

## **DNC CALIFORNIA**

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Important Dates:

- April 13, 2016: Filing deadline for district-level delegates
- May 1, 2016: District caucuses
- June 7, 2016: Primary vote
- June 10, 2016: Filing deadline for at-large and PLEO delegates
- June 26, 2016: Delegation Meeting

Number of Delegates:

- 317 District-Level Delegates
- 106 At-Large Delegates
- 53 Pledged Party Leaders and Elected Officials (PLEOs)
- 70 Super-Delegates
- Total: 546

Process:

1. Pre-primary caucuses are held to slate delegates prior to the primary vote.
2. The Primary vote occurs and the number of delegates each candidate receives is allocated based on the results of the vote. The slated delegates are then selected in a pre-designated order.
3. The district-level delegates meet at the delegation meeting and elect the at-large and PLEO delegates.

Allocation of Delegates:

- A candidate must receive 15% of the vote to get delegates at either the district or state level.
- At the district level, delegates are split between the 53 congressional districts based on the Democratic make-up of those districts. The delegates are pledged to candidates proportional to the portion of the vote they receive in that district.
- At the state level, 106 at-large delegates and 53 PLEOs are pledged to the candidates based proportionally on the votes of the entire state.

Filing information:

- To qualify as a district-level, at-large delegate, or PLEO a statement of candidacy designating the presidential preference must be filed with the State Democratic Party by mail to 1830 9th Street, Sacramento, CA, 9581, by electronic mail to [Delegate2016@cadem.org](mailto:Delegate2016@cadem.org) or by fax to 916-442-5715.
- The statement of candidacy and pledge of support forms and filing instructions can be found at the California Democratic Party Headquarters or online at [www.cadem.org](http://www.cadem.org) beginning Monday, February 29, 2016.
- District-level delegates must file in the district or sub district in which they live

Complete Information:

<http://www.cadem.org/admin/miscdocs/files/2016-CA-Delegate-Selection-Plan-FINAL-08172015.pdf>