

2018 ELECTIONS CALENDAR

Date	Description of Event	Reference
January 1	New Year's Day	Holiday
January 3 [March -69]	Last day for Secretary of State to complete random ordering of alphabet to determine candidate name placement.	254.155
January 4 [March -68]	Last day for Secretary of State to distribute random alphabet.	254.155
January 10 [Primary -125]	Last day for district elections authority to return board member updates.	255.069
January 11 [March -61]	Last day to inactivate voters for non-voting or failure to update.	247.013
	Last day to file or withdraw notice of measure election.	254.095; 254.103; 255.085
	Last day to file explanatory statement, if county will publish voters' pamphlet.	OAR 165-022-0010
January 15 [Primary -120]	Martin Luther King JR's Birthday	Holiday
	First day to file candidate statements or measure arguments for state voters' pamphlet.	251.065
January 16 [March -57]	Last day to file candidate statements for county voters' pamphlet.	OAR 165-022-0010
[Notice Deadline + 2 business]	Last day to file measure arguments for county voters' pamphlet.	OAR 165-022-0010
[Primary -120]	Last day for legislative officials or chief petitioners to appoint proponents to explanatory statement committees. <i>Adjusted under ORS 246.021.</i>	251.205
[State Initiative]	Monthly initiative petition submission.	250.105
January 17 [Primary -118]	Last day for Secretary of State to appoint opponents to explanatory statement committees.	251.205
	Last day for Secretary of State to appoint proponent to explanatory statement committee, if legislative officials or chief petitioners do not.	251.205
January 22 [VP Filing Deadline +4 business]	Material submitted for county voters' pamphlet available for public inspection.	251.430
January 24 [Primary -111]	Last day for explanatory statement committees to select fifth members.	251.205
January 25 [Primary -110]	First day for district candidate to file declaration of candidacy or nominating petition.	255.235
	Last day to publish/mail notice of district board election.	255.075
January 26 [Primary -109]	Last day for Secretary of State to appoint fifth member to explanatory statement committee, if committee does not.	251.205
January 27 [March -45]	Last day to print and mail ballots to military and overseas voters.	253.065
January 30 [March -42]	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting begins.	260.057

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Date	Description of Event	Reference
January 31 [Annual]	Last day to file County Elections Security Plan.	254.074
[Biennial]	Last day to determine required number of precinct committeepersons.	248.015
February 1 [Biennial]	First day for precinct committeeperson candidate to file declaration of candidacy.	249.037
February 5 [November +90]	OACC Mid-Winter Conference Last day to file complaint of alleged election law violation. If violation occurred after election, deadline is 90 days after date of alleged violation.	260.345
[Primary -99]	Last day to file explanatory statements, financial estimates and any statements explaining estimates.	250.127; 251.215; 251.225
February 6	OACC Mid-Winter Conference	
February 7	OACC Mid-Winter Conference	
February 8	OACC Mid-Winter Conference	
February 9 [Primary -95]	Last day to conduct hearings on explanatory statements, financial estimates and any statements explaining estimates.	250.127; 251.215
February 11 [March -30]	Last day to designate official ballot dropsites. Last day to establish or divide precincts.	OAR 165-007-0030 246.410
February 12 [March -29]	First day to mail ballots to voters with a non-Oregon mailing address who are not military or overseas voters.	253.065; 254.470
February 13 [Primary -91]	Last day to cancel voters based on information from US Postal Service records.	247.296
February 14 [Primary -90]	Last day to prepare and mail submarine ballot to military and overseas voters. Last day to file revised explanatory statements, financial estimates and any statements explaining estimates. Last day for major political party to file rules opening primary election.	253.565 250.127; 251.215 254.365
[State Initiative]	Monthly initiative petition submission.	250.105
February 16 [Primary -88]	Last day for Secretary of State to file financial estimates and any statements explaining estimates, if financial estimate committee does not.	250.127
February 19 [Primary -85]	Presidents' Day Last day for Secretary of State to notify county clerks of open primary.	Holiday OAR 165-007-0030
February 20 [March -21]	Last day to register to vote. Registration cards postmarked by this date or submitted online no later than 11:59 pm are valid.	247.025
[Primary -84]	Last day to notify Secretary of State of intent to publish or not publish county voters' pamphlet.	OAR 165-007-0030
[Revision Deadline +5]	Last day to petition Supreme Court to review explanatory statements or process used to adopt financial estimates and any statements explaining estimates.	ORAP Rule 11.30; 250.131; 251.235

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Date	Description of Event	Reference
February 21 [March -20]	First day to mail ballots.	254.470
February 23 [March -18] [Primary -80]	Last day to mail ballots to electors without daily mail service.	254.470
	Last day to file text of referral or prepared ballot title in order for ballot title challenge period to be complete by the filing deadline. Applicable to counties, cities and districts.	OAR 165-014-0005
February 27 [March -14]	Last day to mail ballots.	254.470
	Last day to distribute county voters' pamphlet.	251.315
March 1 [Filing Deadline -180]	Last day for candidate to register as nonaffiliated to meet 180 day registration requirement for general election.	249.720
March 6 [March -7]	First day to open return identification envelopes and to scan ballots in accordance with security plan approved by Secretary of State.	254.478
	Last day to conduct public certification test of vote tally system.	254.235
[Primary -70]	Last day for district candidate to file declaration of candidacy, nominating petition or to withdraw.	255.235
	Last day for major party or nonpartisan candidate to file declaration of candidacy or nominating petition.	249.037
March 7 [Primary -69]	Last day for Secretary of State to complete random ordering of alphabet to determine candidate name placement.	254.155
March 8 [March -5] [Primary -68]	Last day absentee or replacement ballots are required to be mailed.	247.307; 253.065; 253.545; 254.470
	Last day for candidate, who files candidacy with county clerk, to file county voters' pamphlet statement.	OAR 165-022-0010
	Last day for Secretary of State to distribute random alphabet.	254.155
	Last day to file or withdraw candidate statements, measure arguments, or legislative argument for state voters' pamphlet.	251.065; 251.245; 251.255; 251.285
March 9 [Primary -67]	Last day for candidate, other than district candidate, to withdraw.	249.180; 249.830
March 13 Election Day [VP Filing Deadline +3 business]	County Clerk's office open 7 am - 8 pm. Official dropsites open until 8 pm, for minimum of 8 hours.	254.470; 165-007-0030
	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting ends.	260.057
	Last day to review state voters' pamphlet filings for statutory compliance.	251.087; 251.260
March 14 [State Initiative] [VP Filing Deadline +4 business]	Monthly initiative petition submission.	250.105
	Candidate voters' pamphlet statements, for candidates who file candidacy with county clerk, available for public inspection.	251.430
	Material submitted for state voters' pamphlet available for public inspection.	251.145

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Date	Description of Event	Reference
March 15 [VP Filing Deadline +5 business]	Last day to notify candidates and measure argument filers of required corrections to state voters' pamphlet material.	251.087; 251.260
[Primary -61]	Last day to inactivate voters for non-voting or failure to update.	247.013
	Last day to file or withdraw notice of measure election.	254.095; 254.103; 255.085
	Last day to file explanatory statement, if county will publish voters' pamphlet.	OAR 165-022-0010
	Last day for Secretary of State and city elections official to file ballot statement.	254.085; 254.095
March 19 [Primary -57]	Last day for candidate, who files candidacy with governing body other than county clerk, to file county voters' pamphlet statement.	OAR 165-022-0010
[Notice Deadline +2 business]	Last day to file measure arguments for county voters' pamphlet.	OAR 165-022-0010
[VP Filing Deadline +7 business]	Last day for candidate or measure argument filer to correct state voters' pamphlet material.	251.087; 251.260
March 21 [March +8]	Information identifying voters with ballots challenged for missing or non matching signatures available for public inspection.	254.470
March 23 [VP Filing Deadline +4 business]	Candidate statements, for candidates who file candidacy with governing body other than county clerk, and measure arguments available for public inspection.	251.430
March 27 [March +14]	Last day to resolve ballot challenges.	254.426
March 31 [Primary -45]	Last day to print and mail ballots to military and overseas voters.	253.065
April 2 [March +20]	Last day to prepare and deliver abstracts to appropriate elections officials.	254.545; 255.295
April 3 [Primary -42]	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting begins.	260.057; 260.118
April 9 [March +27]	Last day for elections official to prepare and deliver acceptance of office form to individuals nominated or elected by write-in.	254.548
April 12 [March +30]	Last day to certify 50% turnout of eligible voters.	OAR 165-007-0130
	Last day to issue proclamation if provisions of two or more approved county measures conflict.	254.545
	Last day to prepare and electronically deliver precinct level results and Ballot Count Report to Secretary of State.	OAR 165-007-0030; 254.074; 254.545
April 13 [State Initiative]	Monthly initiative petition submission.	250.105
April 15 [Primary -30]	Last day to designate official ballot dropsites.	OAR 165-007-0030
	Last day to establish or divide precincts.	246.410
April 16 [Primary -29]	First day to mail ballots to voters with a non-Oregon mailing address who are not military or overseas voters.	253.065; 254.470

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Date	Description of Event	Reference
April 17 [March +35]	Last day to file recount demand.	258.161
	Last day for individuals nominated or elected by write-in to file acceptance forms.	254.548
April 22 [March +40]	Last day for elections official to deliver a certificate of nomination or election to individuals who filed write-in acceptance forms and, if applicable, issue a proclamation declaring the election of those individuals.	254.548
	Last day for city elections official to canvass votes for city measures and issue proclamation if provisions of two or more approved measures conflict.	254.565
	Last day for district elections authority to determine result of election.	255.295
April 23 [March +40]	Last day to file contest of election, if no recount. <i>Adjusted under ORS 246.021.</i>	258.036
April 24 [Primary -21]	Last day for political parties to request free voter list.	247.940
	Last day to register to vote or change party affiliation. Registration cards postmarked by this date or submitted online no later than 11:59 pm are valid.	247.025
April 25 [Primary -20]	First day to mail ballots.	254.470
	Last day to mail state voters' pamphlet.	251.175
April 27 [March +45] [Primary -18]	Election Day Report due.	DIR. 2006-7
	Last day to mail ballots to electors without daily mail service.	254.470
May 1 [Primary -14]	Last day to mail ballots.	254.470
	Last day to distribute county voters' pamphlet.	251.315
May 8 [Primary -7]	First day to open return identification envelopes and to scan ballots in accordance with security plan approved by Secretary of State.	254.478
	Last day to conduct public certification test of vote tally system.	254.235
May 10 [Primary -5]	Last day absentee or replacement ballots are required to be mailed.	247.307; 253.065; 253.545; 254.470
May 14 [State Initiative]	Monthly initiative petition submission.	250.105
May 15 Election Day	County Clerk's office open 7 am - 8 pm. Official dropsites open until 8 pm, for minimum of 8 hours.	254.470; 165-007-0030
	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting ends.	260.057; 260.118
May 23 [Primary +8]	Information identifying voters with ballots challenged for missing or non matching signatures available for public inspection.	254.470
May 25 [Filing Deadline -42] [General -165]	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting begins for Initiative Petition Committees.	260.118
	Last day to submit state initiative petition signatures for early verification.	250.105
May 28	Memorial Day	Holiday

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Date	Description of Event	Reference
May 29 [Primary +14]	Last day to resolve ballot challenges.	254.426
May 30 [Primary +15]	First day to file declaration of candidacy or nominating petition for local offices filled at general election.	221.180
	First day for nonaffiliated and minor political party candidates to file certificates of nomination for general election.	249.722
June 4 [Primary +20]	Last day to mail certificates of election to precinct committeepersons.	248.023
	Last day to prepare and deliver abstracts to appropriate elections officials.	254.545; 255.295
June 8 [Primary +24]	Precinct committeepersons take office.	248.015
June 11 [March +90] [Primary +27]	Last day to file complaint of alleged election law violation. If violation occurred after election, deadline is 90 days after date of alleged violation.	260.345
	Last day for elections official to prepare and deliver acceptance of office form to individuals nominated or elected by write-in.	254.548
	Last day for precinct committeepersons elected by write-in to file acceptance forms.	248.023
June 14 [Primary +30]	Effective date of voter approved measures, unless otherwise specified for later implementation.	OR CONST. ART. IV
	Last day for Governor to issue measure proclamation and declare into law measures approved by voters.	254.555
	Last day for Secretary of State to canvass votes, prepare and deliver register of nomination, certificates of election and issue proclamation declaring election of candidates.	254.555; 260.245
	Last day to issue proclamation if provisions of two or more approved county measures conflict.	254.545
	Last day to prepare and electronically deliver precinct level results and Ballot Count Report to Secretary of State.	OAR 165-007-0030; 254.074; 254.545
	[State Initiative]	Monthly initiative petition submission.
June 15 [Primary +31]	Last day to declare other precinct committeeperson offices vacant and to furnish list of newly elected precinct committeepersons to chairman of county and state central committees.	248.023
June 19 [Primary +35]	Last day to file recount demand.	258.161
	Last day for individuals nominated or elected by write-in to file acceptance forms.	254.548
June 24 [Primary +40]	Last day to deliver a certificate of nomination or election to individuals who filed write-in acceptance forms and, if applicable, issue a proclamation declaring the election of those individuals.	254.548
	Last day for city elections official to canvass votes for city measures and issue proclamation if provisions of two or more approved measures conflict.	254.565
	Last day for district elections authority to determine result of election.	255.295
[General -135]	Last day to deliver to district elections authority, board member update form.	255.069

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Date	Description of Event	Reference
June 25 [Primary +40]	Last day to file contest of election, if no recount. <i>Adjusted under ORS 246.021.</i>	258.036
June 29 [September -80]	Last day to file text of referral or prepared ballot title in order for ballot title challenge period to be complete by the filing deadline. Applicable to counties, cities and districts.	OAR 165-014-0005
July 4	Independence Day	Holiday
July 5 [General -125]	Last day for district elections authority to return board member updates. <i>Adjusted under ORS 246.021.</i>	255.069
July 6 [General -4 months]	Last day to submit state initiative petition signatures for verification. Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting ends for Initiative Petition Committees.	OR CONST. ART. IV 260.118
July 9 [General -120]	First day to file candidate statements or measure arguments for state voters' pamphlet. Last day for legislative officials or chief petitioners to appoint proponents to explanatory statement committees.	251.065 251.205
July 11 [September -69] [General -118]	Last day for Secretary of State to complete random ordering of alphabet to determine candidate name placement. Last day for Secretary of State to appoint opponents to explanatory statement committees. Last day for Secretary of State to appoint proponent to explanatory statement committee, if legislative officials or chief petitioners do not.	254.155 251.205 251.205
July 12 [September -68]	Last day for Secretary of State to distribute random alphabet.	254.155
July 15 [Biennial]	Election Day Report due.	DIR. 2006-7
July 16 [State Initiative]	Monthly initiative petition submission.	250.105
July 18 [General -111]	Last day for explanatory statement committees to select fifth members.	251.205
July 19 [September -61] [General -110]	Last day to inactivate voters for non-voting or failure to update. Last day to file or withdraw notice of measure election. Last day to file explanatory statement, if county will publish voters' pamphlet. First day for district candidate to file declaration of candidacy or nominating petition. Last day to publish/mail notice of district board election.	247.013 254.095; 254.103; 255.085 OAR 165-022-0010 255.235 255.075
July 20 [General -109]	Last day for Secretary of State to appoint fifth member to explanatory statement committee, if committee does not.	251.205
July 23 [September -57] [Notice Deadline + 2 business]	Last day to file candidate statements for county voters' pamphlet. Last day to file measure arguments for county voters' pamphlet.	OAR 165-022-0010 OAR 165-022-0010

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Date	Description of Event	Reference
July 27 [VP Filing Deadline + 4 business]	Material submitted for county voters' pamphlet available for public inspection.	251.430
July 30 [General -99]	Last day to file explanatory statements, financial estimates and any statements explaining estimates.	250.127; 251.215; 251.225
August 3 [General -95]	Last day to conduct hearings on explanatory statements, financial estimates and any statements explaining estimates.	250.127; 251.215
August 4 [September -45]	Last day to print and mail ballots to military and overseas voters.	253.065
August 5 [Submission Deadline +30]	Last day to complete signature verification of state initiative petitions.	OR CONST. ART. IV
August 6	OACC Annual Conference	
August 7 [September -42]	OACC Annual Conference Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting begins.	260.057
[General -91]	Last day to cancel voters based on information from US Postal Service records.	247.296
August 8 [General -90]	OACC Annual Conference Last day to prepare and mail submarine ballot to military and overseas voters.	253.565
	Last day to file revised explanatory statements, financial estimates and any statements explaining estimates.	250.127; 251.215
	Last day to determine minor political party ballot access.	248.008
August 9	OACC Annual Conference	
August 10 [General -88]	Last day for Secretary of State to file financial estimates and any statements explaining estimates, if financial estimate committee does not.	250.127
August 13 [Primary +90]	Last day to file complaint of alleged election law violation. If violation occurred after election, deadline is 90 days after date of alleged violation.	260.345
[Revision Deadline +5]	Last day to petition Supreme Court to review explanatory statements or process used to adopt financial estimates and any statements explaining estimates.	ORAP Rule 11.30; 250.131; 251.235
August 14 [General -84]	Last day to notify Secretary of State of intent to publish or not publish county voters' pamphlet.	OAR 165-007-0030
[State Initiative]	Monthly initiative petition submission.	250.105
August 17 [General -80]	Last day to file text of referral or prepared ballot title in order for ballot title challenge period to be complete by the filing deadline. Applicable to counties, cities and districts.	OAR 165-014-0005
August 19 [September -30]	Last day to designate official ballot dropsites.	OAR 165-007-0030
	Last day to establish or divide precincts.	246.410
August 20 [September -29]	First day to mail ballots to voters with a non-Oregon mailing address who are not military or overseas voters.	253.065; 254.470

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Date	Description of Event	Reference
August 28 [September -21]	Last day to register to vote. Registration cards postmarked by this date or submitted online no later than 11:59 pm are valid.	247.025
[General -70]	Last day for district candidate to file declaration of candidacy, nominating petition or to withdraw.	255.235
	Last day to file declaration of candidacy or nominating petition for local offices filled at general election.	221.180
	Last day for nonaffiliated or minor political party candidate to file certificate of nomination.	249.722
	Last day to file or withdraw candidate statements, measure arguments, legislative argument or Citizen Statement for state voters' pamphlet.	250.141; 251.065; 251.115; 251.245; 251.255; 251.285
August 29 [September -20]	First day to mail ballots.	254.470
[General -69]	Last day for Secretary of State to complete random ordering of alphabet to determine candidate name placement.	254.155
August 30 [General -68]	Last day for candidate, who files candidacy with county clerk, to file county voters' pamphlet statement.	OAR 165-022-0010
	Last day for Secretary of State to distribute random alphabet.	254.155
	Last day to notify candidates who have failed to file primary election campaign finance statements, that candidate's name may only be placed on general election ballot if all statements are filed.	260.241
August 31 [September -18]	Last day to mail ballots to electors without daily mail service.	254.470
[VP Filing Deadline +3 business]	Last day to review state voters' pamphlet filings for statutory compliance.	251.087; 251.260
[General -67]	Last day for candidate, other than district candidate, to withdraw.	249.180; 249.830
September 3	Labor Day	Holiday
September 4 [September -14]	Last day to mail ballots.	254.470
	Last day to distribute county voters' pamphlet.	251.315
[VP Filing Deadline +4 business]	Material submitted for state voters' pamphlet available for public inspection.	251.145
September 5 [VP Filing Deadline +5 business]	Last day to notify candidates and measure argument filers of required corrections to state voters' pamphlet material.	251.087; 251.260
September 6 [General -61]	Last day to determine candidates that failed to file primary election campaign finance statements. Candidate's name may only be placed on general election ballot if statements have been filed.	260.241
	Last day to inactivate voters for non-voting or failure to update.	247.013
	Last day to file or withdraw notice of measure election.	254.095; 254.103; 255.085
	Last day to file explanatory statement, if county will publish voters' pamphlet.	OAR 165-022-0010
	Last day for Secretary of State and city elections official to file ballot statement.	254.085; 254.095
[VP Filing Deadline +4 business]	Candidate voters' pamphlet statements, for candidates who file candidacy with county clerk, available for public inspection.	251.430

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Date	Description of Event	Reference
September 7 [VP Filing Deadline +7 business]	Last day for candidate or measure argument filer to correct state voters' pamphlet material.	251.087; 251.260
September 10 [General -57]	Last day for candidate, who files candidacy with governing body other than county clerk, to file county voters' pamphlet statement.	OAR 165-022-0010
[Notice Deadline +2 business]	Last day to file measure arguments for county voters' pamphlet.	OAR 165-022-0010
September 11 [September -7]	First day to open return identification envelopes and to scan ballots in accordance with security plan approved by Secretary of State.	254.478
	Last day to conduct public certification test of vote tally system.	254.235
September 13 [September -5]	Last day absentee or replacement ballots are required to be mailed.	247.307; 253.065; 253.545; 254.470
September 14 [VP Filing Deadline +4 business]	Candidate statements, for candidates who file candidacy with governing body other than county clerk, and measure arguments available for public inspection.	251.430
September 17 [State Initiative]	Monthly initiative petition submission.	250.105
September 18 Election Day	County Clerk's office open 7 am - 8 pm. Official dropsites open until 8 pm, for minimum of 8 hours.	254.470; 165-007-0030
	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting ends.	260.057
September 20 [General -47]	Last day for county, city or district to resubmit measure.	254.095; 254.103; 255.085
September 22 [General -45]	Last day to print and mail ballots to military and overseas voters.	253.065
September 24 [Notice Deadline +2 business]	Last day to file measure arguments for resubmitted measure for county voters' pamphlet, if county includes resubmitted measure in voters' pamphlet.	OAR 165-022-0010
September 25 [General -42]	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting begins.	260.057; 260.118
September 26 [September +8]	Information identifying voters with ballots challenged for missing or non matching signatures available for public inspection.	254.470
September 28 [VP Filing Deadline +4 business]	Measure arguments for resubmitted measures,if county includes measure in county voters' pamphlet, available for public inspection.	251.430
October 2 [September +14]	Last day to resolve ballot challenges.	254.426
October 7 [General -30]	Last day to designate official ballot dropsites.	OAR 165-007-0030
	Last day to establish or divide precincts.	246.410
October 8 [September +20]	Last day to prepare and deliver abstracts to appropriate elections officials.	254.545; 255.295
[General -29]	First day to mail ballots to voters with a non-Oregon mailing address who are not military or overseas voters.	253.065; 254.470

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Date	Description of Event	Reference
October 12 [State Initiative]	Monthly initiative petition submission.	250.105
October 15 [September +27]	Last day for elections official to prepare and deliver acceptance of office form to individuals nominated or elected by write-in.	254.548
October 16 [General -21]	Last day for political parties to request free voter list.	247.940
	Last day to register to vote. Registration cards postmarked by this date or submitted online no later than 11:59 pm are valid.	247.025
October 17 [General -20]	First day to mail ballots.	254.470
	Last day to mail state voters' pamphlet.	251.175
October 18 [September +30]	Last day to certify 50% turnout of eligible voters.	OAR 165-007-0130
	Last day to issue proclamation if provisions of two or more approved county measures conflict.	254.545
	Last day to prepare and electronically deliver precinct level results and Ballot Count Report to Secretary of State.	OAR 165-007-0030; 254.074; 254.545
October 19 [General -18]	Last day to mail ballots to electors without daily mail service.	254.470
October 23 [September +35]	Last day to file recount demand.	258.161
	Last day for individuals nominated or elected by write-in to file acceptance forms.	254.548
[General -14]	Last day to mail ballots.	254.470
	Last day to distribute county voters' pamphlet.	251.315
October 28 [September +40]	Last day for elections official to deliver a certificate of nomination or election to individuals who filed write-in acceptance forms and, if applicable, issue a proclamation declaring the election of those individuals.	254.548
	Last day for city elections official to canvass votes for city measures and issue proclamation if provisions of two or more approved measures conflict.	254.565
	Last day for district elections authority to determine result of election.	255.295
October 29 [September +40]	Last day to file contest of election, if no recount. <i>Adjusted under ORS 246.021.</i>	258.036
October 30 [General -7]	First day to open return identification envelopes and to scan ballots in accordance with security plan approved by Secretary of State.	254.478
	Last day to conduct public certification test of vote tally system.	254.235
November 1 [General -5]	Last day absentee or replacement ballots are required to be mailed.	247.307; 253.065; 253.545; 254.470
November 2 [September +45]	Election Day Report due.	DIR. 2006-7

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November 6	County Clerk's office open 7 am - 8 pm. Official dropsites open until 8 pm, for minimum of 8 hours.	254.470; 165-007-0030
Election Day	Seven day campaign finance transaction reporting ends.	260.057; 260.118
November 12	Veterans' Day Observed	Holiday
November 14 [General +8]	Information identifying voters with ballots challenged for missing or non matching signatures available for public inspection.	254.470
November 15 [State Initiative]	Monthly initiative petition submission.	250.105
November 20 [General +14]	Last day to resolve ballot challenges.	254.426
November 22	Thanksgiving Day	Holiday
November 23	State Offices Closed	Holiday
November 26 [General +20]	Last day to prepare and deliver abstracts to appropriate elections officials.	254.545; 255.295
November 29 [General +15 business]	Last day for Secretary of State to notify county clerks of the election contests and precincts or ballot count batches subject to hand count.	254.529
[General +23]	Last day to begin hand count of ballots.	254.529
December 3 [General +27]	Last day for elections official to prepare and deliver acceptance of office form to individuals nominated or elected by write-in.	254.548
December 6 [General +30]	Effective date of voter approved measures, unless otherwise specified for later implementation.	OR CONST. ART. IV
	Last day for Governor to issue measure proclamation and declare into law measures approved by voters.	254.555
	Last day for Secretary of State to canvass votes, prepare and deliver certificates of election and issue proclamation declaring election of candidates.	254.555; 260.245
	Last day to complete hand counts of ballots.	254.529
	Last day to issue proclamation if provisions of two or more approved county measures conflict.	254.545
	Last day to prepare and electronically deliver precinct level results and Ballot Count Report to Secretary of State.	OAR 165-007-0030; 254.074; 254.545
	Last day, if required by results of second hand count, to certify and deliver amended abstract of votes.	254.529
December 11 [General +35]	Last day to file recount demand.	258.161
	Last day for individuals nominated or elected by write-in to file acceptance forms.	254.548
December 14 [State Initiative]	Monthly initiative petition submission.	250.105

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	Last day for city elections official to canvass votes for city measures and issue proclamation if provisions of two or more approved measures conflict.	254.565
	Last day for district elections authority to determine result of election.	255.295
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[General +40]	Last day to file contest of election, if no recount. <i>Adjusted under ORS 246.021.</i>	258.036
December 21 [March -80]	Last day to file text of referral or prepared ballot title in order for ballot title challenge period to be complete by the filing deadline. Applicable to counties, cities and districts.	OAR 165-014-0005
December 25	Christmas Day	Holiday
December 31 [Biennial]	Election Day Report due.	DIR. 2006-7

