

New Data

CACEO Fiscal Services July 2019

Statewide average cost per voter

\$8.31

Counties responding: **45**
for 8 elections (2012-2018)

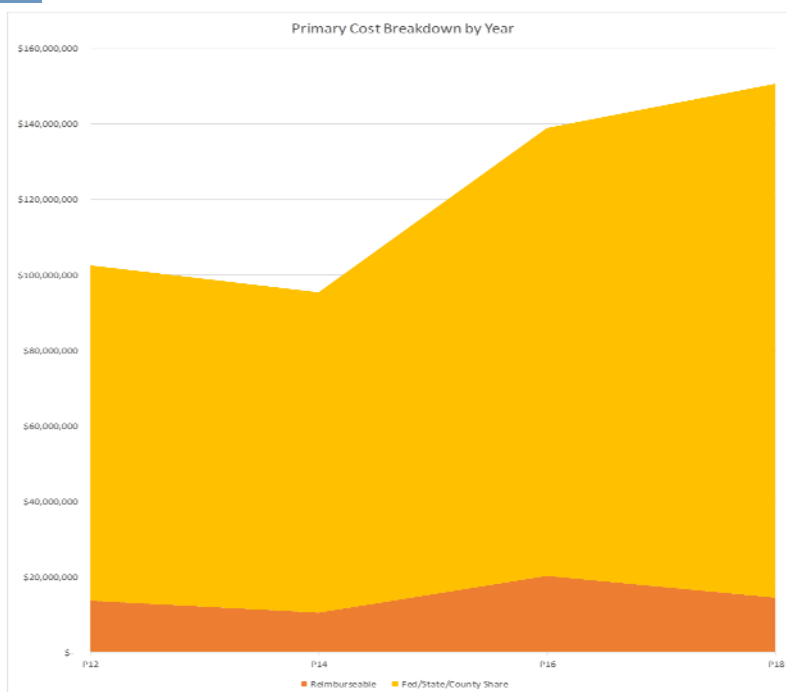
Total expenditures reported:
\$1,135,889,223

Total UNREIMBURSED:
\$792,261,022

Reported 2018 total costs are
167% of the last comparable
election in 2014.

88% of Primary Election costs since
2012 are attributable to Federal,
State, Party and County offices.

**If the state reimbursed costs to
counties since 2012 the bill would
be $\frac{3}{4}$ of a BILLION dollars**



These numbers:

- Were self-reported by 45 of 58 Counties.
- Represent costs calculated for the purpose of cost sharing/reimbursement.
- Do not necessarily correspond to annual budgets or actual expenditures and may contain indirect costs.
- Were compiled by each County using its own methodology and assumptions for determining election costs.
- Are the best and **most comprehensive snapshot** of election costs in California.