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**Subject:** Agenda Item 43: "Receive and File a Presentation Regarding the County Clerk-Recorder & Registrar of Voters' Election Education Series: Part Four – Election Technology, Security, Fraud Prevention, and Canvass/Certification." County Clerk-Recorder & Reg...  
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Dear Board of Supervisors,

As community members of Ventura County, my husband and I support access to the ballot and oppose barriers restricting access to the ballot and support the California Voter's Choice Act!

We so appreciate the Election Education Series and Registrar of Voter's transparency efforts; and have extremely high confidence in the processes, security and results of Ventura County Elections.

We cannot allow attacks of a "rigged election" or that our election results cannot be trusted. It is important to know that our Elections personnel, Ventura County Clerk-Recorder & Registrar of Voters, Michelle Ascension, has done an outstanding job in her position and has been transparent about our local election processes and is not withholding or hiding any information. There are no facts or evidence to support claims of non-transparency or election fraud within our Elections department. Voting is a right for our county and democracy, and voting should not be made more difficult for voters in Ventura County to cast their ballots and have a voice in our democracy. The outlandish and false accusations should not be tolerated by any government entity. You, as our Supervisors, need to ensure that the election process in Ventura stay accessible and uphold the California Voter's Choice Act!

Sincerely,

Karen and Mike K.  
East Ventura County residents