



Board of Trustees Election 2026

Frequently Asked Voting Questions

1. Who is Reclamation District 1000?

Reclamation District 1000 (RD1000) is a local Flood Control Agency serving the Natomas Basin.

2. What do Trustees do?

Reclamation District 1000's Board of Trustees governs the District by setting priorities, establishing policies, approving goals, and providing overall planning and oversight.

3. Why am I receiving this ballot?

You received a ballot because you are a property owner within the Natomas Basin.

4. Why do I have three (3) votes

Your votes are based on the RD1000 assessment rolls (not tied to your property taxes) and multiplied by the number of seats in the election (3).

5. My property is held in a trust, what do I do?

If your property is held in a trust that includes your full name (for example, John Smith Revocable Trust), simply vote and sign the ballot envelope. If the trust does not include your full name (for example, Smith Family Trust), you must also submit Form A and documentation showing you are authorized to act for the trust (such as a trustee, executor, or owner). Include these documents with your ballot in the provided envelope, or bring them with you on election day.

6. Do I need to fill out Form A?

You are only required to complete a Form A if your full name is not listed on the return envelope as the property owner. This is common for trusts or agency owned parcels. Please refer to question 5.

7. What is "Place of Signing?"

Place of signing is the City/State where you are located.

8. Do I have to vote?

You are not legally required to vote.

9. Do I need to be a registered voter?

You do not need to be a registered voter to vote in a RD1000 Election.

10. I need a replacement ballot, what do I do?

Please contact RD1000 staff 916-922-1449 with your Ballot and/or Parcel Number as well as your mailing address so that a replacement ballot can be issued to you.

11. If more than one person is named on the ballot, do we both need to sign?

Only one of the named property owners is required to sign.

12. Can I write-in a candidate?

No, to run for the Board of Trustees you must have submitted a nomination petition with 5 endorsements by the nomination petition deadline (September 17, 2026).

13. How do I know who to vote for?

District staff cannot endorse any particular candidate so you are encouraged to review the provided candidate statements.

14. Can I vote in person?

The District will be conducting the election via mailed ballots. You can, however, vote in-person between 8:30 am and 4:30 pm on November 10, 2026.



15. I own multiple properties, what do I do?

You should receive a ballot for all eligible properties within the District and cast the number of eligible votes per ballot. If you own a significant amount of different parcels within the District, please contact our District Office 916-922-1449 for help on voting.

16. I own property within the Natomas Basin but do not live there, am I still eligible to vote?

Yes, if you are a property owner, regardless of actual residence, you are eligible to vote.