

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

October 17, 2025

## WHAT IS ELECTION INTEGRITY?

- Fairness in the entire voting process.
- Open transparency about all processes of the election.
- Nonpartisan representation by the Election Official and staff.
- Commitment to impartial service for all, by upholding our duty to follow the law, without bias or partisanship.
- All actions of the Election Department are guided by principle, fairness, and applicable law.

With the above in mind, the Election Department would like to advise the public that on October 9, 2025, the voting system that Colusa County uses, Dominion Voting Systems, was acquired by Liberty Vote.

## **Key Information:**

- 1. Liberty Vote is a 100% American-owned election technology company, that is assuming full ownership and operational control.
- 2. Liberty Vote is 100% owned by Chairman and Founder Scott Leindecker.
- 3. Scott is a former St. Louis City Election Director and, for the past 15 years, has been the CEO of KNOWiNK the nations's largest and only federally certified electronic poll book provider. (Colusa County does not have electronic poll books)
- 4. Liberty Vote enables the use of paper ballots. (Colusa County already uses paper ballots)
- 5. There will be no interruption to staff, equipment, certification, or operability of software/hardware.