

Primary Election - March 20, 2018

September 5, 2017	Candidate petitions may start circulation.
November 27 - December 4, 2017	Petition filing dates.
December 11, 2017	Last day to file objections to nominating petitions.
December 20, 2017	First day to apply for mail ballot.*
January 2, 2018	Last day for local governing board to adopt a resolution or ordinance to allow binding public questions to appear on the ballot.
January 11, 2018	Last day for candidates to file withdrawal of nomination papers.
January 17, 2018	Ballot certification by local election authority.
January 18, 2018	Last day to file notarized Declaration of Intent to be a write-in candidate with the appropriate election authority.
February 8, 2018	First day for early voting at the office of local election authority. Each election authority can establish locations, dates and hours for early voting.*
February 20, 2018	Last day for voter registration by deputy registrars.
February 21 - March 20, 2018	Grace period registration and voting. Contact your local election authority to determine the availability of grace period registration and voting in your polling place on Election Day.*
February 23, 2018	Last day for election authorities to post schedule for early voting.
March 4, 2018	Last day for voters to register through the State Board of Elections website.
March 6, 2018	Last day for State Board of Elections or the election authority* to have pollwatcher credentials available for distribution.
March 19, 2018	Last day for early voting.
March 20, 2018	General Primary Election: Polls open from 6:00 am to 7:00 pm.