

Chamber San Mateo County 2024 Primary Election Summary

The Chamber represents four cities and broader San Mateo County and interacts with nearly 65 elected officials in various governing bodies within the Chamber's service area. This is a brief summary of yesterday's primary election results and a highlight of some of the races that are of particular interest to the Chamber and its members.

In California partisan primary elections, the top two vote-getters, regardless of political party, advance to the general election. This means that the following contests are set for the November 5, 2024 general election:

U.S. SENATE

There were 27 candidates in the primary to fill the seat for a new term and seven candidates to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator Dianne Feinstein. Congressman **Adam Schiff** (Dem.) will face former professional baseball player **Steve Garvey** (Rep.) in the general election.

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

District 15 – *Representing most of eastern San Mateo County*

There were two candidates in the primary. Incumbent congressman **Kevin Mullin** (Dem.) will face housing policy advisor **Anna Cheng Kramer** (Rep.) in the general election.

District 16 – *Representing western and southern San Mateo County, and portions of Santa Clara County*

This is an open seat, as Congresswoman Anna Eshoo is retiring. There were 11 candidates in the primary. Former San Jose mayor **Sam Liccardo** (Dem.) will face Santa Clara supervisor **Joe Simitian** (Dem.) in the general election.

CALIFORNIA STATE SENATE

District 13

There were three candidates in the primary. Incumbent senator **Josh Becker** (Dem.) will face professional engineer **Alexander Glew** (Rep.) in the general election.

CALIFORNIA ASSEMBLY

District 21 – *Representing most of eastern San Mateo County*

There were two candidates in the primary. Incumbent Assemblymember **Diane Papan** (Dem.) will face small business owner **Mark Gilham** (Rep.) in the general election.

District 23 – *Representing western and southern San Mateo County, and portions of Santa Clara County*

There were four candidates in the primary. Incumbent Assemblymember **Marc Berman** (Dem.) will face Palo Alto council member and former mayor **Lydia Kou** (Dem.) in the general election.

SAN MATEO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

District 1 – *Representing Burlingame, Hillsborough, Millbrae, San Bruno and part of South San Francisco*

This is an open seat, as Supervisor Dave Pine is term-limited. There were two candidates in the primary. Former congresswoman **Jackie Speier** (Dem.) will face Millbrae council member and former mayor **Ann Schneider** (Dem.) in the general election.

District 4 – *Representing Redwood City, East Palo Alto, Menlo Park and unincorporated North Fair Oaks*

This is an open seat, as Supervisor Warren Slocum is term-limited. There were five candidates in the primary. East Palo Alto council member and former mayor **Lisa Gauthier** will face East Palo Alto mayor **Antonio Lopez** in the general election.

District 5 – *Representing Brisbane, Colma, Daly City, part of San Bruno and part of South San Francisco.*

This seat is currently held by Supervisor **David Canepa**. He was unopposed in the primary election.

SAN CARLOS SCHOOL DISTRICT

Bond Measure H

Approved with 57.27% of the vote. This is a measure that was formally endorsed by Chamber San Mateo County.

COMPLETE RESULTS

Complete results can be accessed at the [California Secretary of State's Office](#) and the [San Mateo County Chief Elections Officer's Office](#).

MUNICIPAL, SCHOOL BOARD AND SPECIAL DISTRICT ELECTIONS

Candidates for non-partisan municipal, school board and special district races do not compete in primary election and the filing period for those offices isn't until summer 2024. The Chamber will provide additional information about all races and candidates in the months leading up to the general election.