HOME RULE - ALTERNATIVE EXPENDITURE LIMITATION PRIMARY ELECTION JULY 30, 2024

Chronology/Timeline

Deadline set by Law	Statutory Requirement	Recommended Date	Action Steps
2/1/2024	Must be published PRIOR to public hearings (sent to paper 2/21/24)	3/5/2024 2/24/2024 3/2/2024 3/12/2024 3/18/2024	 Received estimated State-imposed expenditure limitation for coming fiscal year Complete Home Rule Budget Expenditures Worksheet First notice of public hearings Second notice of public hearings First public hearing for Home Rule Option Second public hearing - Council votes on the proposal immediately after second hearing in a special meeting
	Following hearing/vote	3/21/2024*	Publish record of vote and amount of the expenditure in excess of the state imposed limitation and purposes for the excess
4/1/2024		4/1/2024	Receive actual State-imposed expenditure limitation
	At Least 60 days prior to election & before printing of publicity pamphlet within 15 business days of submittal Not less than 90 Days prior to election	3/29/2024 4/19/2024 5/1/2024*	 Submit Detailed and Summary Analyses and Summary Analysis worksheet to Auditor General's Office (AG has 15 days to respond) Receive reviewed detailed and summary analyses and worksheet from the AG office Receive arguments for or against alteranative expenditure limit for publicity pamphlet
		5/10/2024 5/31/2024 6/27/2024*	 Complete prep of publicity pamphlet; send draft to AG office allowing time for review and comment prior to returning Send Publicity Pamphlets to the printer after incorporating any AG comments Make Early Ballots Available; mail PP or let early voters know when and where they are available
	MUST be available no less than 33 days prior to election - Prohibited to distriute until 27 days before	7/3/2024*	Distribute Early Ballots
7/30/2024	At Least 10 Days before election	7/19/2024* 7/30/2024 8/19/2024*	 Distribute Publicity Pamphlets (if not done earlier, this is the statutory deadline) Primary Election Canvass Vote; inform AG and Economic Estimates Commission of the result

*Latest date to comly with election deadlines