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OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA: Rene C. Davidson Courthouse in Oakland to be open for in-person voting starting October 5, 2020; voting drop boxes to be available at courthouses in Oakland and Hayward.

The Superior Court of Alameda County (Court) announced today that, despite being generally closed to the public except for limited public records searches, the Rene C. Davidson Courthouse (RCD), located at 1225 Fallon Street in Oakland, will be open for in-person voting beginning Monday, October 5, 2020.

The public will be allowed to vote at the office of the Alameda County Registrar of Voters (ROV) from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday between Monday, October 5, and Election Day, Tuesday, November 3. The ROV will also be open for in-person voting the weekend before the election, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 31, and Sunday, November 1.

Voters will enter through the security screening station at the RCD main entrance, located on the 12th Street side of the building. ROV staff will be outside the building to greet voters and provide navigation assistance. Only a limited number of voters will be permitted into the building at one time. Members of the public who come to RCD for reasons other than voting will still be required to fill out a health screening questionnaire before being allowed to access the building.

In addition, voters will be able to leave their completed ballots in drop boxes located outside of three courthouse locations: RCD, the County Administration Building (1221 Oak Street, Oakland) and the Hayward Hall of Justice (24405 Amador Street, Hayward).

Voters with questions can call the ROV at (510) 272-6973 or go to [acvote.org](https://www.acvote.org) for more information.