Target Districts Produce Strong Contenders



Scroll down for more about how these women can catapult the CA legislature into contention for the nation's Top Ten in gender representation.



On Our Way to Parity in the Legislature by 2028

2016 = 1/5 June, 2018 = 1/4 November, 2018 = 1/3 ?

In the past six months, progressive women have won 3 of 5 special

legislative elections.

Wendy Carrillo (AD 51), Sydney Kamlager (AD 54) and Luz Rivas (AD 39) each replaced a male Assemblymember, reversing a decade-long downward trend for women in the CA Legislature and raising women's representation to 25%.

Now, progressive women are positioned to take 6 more seats currently held by men in the Senate and the Assembly. When successful, these victories will put the California legislature back on the path to gender parity.

close the gap CA is working now to maximize the open seat opportunities in 2020 and planning for the bonanza of open seats that will follow redistricting in 2022. With the term limit-dictated exits of most legislators in '24, '26 and '28, gender parity in the Legislature is within reach.

CTGCA's Election Scorecard





Congratulations to the women who will advance in our targeted districts!

Assembly Districts

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| AD 15 Judy Appel Ben Bartlett 1/* Jovanka Beckles Dan Kalb Andy Katz Rochelle Pardue-Okimoto Sergey Vikramsingh Piterman Owen Poindexter Cheryl Sudduth Raquella Thaman 1/* Buffy Wicks Pranav Jandhyala AD 39 Bonnie Corwin Patty Lopez Patrea Patrick 1/* Luz Maria Rivas Antonio Sanchez Ricardo Antonio Benitez | AD 16 Rebecca Bauer-Kahan Catherine Baker AD 76 Tasha Boerner Horvath Elizabeth Warren Philip "Phil" Graham Thomas E. Krouse Maureen "Mo" Muir Amanda Rigby Jerome Stocks Brian Wimmer |
| Senate Districts SD 12 Y Anna Caballero Daniel Parra Rob Poythres Johnny Tacherra SD 14 Melissa Hurtado Ruben Macareno Abigail Solis Andy Vidak SD 22 Mike Eng Monica Garcia Susan Rubio Ruben Sierra | SD 24 Peter Choi Maria Elena Durazo SD 32 Bob J. Archuleta Rudy Bermudez David Castellanos ¥ Vanessa Delgado Tony Mendoza Vivian Romero Vicky Santana Ali S. Taj lon Sarega Rita Topalian |

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* Second place to be determined # Election to fill vacancy

What We're Reading



An Equal Rights Amendment In Virginia? Illinois became the 37th state to ratify the Equal Rights Amendment this week. NPR's Scott Simon talks to state Sen. Scott Surovell of Virginia about the likelihood of ratifying in his state.

Thank you, Delaine Eastin!

Our former Board Chair Delaine
Eastin waged a spirited grass roots
campaign to put Education front and
center in the Governor's Primary
race. Thanks to Delaine, the public
knows more about the value of
universal pre-school, free
community college tuition and other
critical "school subjects."



Upcoming Events



SMT's Digital Campaigning
Certificate Program Info Session

Apply to Emerge California's 2019 Class!

Applications for Class of 2019 will be open June 1 - September 1. Emerge is looking for the next class of highly motivated Democratic women who are committed to running for office in the next few years.

June 19th
Program begins in September 2018.







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