \$ 15,432,820 |
| Placer          | \$ 3,100,000  |
| Plumas          | \$ 58,667     |
| Riverside       | \$ 16,329,709 |
| Sacramento      | \$ 10,843,148 |
| San Benito      | \$ 357,300    |
| San Bernardino  | \$ 24,877,758 |
| San Diego       | \$ 19,000,000 |
| San Francisco   | \$ 4,508,500  |
| San Joaquin     | \$ 4,247,235  |
| San Luis Obispo | \$ 1,896,400  |
| San Mateo       | \$ 4,170,529  |
| Santa Barbara   | \$ 2,445,000  |
| Santa Clara     | \$ 17,219,000 |
| Santa Cruz      | \$ 1,262,062  |
| Shasta          | \$ 1,149,176  |
| Sierra          | \$ 24,000     |
| Siskiyou        | \$ 373,088    |
| Solano          | \$ 2,617,826  |
| Sonoma          | \$ 3,068,144  |
| Stanislaus      | \$ 1,592,116  |
| Sutter          | \$ 397,900    |
| Tehama          | \$ 300,000    |
| Trinity         | \$ 205,000    |
| Tulare          | \$ 1,241,750  |
| Tuolumne        | \$ 228,420    |
| Ventura         | \$ 5,297,000  |
| Yolo            | \$ 1,264,731  |
| Yuba            | \$ 350,346    |