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## RIVERSIDE COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM TO CLOSE 19 BRANCHES TO FUNCTION AS VOTER ASSISTANCE CENTERS

**RIVERSIDE COUNTY, CA** (October 27, 2020) – The Riverside County Library System (RCLS) has partnered with the Riverside County Registrar of Voters to turn 19 of its branches into Voting Assistance Centers. RCLS will temporarily close the following 19 branches between October 31, 2020 and November 2, 2020 from 9:00AM – 5:00PM and on Election Day, November 3, 2020 from 7:00AM – 8:00PM to serve as Voting Assistance Centers:

- 1. Anza Library
- 2. Coachella Library
- 3. Eastvale Library
- 4. Glen Avon Library
- 5. Highgrove Library
- 6. Home Gardens Library
- 7. Idyllwild Library
- 8. Indio Library
- 9. Lakeside Library
- 10. Mecca Library
- 11. Norco Library
- 12. Nuview Library
- 13. San Jacinto Library
- 14. Sun City Library
- 15. Temecula Public Library
- 16. Thousand Palms Library
- 17. Woodcrest Library
- 18. Wildomar Library
- 19. Valle Vista Library

During this time, all in-person and express library services at these locations will be unavailable and will resume on November 4, 2020. Book Drops will remain open.

The Riverside County Registrar of Voters recommends that voters only use the in-person Voter Assistance Centers if absolutely necessary, as the generalized use of in-person voting presents risks to public health and safety in light of the COVID-19 pandemic. Social distancing will be required when visiting a Voter Assistance Center and face coverings are strongly encouraged. For a complete list of Riverside County Voter Assistance Centers and Early Ballot Drop Off locations , please visit <u>www.voteinfo.net</u>.

The Riverside County Library System is a division of Riverside County Business and Community Services. For more information, please contact the Riverside County Library System at (951) 369-3003 or visit <u>www.rivlib.net</u>.

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