On May first, 317 District-Level Delegates and 30 alternates for each candidate will be elected in 53 Congressional District Pre-Primary Caucuses in California. Half of the elected delegates must be female and half male. In our Congressional District 11, Clinton and Saunders caucuses will each elect seven delegates. The presidential candidates will be awarded 317 District-Level Delegates apportioned based on the results of the June 7 Primary.

Then there are the 105 pledged At-Large Delegates who be allocated based on the statewide June 7 results. They will be confirmed at a statewide delegation meeting on June 19.

Also, there are 53 Party Leaders and Elected Officials (PLEOs) who are pledged to a candidate based on the statewide results of the primary and caucuses. Big city mayors, state legislators, and legislative leaders routinely fill these PLEO slots.

As of April 19, 73 additional Unpledged Delegates (also known as Superdelegates) are comprised of 31 California Democratic National Committee members, 41 members of Congress, and Governor Brown.

That makes a total of 548 delegates from California that will attend the Democratic National Convention in Philadelphia. Currently, there are expected to be 4,765 delegates at the Convention.