

TERMS OF OFFICE

| Offices | Taking Office Date | Term Length |
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| Federal Offices | | |
| President & Vice President | Noon on January 20 th | 4 years |
| U.S. Senator | Noon on January 3 rd | 6 years |
| U.S. Representative in Congress | Noon on January 3 rd | 2 years |
| State Offices | | |
| Governor, Lt. Governor, Secretary of State, Controller, Treasurer, Attorney General, Insurance Commissioner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction | 1 st Monday after January 1 st | 4 years |
| State Senator | 1 st Monday in December | 4 years |
| Member of the State Assembly | 1 st Monday in December | 2 years |
| Member of the State Board of Equalization | 1 st Monday after January 1 st | 4 years |
| Judicial Offices | | |
| Chief Justice of California | 1 st Monday after January 1 st | 12 years |
| Associate Justice of the Supreme Court | 1 st Monday after January 1 st | 12 years |
| Associate Justice, Court of Appeal | 1 st Monday after January 1 st | 12 years |
| Superior Court Judge | 1 st Monday after January 1 st | 6 years |

| County Offices | | |
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| County Supervisors | Noon on 1 st Monday after January 1 st | 4 years |
| Assessor/Clerk-Recorder, Auditor-Controller, District Attorney, Sheriff-Coroner, Treasurer-Tax Collector | Noon on 1 st Monday after January 1 st | 4 years |
| County Superintendent of Schools | Noon on 1 st Monday after January 1 st | 4 years |
| Member of a Party Central Committee or Council | | |
| Democratic Party | At Organizational Meeting | 2 years |
| Republican Party | At Organizational Meeting held within 30 days after Certificates of Election are delivered. | 2 years |
| All Other Parties | July | 2 years |
| Local Offices | | |
| City Council | (Determined by City) | 4 years |
| School Boards | 1 st Friday in December | 4 years |
| Special District Governing Boards | 1 st Friday in December | 4 years |

