

Open Government Impact Statement

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Measure: SB 826 Only impacts on Original or Engrossed

Versions are Considered Official

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SUMMARY

Prohibits Secretary of State and county clerks from disclosing as public record, or including on lists of electors, residence address of elector who is candidate for elected office or holder of elected office.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

OPEN GOVERNMENT IMPACT

Legislative Counsel has not adopted standards for drafting measures that establish exemptions from disclosure of public records.

This measure exempts from public disclosure residential addresses of elected officials and candidates for elected office contained in elector registration files, candidate nominating petitions, declarations of candidacy and certificates of nomination.

Currently addresses of elected officials and candidates for elected office are subject to mandatory public disclosure. This measure would make it more difficult for the public to verify whether candidates for elected office live within the requisite political boundaries.

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