



**California Propositions on the Nov 3, 2020 Ballot Voter's Guide SMRWF**

**Prop 14 - 1880. (19-0022A1) This is a "NO" vote**  
 AUTHORIZES BONDS TO CONTINUE FUNDING STEM CELL AND OTHER MEDICAL RESEARCH. INITIATIVE STATUTE. Lots of politics, but not so much science.

**Prop 15 - 1870. (19-0008A1) This is a "NO" vote**  
 INCREASES FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS, COMMUNITY COLLEGES, AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICES BY CHANGING TAX ASSESSMENT OF COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY. INITIATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT. Otherwise referred to as the "Split Role Tax", **this would reverse Proposition 13**, a property tax limitation initiative, overwhelmingly passed by voters in 1978 to protect Californians from over-taxation.

**Prop 16 - ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 5 This is a "NO" vote**  
 PROPOSES TO THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OR CALIFORNIA AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE, BY REPEALING SECTION 31 OF ARTICLE 1 THEREOF, RELATING TO GOVERNMENT PREFERENCES. This proposition restores affirmative action and amends our state constitution.

**Prop 17 - RESTORES VOTING RIGHTS FOR PERSONS ON PAROLE This is a "NO" vote**  
 This proposition, placed by both the legislature and the Governor on the ballot, if passed, will amend the constitution to allow felons out on parole the right to vote.

**Prop 18 - ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 4 This is a "NO" vote**  
 CONFERS VOTING RIGHTS IN THE PRIMARY FOR 17 YEAR OLDS \*\*This proposition, placed by both the legislature and the Governor on the ballot, if passed, will allow 17-year-olds to vote in primary and special elections if they will turn 18 by the subsequent general election.

**Prop 19 - ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 11 This is a "NO" vote**  
 THE HOME PROTECTION FOR SENIORS, SEVERELY DISABLED, FAMILIES, AND VICTIMS OF WILDFIRE OR NATURAL DISASTERS ACT. While you might find good points in this prop, **it makes radical changes to original Prop 13.** Jarvis Taxpayers Association is opposed."

**Prop 20 - 1840. (17-0044, Amdt.#1) This is a "Yes" vote**  
 Otherwise known as: Reducing Crime and Keeping California Safe Act RESTRICTS PAROLE FOR NON-VIOLENT OFFENDERS. AUTHORIZES FELONY SENTENCES FOR CERTAIN OFFENSES CURRENTLY TREATED ONLY AS MISDEMEANORS. INITIATIVE

STATUTE. This proposition will, among others, expand the list of crimes that do now allow early parole, recategorizes particular misdemeanor crimes as instead ones that are chargeable as either misdemeanors or felonies, and require the collection of DNA samples from anybody convicted of particular misdemeanors.

**Prop 21 - 1862. (19-0001) This is a "NO" vote**  
 EXPANDS LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AUTHORITY TO ENACT RENT CONTROL ON RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY, INITIATIVE STATUTE. Would allow **local governments** to establish rent control on residential properties that have been occupied for over 15 years old. Would also allow landlords who own no more than two homes to exempt themselves from these new policies. This would mostly repeal some of the provisions in the 1995 Costa-Hawkins Rental Housing Act.

**Prop 22-- 1883. (19-0026M) This is a "YES" vote**  
 CHANGES EMPLOYMENT CLASSIFICATION RULES FOR APP-BASED TRANSPORTATION AND DELIVERY DRIVERS. INITIATIVE STATUTE. Otherwise Known as *PROTECT APP-BASED DRIVERS AND SERVICES ACT*. This proposition will define all app-based transportation (rideshare) and delivery drivers as independent contractors for the purposes of labor and wage laws. Overrides Assembly Bill 5 passed in 2019. This does not affect other independent contractors, and while it does not go far enough to repeal the entirety of Assembly Bill 5, it is a start.

**Prop 23 - 1882. (19-0025M) This is a "NO" vote**  
 AUTHORIZES STATE REGULATION OF KIDNEY DIALYSIS CLINICS. ESTABLISHES MINIMUM STAFFING AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS. INITIATIVE STATUTE. This proposition will require chronic dialysis clinics to have at least one on-site licensed physician while patients are being treated, report dialysis-related infection data to both the state health department and the federal CDC, gain approval from the state health department before closing a clinic, and to not discriminate against patient, based on their source of payment for care.\*\* This prop is government overreach and a union play on small business owners and would raise costs on already skyrocketing healthcare by requiring a doctor to be on site. Currently there are no statistics that suggest this measure is necessary for the health, safety, and well-being of patients receiving care.

**Prop 24 - 1879. (19-0021M) This is a "NO" vote**  
 AMENDS CONSUMER PRIVACY LAWS. INITIATIVE STATUTE. This proposition will expand provisions first implemented by the California Consumer Privacy Act. This proposition will allow customers to direct businesses from sharing their personal information and to make corrections to inaccurate personal information without any penalty. This prop labeled the Privacy Rights and Enforcement Act, **CREATES A STATE AGENCY TO MISUSE FUNDS** and ultimately extend to the government more rights in the fight over your data.

**Prop 25 1856. (18-0009) This is "NO" vote**  
 REFERENDUM TO OVERTURN A 2018 LAW THAT REPLACED MONEY BAIL SYSTEM WITH A SYSTEM BASED ON PUBLIC SAFETY RISK

*Information from California Secretary of State current ballot measures, Wikipedia, Townhall Central, and Jarvis Taxpayers Association*