

## **LACDP Endorsed Candidates/Propositions/Measures**

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**President - Joe Biden / Kamala Harris**

**Congressional District 33 – Ted Lieu** (or if you live in CD 43, Maxine Waters; if you live in the 44th CD, Nanette Barragan)

**Assembly District 66 – Al Muratsuchi** (or if you live in AD 35, Steven Bradford; if you live in the 70th AD, Patrick O'Donnell)

**LA County District Attorney – George Gascon**

**LA County Superior Court Judges:** (see LA County Bar evaluations of candidates here: <https://www.lacba.org/docs/default-source/jeec-reports/jeec-2020-final-report-for-official-release.pdf>) \*

**Office 72: Steve Morgan**

**Office 80: David Berger**

**Office 162: Scott Andrew Yang**

**Los Angeles Community College District (LACCD) Board of Trustees**

**Seat 1 - Andrea Hoffman**

**Seat 3 - David Vela**

**Seat 5 - Nichelle Henderson**

**Seat 7 - Mike Fong**

**Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District Board Members (vote 2 out of 4) - Jeff Frankel**

**LA County District Attorney - George Gascon**

**Palos Verdes Estates City Council (vote 2 of 5) - no endorsements**

**Rolling Hills Estates City Council (vote 3 of 7) - Debby Stegura**

**PVLD Board of Trustees (pick 2 of 4) - no endorsements**

**West Basin Municipal Water Municipal Water District Division 2 - Robert Katherman**

**PROPOSITIONS**

<b>VOTE</b>	<b>Proposition</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Description / Comments</b>	<b>Supporters</b>	<b>Opponents</b>
<b>YES</b>	<b>Proposition 14</b>	Continue Stem Cell Research	Authorizes \$5.5B in state bonds to continue funding stem cell research.  <i>Stem cell funding has, to date, generated ~\$10.7B in economic stimulus.</i>	CADEM and over 70 patient advocate orgs.	LA Times Orange County Register

<b>VOTE</b>	<b>Proposition</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Description / Comments</b>	<b>Supporters</b>	<b>Opponents</b>
<b>YES</b>	<b>Proposition 15</b>	Taxes on Commercial Property	<p>Increase funding sources for public schools, community colleges, and local government services by changing tax assessment of commercial and industrial property.</p> <p><i>10 % of the wealthiest corporations will provide 90% of the revenue. Keeps Prop 13's protection for homeowners, renters, and farms. Estimate 15B revenue.</i></p>	CADEM LA Times LWV Gov Newsom Biden-Harris CA Teachers Ass SEIU & other unions Chan/Zuckerberg	CA Business Roundtable
<b>YES</b>	<b>Proposition 16</b>	Allow Public Agencies to Consider Diversity	<p>Allow diversity as a factor in public employment, education, and contracting decisions.</p> <p><i>No direct fiscal cost.</i></p>	CADEM LA Times LWV CA Teachers Ass	
<b>YES</b>	<b>Proposition 17</b>	Voting Rights for People on Parole	<p>Restores right to vote after completion of prison term.</p> <p><i>19 other states allow people to vote once they have successfully completed their prison sentences.</i></p>	CADEM LA Times LWV	

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YES	<b>Proposition 18</b>	Allows Some 17-Year-Olds to Vote in Primaries	Amends CA Constitution to allow 17-year-olds to vote in primary and special elections if they will be 18 at the time of the general election.  <i>It will boost the number of youth who actually vote</i>	CADEM LA Times LWV	

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YES	Proposition 19	Property Taxes: Transfers	<p>Changes certain property tax rules for homeowners over 55, disabled, or wildfire/disaster victims to transfer primary residence's tax base to replacement residence.</p> <p><i>Closes tax loopholes on inherited properties not used as primary residences, directing increased tax revenue to fire protection, schools, and local government. one.</i></p>	CADEM CA Assoc of Realtors	<p>LA Times LWV <i>LA Times - "... would just expand the inequities in California's property tax system. It would grossly benefit those who were lucky enough to buy a home years ago and hold onto it as values skyrocketed. It would give them a huge tax break and greater buying power in an already expensive real estate market. It would skew tax breaks further away from people who don't own a home or who may be struggling to buy</i></p>

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NO	Proposition 20	Changes to Criminal Penalties and Parole	<p>Restricts parole for certain offenses currently considered to be non-violent and authorizes felony sentences for certain offenses currently treated only as misdemeanors.</p> <p><i>Rolls back prison reforms and cost taxpayers millions of dollars annually. Prop 20 slashes mental health and rehabilitation programs that help to prepare people for release from prison and reduce repeat offenses. Prop 20 will result in extreme sentences for petty theft and will disproportionately impact vulnerable minorities.</i></p>	Police Organizations	CADEM LA Times LWV

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YES	<b>Proposition 21</b>	Rent Control	<p>Expands local governments' authority to enact rent control on residential property.</p> <p><i>Cities and counties would be able to apply rent control to all housing which is more than 15 years old, with the exception of single-family homes owned by landlords who own one or two properties. Guarantees landlords a reasonable profit.</i></p>	CADEM LA Times	CA Business Roundtable
NO	<b>Proposition 22</b>	Employment Classification: Independent Contractors	<p>Exempts app-based transportation and delivery companies from providing employee benefits to certain drivers.</p> <p><i>Would eliminate basic workplace protections and replace them with lower guaranteed earnings and healthcare subsidies to save costs for the app companies.</i></p>	App companies - Uber, Lyft, DoorDash, Instacart, Postmates	CADEM LA Times SEIU, Teamsters, UFCW

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YES	Proposition 23	Kidney Dialysis	<p>Authorizes state regulation of kidney dialysis clinics and establishes minimum staffing and other requirements</p> <p><i>The majority of the clinics are owned and run by one of two private for-profit companies, and these are the main opponents.</i></p>	CADEM SEIU	LA Times DaVita & Frensius (the two largest dialysis corporations)
NEUTRAL	Proposition 24	Consumer Privacy	<p>Amends consumer privacy laws.</p> <p><i>Puts the burden on consumers to opt out of countless intrusive data-collection practices, one by one.</i></p>	LA Times Allistair McTaggart ( a SF Real Estate Developer)	LWV



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YES	Proposition 25	Trial Detention	<p>Referendum on law that replaced Cash Bail with system based on public safety and flight risk.</p> <p><i>The current system favors rich defendants who can easily make bail and keeps poor defendants and defendants of color in jail. People who are eventually found not guilty or not even charged may be stuck with large debts to pay off the bail or the fees. New Jersey and Alaska have no cash bail since 2014.</i></p>	CADEM LA Times LWV SEIU	Bail Bond Corporations

**LA County MEASURE**

**YES on Measure J** -- Reimagine LA County - amends LA County Charter to allocate at least 10% of revenue to community-based youth development, affordable housing, restorative justice, job training and similar programs