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**FUNDRAISING WINDOW OPENS  
FOR 2017 CITYWIDE CANDIDATES**

The Ethics Commission announced that the fundraising window for the 2017 Citywide candidate elections opened on Saturday, March 7, 2015. The election will take place on March 7, 2017.

Individuals who are interested in becoming candidates for Mayor, City Attorney, or City Controller in the 2017 elections may not solicit or receive campaign contributions until they have filed required paperwork with the Ethics Commission. In addition, City law imposes per-person campaign contribution limits. For the 2017 elections, the amount of money that a single person may contribute to a single Citywide candidate is \$1,400.

The fundraising window for City Council and Los Angeles Unified School District Board of Education seats in the 2017 elections will open on September 7, 2015.

For questions regarding the fundraising windows or contribution limits, please contact the Ethics Commission.

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*The City Ethics Commission was created by Los Angeles voters in 1990 to impartially administer and enforce the City's governmental ethics, campaign financing, and lobbying laws.*