

# Los Angeles County, CA

## District Attorney 2020 Voter Guide

**ELECTION DAY IS  
TUESDAY, MARCH 3**

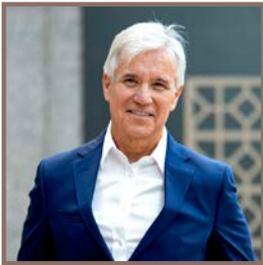
**POLLS OPEN FROM  
7:00AM - 8:00PM**

Tuesday, **March 3, 2020** is the Primary Election Day for Los Angeles County. New voting centers opened February 22, allowing you to vote early from anywhere in the county.

### **WHY THIS RACE MATTERS**

**Under current DA Jackie Lacey, Black people are 13 times more likely to be incarcerated than white people,** despite being only 9% of the county's population. District Attorneys have the power to decide *who* gets prosecuted and the *severity* of each prosecution. That's why voting in this upcoming District Attorney election is crucial.

**After 8 long years of misconduct in the DAs office, we finally have a chance at progressive criminal justice reform.**



### **GEORGE GASCÓN IS RUNNING TO BE OUR NEXT DISTRICT ATTORNEY**

**George Gascón** is a progressive leader who's been at the forefront of criminal justice reform. As San Francisco DA, he co-wrote historic legislation to reduce penalties for small drug possession and reallocate prison spending to local treatment programs. Following legalization, Gascón was the first prosecutor in the nation to clear marijuana convictions, expunging over 9,000.

**We need a District Attorney with a history of leadership and experience to reshape the LA District Attorney's Office. George Gascón:**

- ✓ Launched the nation's first young adult court of its kind to divert children away from prison
- ✓ Instituted a tool for eliminating racial bias in prosecutor's charging decisions
- ✓ Advocated for one of the nation's toughest standards on use of force to reduce police killings
- ✓ Proposed treatment centers for people with mental illness in the criminal justice system.

**On Tuesday, March 3, 2020, it's time to shift power back to the people and elect George Gascón as Los Angeles District Attorney.**

### **Here's how you can vote:**

- Election day is **Tuesday, March 3, 2020**. Polls are open **7:00 AM - 8:00 PM**. New voting centers opened February 22, allowing you to vote early from anywhere in the county.
- **Sign up** at [VotingWhileBlack.com](https://VotingWhileBlack.com) for important updates on this race. You can also register to vote or update your voter registration there.

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