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DELEGATE SELECTION DATES

CARMEN O. PEREZ
State Vice Chair

February 1, 1984

First day signatures may be solicited to qualify an unpledged delegation.

MARGE CALDWELL
Southern Chair

February 1, 1984

On or before this day, the Secretary of State announces the names of persons nationally recognized as candidates for President.

EDWARD JOHNSON
Southern Vice Chair

MARY CUSTER
Southern Secretary

JOHN MEANS
Southern Controller

February 2, 1984

Congressional District level delegate candidates start requesting their applications for candidacy from the State Chair, Peter D. Kelly at the Democratic Party Headquarters, 9911 West Pico Blvd., #301, Los Angeles, California, 90035.

BETTY SMITH
Northern Chair

BILL THURSTON
Northern Vice Chair

JACK TRUJILLO
Northern Secretary

STEVE WESTLY
Northern Controller

February 16, 1984

Delegate candidates may start returning their applications indicating their Presidential preference or uncommitted delegate status.

March 3, 1984

Last day signatures may be gathered to qualify an unpledged delegation.

MIKE GORDON
Executive Director

March 5, 1984

Last day signatures for unpledged delegation must be submitted to the County Clerk.

March 7, 1984

FINAL FILING DATE for delegate candidates to file their candidacy statements. All applications must be received in the Democratic Party Headquarters (address cited above) in Los Angeles, no later than 5:00 p.m.

March 8, 1984

The State Party shall transfer to the Presidential candidates the names of those filed to be their delegate candidates by no later than 5:00 p.m.

DELEGATE SELECTION DATES (con't)

- March 11, 1984 Congressional District level caucuses may be held throughout the state for the purpose of selecting the recommended convention delegates. Congressional caucuses may be held in each Congressional District for each Presidential candidate and unpledged delegation. The caucuses are to begin at 3:00 p.m.
- March 12, 1984 The recommended list of delegates selected at the Congressional District level caucuses will be submitted to the Presidential candidate or his representatives. The Presidential candidate or his representatives will review the recommended lists for approval, partial approval or non-approval. Each Presidential candidate or his representatives has the right to select delegate candidates whether or not recommended by the Congressional District caucuses.
- March 14, 1984 The Presidential candidates or their representatives must file with the Secretary of State and the State Chair of the California Democratic Party a list of all approved delegate candidates to appear on the June primary ballot. The number approved shall be equal to or greater than the number of delegates and alternates to be selected from the Congressional District. Failure by the Presidential candidate to comply with this mandatory filing will be deemed approval of all those who filed.
- May 24, 1984 Declaration of candidacy will be available for all pledged and unpledged, Party and elected officials, and at-large delegate positions.
- June 5, 1984 Direct Election Primary. Each President's list of delegate candidates will appear on the June primary ballot for election by the voting population of Democrats. Delegate candidates will be listed on the ballot by order of Presidential preference or uncommitted delegation.
- June 8, 1984 Declaration of candidacy for Party pledged, unpledged and at-large positions must be filed with the State Party no later than 5:00 p.m., in the Los Angeles office.
- June 11, 1984 The State Chair shall convey to the Presidential candidate or that candidate's authorized representatives, a list of all persons who have filed for delegates pledged to the Presidential candidate.
- June 14, 1984 Each Presidential candidate or his representatives must then file with the State Chair, a list of all such candidates he or she has approved, provided that approval be given to at least three times the number of candidates for delegate women and three times the number of candidates for delegate men to be selected. Failure to respond will be deemed approval of all delegate candidates submitted to the Presidential candidate.