## Your signature is missing on your vote-by-mail ballot envelope

The Santa Cruz County Elections Department received your vote-by-mail ballot envelope without your signature. For your ballot to be counted, we must get your signature.

You may either come to our office and sign your ballot envelope as soon as possible, but no later than 5pm November 16, 2016 or submit the *unsigned ballot envelope statement* below. (Elections Code §3019)

Read these instructions carefully before completing the statement. Failure to follow these instructions may cause your ballot not to count.

- 1. Complete the statement below and make sure you sign your name.
- 2. Use one of the following methods to return your statement:
  - Mail the statement to Santa Cruz County Elections, 701 Ocean St., Room 210, Santa Cruz, CA 95060 so that it will reach us no later than 5pm, November 16, 2016.
    Make sure you have sufficient postage. You may also deliver the statement to our office or have someone else deliver it for you.
  - FAX the statement to 831-454-2445 no later than 5pm, November 16, 2016.
  - Email the *statement* to info@votescount.com no later than 5pm, November 16, 2016.
  - **Deliver the** *statement* on Election Day to a polling place in Santa Cruz County by 8pm, Tuesday, November 8, 2016.
  - **Drop the** *statement* off on Election Day in a designated ballot drop box in Santa Cruz County by 8pm, Tuesday, November 8, 2016.

## Unsigned ballot envelope statement

I, \_\_\_\_\_, am a registered voter of Santa Cruz County, California.

I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I requested and returned a vote-by-mail ballot, and that I have not and will not vote more than one ballot in this election. I understand that if I commit or attempt any fraud in connection with voting, or if I aid or abet fraud or attempt to aid or abet fraud in connection with voting, I may be convicted of a felony punishable by imprisonment for 16 months or two or three years. I understand that my failure to sign this statement means that my vote-by-mail ballot will be invalidated.

## Voter's Signature:

X	Date:
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If the voter cannot sign his/her name, have the voter make a mark in the box above and then the witness signs here: \_\_\_\_\_\_

## Address where you live in Santa Cruz County:

Number & Street

Zip