

DATES TO REMEMBER

Date	Subject
12/22/25	Nomination Period Begins
1/20/26	Nomination Period Closes at 5:30 p.m. (City Hall closed, December 24, 2025, December 25, 2025, December 31, 2025; January 1, 2026, and January 19, 2026)
1/21/26	Deadline to withdraw Candidate Statement at 5:00 p.m.
1/21-2/2	Candidate Statement Public Examination Period
1/22/26	Secretary of State – Randomized Alphabet Drawing @ 11:00 a.m.
2/16-3/31	Filing Period for Write-in Candidates
3/5/26	First Pre-election statement due
3/16/26	First day for mailing Vote by Mail Voter Ballot Packets
3/24/26	Last day to mail election materials and ballots
3/30/26	Last day to register to vote
4/2/26	Publication of Nominees
4/2/26	Second Pre-election statement due
3/30/26	Last day to Register to Vote
4/14/26	ELECTION DAY and Official Canvass begins
4/21/26	Last day to receive postmarked ballots
4/22/26	Second Canvass if necessary
4/28/26	Deadline to remove Political Campaign Signs
5/5/26	Certify election results and swear in council member - Regular City Council Meeting (potential first date if canvass is complete)