



# ASCSM Student Trustee Nominee Election Timeline

## Spring 2019

**Monday**  
**February 11, 2019**

### **Candidate filing period begins**

- Candidate eligibility forms and information packets available in the Center for Student Life.
- Petitions for placement on the ballot may begin to be circulated by candidates.
- No campaigning may take place until after the Mandatory Candidates Meeting.

**Friday**  
**March 15, 2019**  
**12:10 pm – 2 pm**  
**Building 12, Room 211**

### **Mandatory Candidates Meeting (attendance is mandatory)**

- All candidates must attend this meeting or be subject to disqualification.
- Ballot order will be determined by a drawing.
- Photos for the Sample Ballot will be taken at this meeting.
- Signed petitions are due at this meeting. (Signatures will be checked against College records. Make sure that all signatures are from currently enrolled students.)
- Candidates' 150-word statements must be sent via email no later than 4:30 pm to the Center for Student Life at [csmstudentlife@smccd.edu](mailto:csmstudentlife@smccd.edu).
- Review of the election process, including the election, campaigning, and posting guidelines.
- Discuss plans for open forum(s), debate(s) or other campaign activities.

**Monday**  
**March 18, 2019**  
**8 am**

### **Campaigning begins**

- Eligible candidates may not campaign prior to this date/time.
- Any campaigning prior to this day/time shall result in sanctions against a candidate.

**Monday**  
**March 18, 2019**  
**1 pm – 2 pm**  
**Building 12, Room 211**

### **Final deadline and Mandatory Candidates Meeting for "Write-In" candidates**

- Those who failed to file an eligibility form and ballot petition by the deadline date above will not have their name placed on the ballot. Those who still wish to be considered as a write-in candidate (and have write-in votes counted on their behalf in the election) must file a Candidate Eligibility form in the Center for Student Life and attend the Mandatory Write-In Candidates Meeting on this date.

**Tuesday, March 26, 2019**  
**and**  
**Wednesday, March 27, 2019**

### **Election Polls open**

- 9 am to 1 pm —Location TBD  
Please note: Location may change due to weather or other circumstances
- 5 pm to 6:30 pm —Location: Center for Student Life (Building 12, Room 211)

**Thursday, March 28, 2019**

### **Election results posted**

- Results will be posted by the Center for Student Life if available and if all campaign materials have been removed from the campus.
- Ballot counting shall take place on Thursday, March 28, 2019. Candidates and other interested parties shall be notified of ballot counting duration.
- This date is subject to change based on availability or other circumstances.