TAKE CHARGE OF **YOUR VOTE** BY

It Is Best to **VOTE IN PERSON** At the Elections Division*

If That Is Not possible, then Vote In Person at a Vote Center

*This information applies to Ventura County. It may not apply elsewhere.

VOTING IN PERSON

- 1. You take your VBM ballot and envelope with you, whether you go to the Elections Division or a Vote Center.
- 2. You ask for an "On-Demand Paper Ballot". (Do Not vote on the touch screen machine.)
- 3. Staff looks up your name in the Statewide Electronic Poll Book
- 4. Staff prints out a label, affixes it to a form, and asks for your signature.
- 4. Staff compares your signature to that on file. (You are allowed to see the screen used to confirm your signature.)
- 5. Staff gives you a ballot that corresponds to your voting districts. (Complete your ballot at a privacy booth.)
- 6. You mark your ballot. (You are allowed to keep your VBM ballot. Whether you do or not, deface all sides of all pages.)
- 7. **You** put your **UNFOLDED** ballot in the turquoise bag. Your ballot is 2 steps away from being counted instead of 4 or more.

Unfold & Straighten Ballot

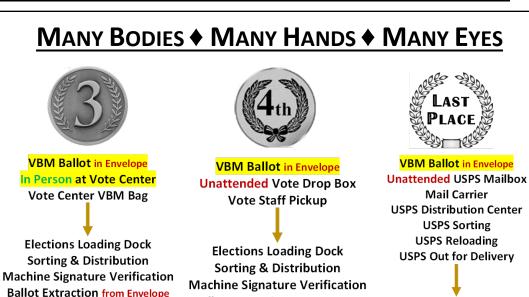
Ballot Examination

Stacking

Ballot Tabulated

Vote Counted





Ballot Extraction from Envelope

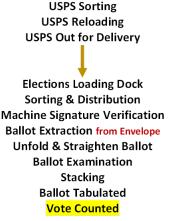
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VBM Ballot in Envelope

Mail Carrier

USPS Distribution Center