## **Election Calendar**



March 12, 2024

October 14, 2023

Nomination Petitions and Papers	October 14, 2023 - November 13, 2023
Publication of Call of Election	October 14, 2023 - November 13, 2023
Ballot Language and/or Candidate List Due	<b>December 15, 2023</b>
First Day to Request an Early Ballot (Mail)	December 10, 2023
Last Day to File Nomination Papers for Write-in Candidates for Cancel and Appoint Districts	November 28, 2023
Last Day to File Nomination Papers for Write-in Candidates	<b>February 1, 2024</b>
Publication of Notice of Election	January 12, 2024 - February 15, 2024
Last Date to Register to Vote	February 12, 2024
Last Day to Request an Early Ballot (Mail)	March 1, 2024
Affidavit of Compliance	March 7, 2024
Last Day to Vote Early (In Person)	March 8, 2024

\*\*\*Definitions and Explanations for each item listed above can be found on the back side of this sheet\*\*\*

Quick Reference Dates	
180 Days - September 14, 2023	
150 Days - October 14, 2023	
105 Days - November 28, 2023	
90 Days - December 13, 2023	
60 Days - January 12, 2024	
33 Days - February 8, 2024	
29 Days - February 12, 2024	
27 Days - February 14, 2024	

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Navajo County Recorder's Office: (928) 524-4389

## **Definitions and Explanations**

**<u>Call of Election</u>** - A "Call of Election" must be issued at least 120 days prior to an Election (Call of Election times may vary depending on the type of district, refer to the Arizona Revised Statutes in order to maintain compliance with State law). The jurisdiction's governing board must meet and issue the Call of Election prior to this deadline. If you wish the County Election Dept. to conduct your election, minutes from the meeting in which the Call of Election was issued need to be submitted to the Election Dept. by the deadline also.

**Nomination Petitions and Papers** - Candidates can file completed petitions and other paperwork not less than 120 days and no more than 150 prior to an election. (Note: Candidates must first file a Statement of Intent prior to collecting signatures, not applicable for those districts covered under Title 48.) For most Special Districts, the County Elections Office will receive completed candidate paperwork. City and Town Clerks will receive the paperwork for their jurisdictions.

**Publication of Call of Election** - Once a week (twice a week if all mail election) during each of the two calendar weeks preceeding 90 days, the Call of Election must be published in a newspaper of general circulation. (Usually done by the Elections Office)

**Ballot Language and/or Candidate List Due** - Official Language for any propositions or questions needs to be submitted by this date. For City and Towns who have received paperwork from candidates, an official list of candidates (names as they should appear on the ballot) with mailing addresses needs to be submitted.

First Day to Request an Early Ballot (Mail) - Voters may request an Early Ballot be mailed to their residence.

Last Day to File Nomination Papers for Write-in Candidates for Cancel and Appoint Districts - Candidates wishing to run as a write-in candidate for an office in an election that may be canceled and appointed (see A.R.S. Title 48) must file their nomination papers by close of buisness on this date.

Last Day to File Nomination Papers for Write-in Candidates - Cadidates wishing to run as a write-in candidate for an office in an election not covered above, must file their nomination papers by close of business on this date.

**Publication of Notice of Election** - Once a week (twice a week if all mail election) during each of the two calendar weeks preceeding 20 days, the Notice of Election must be published in a newspaper of general circulation. (Usually done by the Elections Office)

Last Date to Register to Vote - Last day to register to vote in the election.

Last Day to Request an Early Ballot (Mail) - Last day to request an Early Ballot be sent by mail.

<u>Affidavit of Compliance</u> - Jurisdictions shall submit an Affidavit of Compliance, stating that they have complied with all Federal and State Laws, no later than 5 days prior to an election

Last Day to Vote Early (In Person) - Last day to vote early. Must be done in person at the County Recorder's Office. All Early Ballots (mail) must be received by the County Recorder's Office no later than 7:00 PM on the day of Election.



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