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Secretary of State Debra Bowen Announces Certified List of 72nd Assembly District Candidates

SACRAMENTO – Secretary of State Debra Bowen today announced the certified list of candidates who will appear on the primary election ballot to fill the vacancy in the 72nd Assembly District seat. The candidate choices and their official ballot designations are:

- **John MacMurray (Democratic) – Public School Teacher**
- **Linda Ackerman (Republican) – Independent Businesswoman**
- **Richard Faher (Republican) – Placentia Businessman**
- **Chris Norby (Republican) – Orange County Supervisor**
- **Jane Rands (Green) – Systems Engineer**

The Special Primary Election will be held November 17 to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Assemblyman Mike Duvall. In a Special Primary Election, the candidates from all qualified parties appear on one ballot.

If one candidate receives a majority of the votes cast (50% plus one), no further election will be necessary. If no candidate receives a majority of the votes, a Special General Election will be held on January 12, 2010, with a ballot featuring the person from each qualified political party who received the most votes in the primary.

The official certified list of candidates, with contact information for each of them, is available at www.sos.ca.gov/elections/Special/ad72/certified-list-of-candidates-ad72-primary.pdf.

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