

# INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM WHITE LAKE TOWNSHIP

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**Anthony L. Noble, Clerk**  
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Michael Powell

## OFFICE OF THE CLERK

TO: White Lake Board of Trustees

FROM: Anthony L. Noble

SUBJECT: Resolution #24-002/Wage Schedule for Election Workers

DATE: January 11, 2024

Please see the attached wage schedule approved by the White Lake Township Election Commission.

The Election Commission motion to approve the Election Wage Schedule (2024) as listed in **Exhibit A**, MOVED by Trustee Voorheis, seconded by Trustee Ruggles. The motion carried with a roll call vote: (Voorheis/yes, Ruggles/yes, Noble/yes)

We respectfully request the Board of Trustees review and approve the attached proposed Wage Schedule (2024) under Exhibit A, effective the beginning of the Township's next payroll period.

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**EXHIBIT A**

**Election Wage Schedule (2024)**

<b>Precinct Chair</b>	<b>\$325</b>	<b>Per Day</b>
<b>Electronic Poll Book</b>	<b>\$275</b>	<b>Per Day</b>
<b>Precinct Inspector</b>	<b>\$250</b>	<b>Per Day</b>
<b>Training</b>	<b>\$25</b>	<b>Flat Fee</b>
<b>Return w/ Chair</b>	<b>\$25</b>	<b>Flat Fee</b>
<b>Office/QVF</b>	<b>\$25</b>	<b>Per Hour</b>
<b>Office Assistant</b>	<b>\$20</b>	<b>Per Hour</b>
<b>Receiving Board</b>	<b>\$100</b>	<b>Per Day</b>
<b>Election Day Runners</b>	<b>\$325</b>	<b>Per Day</b>
<b>Election Day Setup</b>	<b>\$25</b>	<b>Per Hour</b>

# ***NOTICE***

***CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF WHITE LAKE  
ELECTION COMMISSION MEETING  
MONDAY, JANUARY 11, 2024 – 3:00 P.M.***

Notice is hereby given that the Charter Township of White Lake Election Commission will meet Thursday, January 11, 2024 to:

- Review Election Worker Compensation
- Review Processing and Tabulation for the Absent Voter Counting Board

The meeting will take place at Township Hall, 7525 Highland Rd., White Lake, Michigan. Please contact Anthony L. Noble, Clerk at [anoble@whitelaketwp.com](mailto:anoble@whitelaketwp.com) for questions.

White Lake Township Election Commission  
Anthony L. Noble, Clerk  
Scott Ruggles, Trustee  
Andrea Voorheis, Trustee

Posted – January 5, 2024

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TO: White Lake Election Commission  
FROM: Anthony L. Noble  
SUBJECT: Wage Schedule for Election Workers  
DATE: January 11, 2024

We are asking you to review the current compensation for all Election Workers under the Clerk's Office and subsequently, to approve a recommendation to the Board of Trustees.

The last revision was done prior to this administration in 2019. This wage has remained a constant since then as it was not subject to any of the calendar increases applied to other non-union or general township positions. Since that time, there has been innumerable pieces of legislation that have changed the landscape of elections and how they are managed. Most notably, Proposal 23-2 was the biggest change in election law since the laws were written in 1952. Proposal 23-2 is in fact a change to the Constitution here in the State of Michigan.

To address the overwhelming changes in elections, the Michigan Association of Municipal Clerks (MAMC) drafted a resolution to help Clerks across Michigan inform their Boards of the need for additional compensation in response to the increasing demands and responsibilities. Just to provide some context of the vast responsibilities added to the Clerk's Office, we have also included the Election Calendar for 2024. It is worth noting that within each of these dates, there are a multitude of processes that must be done in accordance with the Constitutional amendments and current State Statute. This is simply too daunting to do without allocating resources to provide for proper staffing. Although this was originally done in response to the turnover rates among in house election officials, the same principals are applicable with the entire election work force, so we have provided a supplement with their supporting documentation for you to review.

Oakland County conducted a survey and obtained wage information to establish a new base comparable. That rate of \$18.00 an hour was used as a minimum starting point for our recommendation. We factor in a full day with overtime consideration as well as specialized job assignments and responsibilities such as working the Poll Book or as a Chair Person, or returning at the end of the night with the Chair Person to meet the Receiving Board.

## INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM WHITE LAKE TOWNSHIP

Here in White Lake alone, we hire over 100 temporary positions for every election. This includes poll workers/inspectors, absentee counting board inspectors, receiving board inspectors, office, and clerical assistants, as well as laborers and outside contractors for physical set up of precincts. Your duty as an Election Commission cannot be exaggerated as you are statutorily responsible to provide appointments, additional staff, resources, and other means to conduct elections that are proper, efficient, and speedy.<sup>1</sup> In other words, **you are charged with the protection of the Constitutional Rights of all electors.**

This is done in part by ensuring we are paying appropriately for the officials who deal with more and more complex logistics, legal requirements. Success in these areas serves as a positive public relations image that will foster public confidence and ultimately serve the Township well.

*According to the MAMC, Inadequate compensation leads to high turnover rates. Retaining experienced election workers is essential to maintaining the continuity and reliability of the electoral process. Well-compensated staff are likely to stay in their roles. We have certainly experienced that here; we lost our primary office election worker the week we started processing for this election.*

Accordingly, we are requesting review and consideration for the attached proposed Wage Schedule (2024) under Exhibit A.

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<sup>1</sup> MCL 168.674

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<b>Electronic Poll Book</b>	<b>\$275</b>	<b>Per Day</b>	<b>(\$200 Current)</b>
<b>Precinct Inspector</b>	<b>\$250</b>	<b>Per Day</b>	<b>(\$175 Current)</b>
<b>Training</b>	<b>\$25</b>	<b>Flat Fee</b>	<b>(\$25 Current)</b>
<b>Return w/ Chair</b>	<b>\$25</b>	<b>Flat Fee</b>	<b>(\$10 Current)</b>
<b>Office/QVF</b>	<b>\$25</b>	<b>Per Hour</b>	<b>(\$20 Current)</b>
<b>Office Assistant</b>	<b>\$20</b>	<b>Per Hour</b>	<b>(\$20 Current)</b>
<b>Receiving Board</b>	<b>\$100</b>	<b>Per Day</b>	<b>(Future Use)</b>
<b>Election Day Runners</b>	<b>\$325</b>	<b>Per Day</b>	<b>(\$250 Current)</b>
<b>Election Day Setup</b>	<b>\$25</b>	<b>Per Hour</b>	<b>(\$25 Current)</b>

According to the 2023 Oakland County study of municipalities, the average wage PRIOR to the election changes the for a Chair position is **\$15.87**. That wage multiplied by a sixteen-hour day WITHOUT overtime consideration is **\$253.00**.

The County wide average for Inspector is **\$12.96**. That wage multiplied by a sixteen-hour day WITHOUT overtime consideration is **\$207.36**.



## The Importance of Compensating Election Officials Appropriately

As our municipalities begin preparations for the 2024 election cycle, the Michigan Association of Municipal Clerks urges municipalities to acknowledge the critical importance of ensuring fair compensation for our dedicated appointed and elected Clerks and election officials.

In a functioning democracy, the role of election officials cannot be understated. We are the unsung heroes who work tirelessly behind the scenes to ensure the integrity of the electoral process. Paying election officials appropriately is not just a matter of financial compensation; it's about upholding the very foundations of our democratic society.

Proposal 22-2 created a pivotal shift in making our local democratic processes more accessible, inclusive, and reflective of the diverse needs of our communities. The extension of the election period to include an additional nine-days of in-person early voting will enhance voter participation, safeguard the integrity of our elections, and ensure that every voice is heard.

In light of this transition, we recognize that the increased duration of elections will place additional responsibilities on our appointed and elected Clerks, as well as our election staff, who are at the forefront of managing and overseeing this crucial process. Therefore, it is imperative all election officials are fairly compensated for the dedication, hard work, and the added workload brought about by the extended election periods and added responsibilities required by law. The success of Proposal 22-2 hinges on our ability to maintain an engaged and motivated workforce to oversee our election process.

Here's why it matters:

1. **Incentive for Dedication:** Adequate compensation is a powerful motivator. Fair pay acknowledges the dedication of election officials and compensates them for carrying out their duties with the utmost integrity and commitment.
2. **Attracting Qualified Professionals:** Competitive compensation attracts the best and brightest to serve as election officials. Election administration requires precision, a high level of responsibility, and a deep understanding of election processes. Appropriate compensation will attract and retain qualified professionals.
3. **Professionalism and Accountability:** Appropriate compensation reinforces the professionalism and accountability of election officials. It communicates that their work is valued and that they



are held to the highest standards, which is essential for a transparent and trustworthy electoral system.

4. **Reducing Turnover:** Inadequate compensation leads to high turnover rates among election officials. Retaining experienced election officials is essential to maintaining the continuity and reliability of the electoral process. Well-compensated staff are more likely to stay in their roles.
5. **Upholding Trust:** Trust in the democratic process is paramount. Paying election officials appropriately is a tangible demonstration of our commitment to a free and fair electoral system, which is essential for maintaining public trust.
6. **Effective Management:** Election officials deal with complex logistics, legal requirements, and public relations during elections. Appropriate compensation and benefits enable municipalities to attract and retain experienced management and ensures the smooth running of elections.
7. **Public Confidence:** When election officials are compensated appropriately, it reflects positively on the entire electoral system. It reassures the public that the election officials who are administering their elections are invested in handling their votes with professionalism, contributing to overall confidence in the democratic process.

To address this issue, we call upon municipalities to consider the following measures:

1. **Make a Plan:** Implement a compensation adjustment plan that provides additional financial support to appointed and elected Clerks, and election staff, for their additional duties and responsibilities. This plan may include additional staffing and/or compensation.
2. **Wage Assessment:** Conduct a thorough wage assessment to ensure that Clerks and election staff are compensated in-line with the other department directors or counterparts in other departments, taking into account the additional extended responsibilities associated with Proposition 2022-2 and 2018-3.
3. **Employee Support:** Provide additional support, resources, and benefits to assist Clerks and election staff in effectively managing the challenges and complexities of the extended election period.





All municipalities benefit from the tireless efforts of Clerks and Clerk's Office employees who play an indispensable role in the democratic process. It is essential for municipalities to value and appreciate the dedication of these public servants.

In summary, the pay and benefits for election officials are not expenditures but investments in the health of our democracy. It safeguards the integrity of elections, encourages dedicated professionals to serve, and upholds public trust. It is imperative that election officials are compensated appropriately and equitably, given the demands and responsibilities they shoulder.

The MAMC supports our member Clerks in their efforts to work collaboratively with their municipalities to ensure that the implementation of new election duties is smooth, fair, and successful in all respects.

## Memorandum of Record

**To:** Board of Trustees  
**From:** Terry Lilley  
**Date:** September 19, 2019  
**Re:** Election Inspector Wages

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I am proposing a wage increase for White Lake Township Election Inspectors. Wages are for the entire election day from approximately 6 a.m. through 9 p.m. or longer. Our election inspectors work approximately fifteen (15) hour days or longer and attend state mandated training every two years in order to remain certified. The proposed wages are competitive with current wages paid by surrounding communities. For your reference, I have attached a summary of wages paid by other local communities.

Precinct Chair	\$225.00
Co-Chair/Electronic Poll Book	\$200.00
Election Inspector	\$175.00
*Training	\$ 25.00 additional
* return to Twp. with Chair	\$ 10.00 additional
Election Day Runners	\$250.00
Election Day Set Up Lead	\$25.00 per hour
Election Day Set Up Help	\$20.00 per hour



STATE OF MICHIGAN  
 JOCELYN BENSON, SECRETARY OF STATE  
 DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
 LANSING

November 22, 2023

**Special Election Duties and Deadlines**  
**-- 13<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> State House Districts --**

This calendar lists the duties and deadlines associated with the special election called by Governor Whitmer to fill the vacancies in the offices of State Representative, 13<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> districts. All deadlines elapse at 5:00 p.m. unless otherwise specified. Any questions about other applicable dates and deadlines may be directed to the Bureau of Elections.

Candidates wishing to file should submit an affidavit of identity and a \$100 filing fee (or nominating petitions) to the appropriate filing official. Candidates seeking nomination in the 13<sup>th</sup> district should file with the Bureau of Elections. Candidates seeking nomination for the 25<sup>th</sup> district should file with the Wayne County Clerk's Office.

Date	Event
11/22/2023	Governor Calls Special Election
11/27/2023 by 4:00 pm	Candidate Filing Deadline (200-400 signatures or \$100. Due to the filing official).
11/30/2023 by 4:00 pm	Deadline for partisan candidates to withdraw.
12/16/2023	Deadline for clerks to electronically transmit or mail (as requested) an absent voter ballot to each absent UOCAVA (uniformed services or overseas) voter who applied for an absent voter ballot 45 days or more before the election (MOVE deadline).
	County clerks deliver AV ballots to local clerks.
12/21/2023	AV ballots must be made available for issuance to voters.
12/31/2023	Deadline for notice of days and hours for voter registration at clerk's office to be published in the newspaper. If considered advisable by the township or city clerk, notice may also be posted in at least two conspicuous places in each precinct. Notice must include offices and proposals that will be on the ballot.
1/15/2024	Last day to register in any manner other than in-person with the local clerk.
1/16/2024	In-person registration with local clerk with proof of residency allowed between this date and Election Day.
1/17/2024 by 4:00 pm	Deadline for candidates without political party affiliation to file Affidavits of Identity and qualifying petitions with the filing official.
1/19/2024 by 4:00 pm	Write-in candidates file Declaration of Intent forms.
1/22/2024 by 4:00 pm	Deadline for candidates without political party affiliation to withdraw from the special election.
1/30/2024	<b>SPECIAL PRIMARY ELECTION</b>
1/30/2024	Last day for minor parties to hold county caucuses to nominate candidates for special election. Filing deadline is 1 business day after the conclusion of the county caucus.

<b>2/7/2024 by 9:00 am</b>	County Canvass of primary election begins.
<b>3/2/2024</b>	Deadline for clerks to electronically transmit or mail (as requested) an absent voter ballot to each absent UOCAVA (uniformed services or overseas) voter who applied for an absent voter ballot 45 days or more before the election (MOVE deadline).
<b>3/7/2024</b>	Absent Ballots must be made available for issuance to voters.
<b>3/17/2024</b>	Deadline for notice of days and hours for voter registration at clerk's office to be published in the newspaper. If considered advisable by the township or city clerk, notice may also be posted in at least two conspicuous places in each precinct. Notice must include offices and proposals that will be on the ballot.
<b>4/1/2024</b>	Last day to register in any manner other than in-person with the local clerk.
<b>4/2/2024</b>	In-person registration with local clerk with proof of residency allowed between this date and Election Day.
<b>4/5/2024 by 4:00 pm</b>	Write-in candidates file Declaration of Intent forms.
<b>4/16/2024</b>	<b>SPECIAL GENERAL ELECTION</b>
<b>4/18/2024 by 9:00 am</b>	Deadline for boards of county canvassers to meet to canvass election.
<b>4/30/2024</b>	Deadline for boards of county canvassers to complete canvass of special general election; county clerk forwards results to the Secretary of State within 24 hours



## February 27, 2024, Presidential Primary Dates

This calendar is aligned with a February 27, 2024, presidential primary date in accordance with [Public Act 2 of 2023/Senate Bill 13](#). Following the legislature's adjournment for the year on November 14, 2023, all Proposal 2022-2 implementing legislation that did not receive immediate effect will take effect 91 days after adjournment, on February 13, 2024.

Monday, September 25, 2023		County clerk must notify municipal clerks whether county intends to conduct early voting through county agreement.	<a href="#">168.720d</a>
Saturday, September 30, 2023		Municipal clerks must notify county clerk whether municipality intends to enter into municipal agreement or county agreement or conduct early voting as single municipality.	<a href="#">168.720d</a>
Wednesday, October 25, 2023		County agreements and municipal agreements must be finalized and signed.	<a href="#">168.720e</a>
Monday, October 30, 2023		Single municipalities and coordinators of municipal agreements must file early voting plan with county clerk; counties that are party to county agreement must prepare early voting plan.	<a href="#">168.720e</a>
Thursday, November 9, 2023		County clerk must submit countywide early voting plan.	<a href="#">168.720h</a>
Tuesday, November 21, 2023		Petitions to place county or local ballot question on the ballot must be filed with the applicable local or county clerk.	<a href="#">168.646a</a>
Wednesday, November 29, 2023		Configuration set or sets for tabulator must be selected.	<a href="#">168.720j</a>
Wednesday, November 29, 2023		Local board of election commissioners that establishes Election Day vote center must inform applicable county clerk that Election Day vote center will be established in city or township.	<a href="#">168.523b</a>
Tuesday, December 5, 2023	4:00 p.m.	Ballot wording of proposals qualified to appear on ballot certified to local clerks.	<a href="#">168.646a</a>
Thursday, December 14, 2023		Beginning of period for required video monitoring of AV ballot drop boxes (for all drop boxes ordered or installed after October 1, 2020).	<a href="#">168.761d</a>
Thursday, December 14, 2023		Beginning of period for regular inspection of AV drop boxes to ensure compliance with requirements.	<a href="#">168.761d</a>
Friday, December 29, 2023		Beginning of period during which local legislative body or board of county election commissioners may not establish, move, or abolish a polling place, early voting site, or central polling place, unless damaged or destroyed.	<a href="#">168.662</a>



Friday, December 29, 2023		Location of each early voting site must be finalized.	<a href="#">168.720i</a>
Friday, December 29, 2023		Local clerk must inform applicable county clerk that absent voter counting board has been authorized by local board of election commissioners.	<a href="#">168.764d</a>
Friday, December 29, 2023		Local clerk must send presidential primary ballot selection form to all permanent mail ballot voters who have not made selection.	<a href="#">168.759f</a>
Saturday, January 13, 2024		County clerk must provide each municipal clerk or early voting site coordinator with programming for electronic voting equipment to be used at early voting site.	<a href="#">168.720j</a>
Saturday, January 13, 2024		Notice of polling place or early voting site must be provided for sites established or changed by 60 days before Election Day.	<a href="#">168.662</a>
Saturday, January 13, 2024		Beginning of period during which clerk must make reasonable effort to verify or reject AV ballot application or AV ballot return envelope by the end of the business day after the application or envelope is received.	<a href="#">168.766b</a>
Saturday, January 13, 2024		Clerks shall electronically transmit or mail (as requested) an absent voter ballot to each absent UOCAVA (uniformed services or overseas) voter who applied for an absent voter ballot 45 days or more before the election (MOVE deadline).	<a href="#">168.759a</a>
Thursday, January 18, 2024		Absent voter ballots must be available for issuance to voters.	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art II Sec 4</a>
Thursday, January 18, 2024		Beginning of period secure drop boxes must be accessible 24 hours each day (until 8 p.m. on Election Day).	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art II Sec 4</a>
Thursday, January 18, 2024		Local clerk must notify permanent mail ballot voters who have not made selection of requirement to make selection to receive presidential primary election ballot.	<a href="#">168.759f</a>
Tuesday, January 23, 2024		Beginning of period of required daily collection of election materials from AV drop boxes on each day clerk's office is open.	<a href="#">168.761d</a>
Sunday, January 28, 2024		Early voting may begin.	<a href="#">168.720e</a>
Monday, January 29, 2024		Notice of days and hours for voter registration at clerk's office must be published in the newspaper. Notice may also be posted in at least two conspicuous places in each precinct. Notice must include offices and proposals that will be on the ballot.	<a href="#">168.498</a>





Monday, January 29, 2024		Deadline for clerk to post and enter into QVF the hours the clerk's office will be open on the Saturday or Sunday or both immediately before the election to issue and receive absent voter ballots.	<a href="#">168.761b</a>
Monday, January 29, 2024		Deadline for clerk to post and enter into QVF any additional locations and hours that clerk will be available to issue and receive absent voter ballots, if applicable.	<a href="#">168.761b</a>
Tuesday, January 30, 2024		Clerks intending to process or tabulate AV ballots before Election Day must submit written notice to the Secretary of State.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Tuesday, February 6, 2024		Deadline for precinct inspectors for the election to be appointed by local election commission.	<a href="#">168.674</a>
Tuesday, February 6, 2024		Deadline for notice of early voting site to be provided when temporary changes needed to early voting site.	<a href="#">168.662</a>
Friday, February 9, 2024		Deadline to post notice on website (if available) and in clerk's office of the location, dates, hours, and number of election inspectors for AV counting place if processing and tabulating AV ballots before Election Day.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Monday, February 12, 2024		Deadline to register by mail or online and be eligible to vote in the February election.	<a href="#">168.497</a>
Monday, February 12, 2024		Deadline for public logic and accuracy test to be conducted by applicable election commission. Notice of accuracy test must be published at least 48 hours before test. (MCL 168.798)	<a href="#">168.720j; R</a> <a href="#">168.778</a>
Tuesday, February 13, 2024		In-person registration with local clerk with proof of residency allowed between this date and the day before Election Day.	<a href="#">168.497</a>
Friday, February 16, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Write-in candidates' declaration of intent form due to respective filing official.	<a href="#">168.737a</a>
Friday, February 16, 2024		Deadline for clerks processing and tabulating AV ballots before Election Day to post revised notice of location, dates, hours, or number of election inspectors.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Friday, February 16, 2024	Until 5:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors to submit a written request to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot by mail.	<a href="#">168.765b(1)</a>
Friday, February 16, 2024	Until 5:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors who have returned their absent voter ballot to submit a written request in person to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot in the clerk's office.	<a href="#">168.765b(3)</a>
Saturday, February 17, 2024		Begin mandatory period of early voting.	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art II</a> <a href="#">Sec 4</a>





Monday, February 19, 2024		Cities or townships with a population of at least 5,000 may begin processing and tabulating AV ballots.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Tuesday, February 20, 2024		Notice of election published. One notice required.	<a href="#">168.653a</a>
Thursday, February 22, 2024		Beginning of period when clerk must verify or reject AV ballot application or AV ballot return envelope by the end of the calendar day the application or envelope is received.	<a href="#">168.766b</a>
Friday, February 23, 2024		City or township that establishes Election Day vote center must post notice of establishment and location of Election Day vote center on website and in clerk's office.	<a href="#">168.523b</a>
Friday, February 23, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for an applicant to cure a signature deficiency on the application to receive an AV ballot by first class mail.	<a href="#">168.761</a>
Friday, February 23, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline to send an AV ballot to an applicant by first class mail.	<a href="#">168.761</a>
Friday, February 23, 2024		Municipal clerk must post on website the location where precinct canvass of early votes for the municipality will take place and time precinct canvass will begin.	<a href="#">168.720j</a>
Friday, February 23, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors who have lost their absentee ballot or not yet received their ballot in the mail to submit a written request to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot by mail.	<a href="#">168.765b(5)</a>
Sunday, February 25, 2024		Last day of early voting.	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art II Sec 4</a>
Monday, February 26, 2024		Any city or township may begin processing and tabulating AV ballots.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Monday, February 26, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors who have lost their absentee ballot or not yet received their ballot in the mail to submit a written request to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot in the clerk's office.	<a href="#">168.765b(7)</a>
Monday, February 26, 2024	Until 4:00 p.m.	Registered voter may apply for AV ballot in person at the clerk's office.	<a href="#">168.759</a>
Tuesday, February 27, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for emergency absentee voting. (Begins Friday at 5:00 p.m.)	<a href="#">168.759b</a>
Tuesday, February 27, 2024	Until 8:00 p.m.	An individual may apply for AV ballot in person at the clerk's office on Election Day, but only if registering to vote or updating the voter registration address.	<a href="#">168.759; 761</a>







Tuesday, February 27, 2024	7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.	Election Day	<a href="#">168.613a</a>
Thursday, February 29, 2024	9:00 a.m.	Deadline for Boards of County Canvassers to meet to canvass election.	<a href="#">168.821</a>
Friday, March 1, 2024	Until 5:00 p.m.	Deadline for voter to cure the signature on AV ballot return envelope, allowing an otherwise valid ballot to be accepted for tabulation.	<a href="#">168.766</a>
Monday, March 4, 2024		Deadline for a ballot submitted by a MOVE voter and postmarked on or before Election Day to be deemed timely received and counted.	<a href="#">Mich. Const, Art II Sec 4</a>
Tuesday, March 5, 2024		Deadline for local clerk to deliver MOVE ballots received within 6 days of Election Day to the county clerk.	<a href="#">168.759a</a>





## May 2024 Election Dates

### May 7, 2024 Regular Election

Tuesday, January 23, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Nominating petitions and Affidavits of Identity for partisan and nonpartisan candidates due.	<a href="#">168.322</a>
Friday, January 26, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Written withdrawal requests for partisan and nonpartisan candidates due.	<a href="#">168.322a</a>
Monday, January 29, 2024		Deadline for local clerk to forward names and addresses of partisan and nonpartisan candidates to county clerk. ( <a href="#">MCL 168.349</a> )	<a href="#">168.321</a>
Tuesday, January 30, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for petitions to place county or local ballot question on the May ballot to be filed with the applicable local or county clerk.	<a href="#">168.646a</a>
Friday, February 2, 2024		Deadline for a recall petition to be filed for May election. (Local officials only face recall in May and November.)	<a href="#">168.963</a>
Wednesday, February 7, 2024		Configuration set(s) for tabulator(s) must be selected, if conducting early voting.	<a href="#">168.720j</a>
Wednesday, February 7, 2024		Local board of election commissioners that establishes an Election Day vote center must inform applicable county clerk that vote center will be established in city or township.	<a href="#">168.523b</a>
Tuesday, February 13, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for ballot wording of proposals qualified to appear on May ballot certified to local or county clerks.	<a href="#">168.646a</a>
Thursday, February 15, 2024		Local clerks receiving ballot wording must forward to county clerk.	<a href="#">168.646a</a>
Thursday, February 22, 2024		Beginning of period for regular inspection of AV drop boxes to ensure compliance with requirements.	<a href="#">168.761d</a>
Thursday, February 22, 2024		Beginning of period for required video monitoring of AV drop boxes (for all drop boxes ordered and installed after October 1, 2020).	<a href="#">168.761d</a>
Friday, March 8, 2024		Location of each early voting site must be finalized.	<a href="#">168.720i</a>
Friday, March 8, 2024		Deadline for cities and townships to establish, move, or abolish a polling place for the May election. Beginning of period during which local legislative body or board of county election commissioners may not establish, move, or abolish a polling place, early voting site, or central polling place, unless damaged, destroyed or rendered inaccessible or unusable.	<a href="#">168.662</a>
Friday, March 8, 2024		Local clerk must inform applicable county clerk that absent voter counting board has been authorized by local board of election commissioners.	<a href="#">168.764d</a>

Friday, March 8, 2024		Location of each early voting site must be finalized.	<a href="#">168.720i</a>
Saturday, March 23, 2024		Beginning of period during which clerk must make reasonable effort to verify or reject AV ballot application or AV ballot return envelope by the end of the business day after the application or envelope is received.	<a href="#">168.766b</a>
Saturday, March 23, 2024		County clerk must provide each municipal clerk or early voting site coordinator with programming for electronic voting equipment to be used at early voting site.	<a href="#">168.720j</a>
Saturday, March 23, 2024		Deadline for clerks to electronically transmit or mail (as requested) an absent voter ballot to each absent UOCAVA (uniformed services or overseas) voter who applied for an absent voter ballot 45 days or more before the election (MOVE deadline).	<a href="#">168.759a;</a> <a href="#">Mich Const. Art 2 Sec 4</a>
Saturday, March 23, 2024		Deadline for county clerks to deliver absent voter ballots for the May primary to local clerks.	<a href="#">168.714</a>
Saturday, March 23, 2024		Notice of polling place or early voting site must be provided for sites newly established or changed by 60 days before Election Day.	<a href="#">168.662</a>
Thursday, March 28, 2024		Absent voter ballots must be available for issuance to voters.	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art II Sec 4</a>
Thursday, March 28, 2024		Beginning of period secure drop boxes must be accessible 24 hours each day (until 8:00 p.m. on Election Day).	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art 2 Sec 4</a>
Tuesday, April 2, 2024		Beginning of period of required daily collection of election materials from AV drop boxes on each day clerk's office is open.	<a href="#">168.761d</a>
Sunday, April 7, 2024		Early voting may start.	<a href="#">168.720e</a>
Monday, April 8, 2024		Deadline for notice of days and hours for voter registration at clerk's office to be published in the newspaper. If considered advisable by the township or city clerk, notice may also be posted in at least two conspicuous places in each precinct. Notice must include offices and proposals that will be on the ballot.	<a href="#">168.498</a>
Monday, April 8, 2024		Deadline for clerk to post and enter into QVF any additional locations and hours that clerk will be available to issue and receive absent voter ballots, if applicable.	<a href="#">168.761b</a>
Monday, April 8, 2024		Deadline for clerk to post and enter into QVF the hours the clerk's office will be open on the Saturday or Sunday (or both) immediately before the election to issue and receive absent voter ballots.	<a href="#">168.761b</a>



Tuesday, April 9, 2024		Clerks intending to process or tabulate AV ballots before Election Day must submit written notice to the Secretary of State.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Monday, April 15, 2024		A municipality that conducted early voting as a single municipality for the presidential primary may enter into a municipal agreement or county agreement for the remaining statewide and federal elections in the election cycle.	<a href="#">168.720d</a>
Tuesday, April 16, 2024		Deadline for notice of early voting site to be provided when temporary changes needed to early voting site.	<a href="#">168.662</a>
Tuesday, April 16, 2024		Deadline for precinct inspectors for the election to be appointed by local election commission.	<a href="#">168.674</a>
Wednesday, April 17, 2024		Deadline to post notice on website (if available) and in clerk's office of the location, dates, hours, and number of election inspectors for AV counting place if processing and tabulating AV ballots before Election Day.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Monday, April 22, 2024		Deadline to register by mail or online and be eligible to vote for the May election.	<a href="#">168.497</a>
Tuesday, April 23, 2024		In-person registration with local clerk with proof of residency allowed between this date and continuing through the day of the election.	<a href="#">168.497</a>
Friday, April 26, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Write-in candidates' declaration of intent form due to respective filing official.	<a href="#">168.737a</a>
Friday, April 26, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors to submit a written request to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot by mail.	<a href="#">168.765b(1)</a>
Friday, April 26, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors who have returned their absent voter ballot to submit a written request in person to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot in the clerk's office.	<a href="#">168.765b(3)</a>
Saturday, April 27, 2024		Deadline for county clerks to deliver remainder of ballots and election supplies for the May election to local clerks.	<a href="#">168.714</a>
Sunday, April 28, 2024		Begin 9-day period of early voting (optional for local elections).	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art 2 Sec 4</a>
Monday, April 29, 2024		Cities or townships with a population of at least 5,000 may begin processing and tabulating AV ballots.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Tuesday, April 30, 2024		Deadline to publish notice of election. One notice required.	<a href="#">168.653a</a>
Thursday, May 2, 2024		Deadline for public logic and accuracy test to be conducted by applicable election commission. Notice of accuracy test must be published at least 48 hours before test. (MCL 168.798) If conducting early voting, public logic and accuracy test must be conducted 5 days before start of early voting. (MCL 168.720j)	<a href="#">168.778 R</a>



Thursday, May 2, 2024		Beginning of period when clerk must verify or reject AV ballot application or AV ballot return envelope by the end of the calendar day the application or envelope is received.	<a href="#">168.766b</a>
Friday, May 3, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for an applicant to cure a signature deficiency on the application to receive an AV ballot by mail.	<a href="#">168.761</a>
Friday, May 3, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for clerks to send an absent voter ballot by mail.	<a href="#">168.759</a>
Friday, May 3, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors who have lost their absentee ballot or not yet received their ballot in the mail to submit a written request to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot in the clerk's office or by mail.	<a href="#">168.765b(5)</a>
Friday, May 3, 2024		Municipal clerk must post on website the location where precinct canvass of early votes for the municipality will take place and time precinct canvass will begin, if conducting early voting. (Canvass cannot begin before 8:00 p.m. on Election Day.)	<a href="#">168.720j</a>
Friday, May 3, 2024		Eligible city or township that establishes Election Day vote center must post notice of establishment and location of vote center on website and in clerk's office.	<a href="#">168.523b</a>
Sunday, May 5, 2024		Last day of early voting.	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art 2 Sec 4</a>
Monday, May 6, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors who have lost their absentee ballot or not yet received their ballot in the mail to submit a written request to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot in the clerk's office.	<a href="#">168.765b(7)</a>
Monday, May 6, 2024		Any city or township may begin processing and tabulating AV ballots.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Tuesday, May 7, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for emergency absentee voting. (Begins Friday at 5:00 p.m.)	<a href="#">168.759b</a>
Tuesday, May 7, 2024	8:00 p.m.	Election Day registrants may obtain and vote an absent voter ballot in person in clerk's office or vote in person in the proper precinct.	<a href="#">168.761</a>
<b>Tuesday, May 7, 2024</b>	<b>7:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Election Day</b>	
Thursday, May 9, 2024	9:00 a.m.	Deadline for Boards of County Canvassers to meet to canvass election.	<a href="#">168.821</a>
Friday, May 10, 2024	Until 5:00 p.m.	Deadline for voter to cure the signature on AV ballot return envelope, allowing an otherwise valid ballot to be accepted for tabulation.	<a href="#">168.766</a>



Monday, May 13, 2024		Deadline for a ballot submitted by a MOVE voter and postmarked on or before Election Day to be deemed timely received and counted.	<a href="#">Mich. Const, Art II Sec 4</a>
Tuesday, May 14, 2024		Deadline for local clerk to deliver MOVE ballots received within 6 days of Election Day and ballots with a signature that was cured after Election Day and by 5:00 p.m. the third day after Election Day to the county clerk.	<a href="#">168.759a</a>





## August - November 2024 Election Dates

August 6, 2024 Primary  
November 5, 2024 General

Monday, March 25, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for incumbent Appeals Court, Circuit Court, District Court and Probate Court judges to file Affidavit of Candidacy and Affidavit of Identity for the August primary. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 5:00 p.m. on March 28.	-
Monday, April 1, 2024		Deadline for county political party chairpersons to certify number of delegates per precinct to county election commissions.	<a href="#">168.623a</a>
Monday, April 15, 2024		A municipality that conducted early voting as a single municipality for the presidential primary may enter into a municipal agreement or county agreement for the remaining statewide and federal elections in the election cycle.	<a href="#">168.720d</a>
Tuesday, April 23, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for candidates seeking a Wayne County Community College Trustee position to file an Affidavit of Identity and a nonpartisan nominating petition. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on April 26. ( <a href="#">MCL 389.153</a> )	<a href="#">389.83</a>
Tuesday, April 23, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for candidates seeking Appeals Court, Circuit Court, District Court or Probate Court judgeships to file nonpartisan nominating petitions, Affidavit of Identity, and Affidavit of Constitutional Qualification for the August primary. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 5:00 p.m. on April 26.	-
Tuesday, April 23, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Nominating petitions and Affidavits of Identity for partisan and nonpartisan candidates due. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on April 26.	-
Friday, April 26, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Written withdrawal requests for partisan and nonpartisan city candidates due.	<a href="#">168.322a</a>
Monday, April 29, 2024		Deadline for local clerk to forward names and addresses of partisan and nonpartisan candidates to county clerk. ( <a href="#">MCL 168.349</a> )	<a href="#">168.321</a>
Tuesday, April 30, 2024		Deadline for challenges against nominating petitions filed by partisan and nonpartisan candidates submitted to filing official.	<a href="#">168.552</a>

Tuesday, April 30, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for petitions to place county or local ballot question on the August ballot to be filed with the applicable local or county clerk.	<a href="#">168.646a</a>
Friday, May 3, 2024		Deadline for a recall petition to be filed for August election. (Does not apply for local offices.)	<a href="#">168.963</a>
Tuesday, May 7, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for candidates for county convention delegate (precinct delegate) to file an Affidavit of Identity for the August primary. Filing submitted to the clerk of the county in which candidate resides. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4 p.m. on May 10. ( <a href="#">MCL 168.624a</a> )	<a href="#">168.624</a>
Wednesday, May 8, 2024		Configuration set(s) for tabulator(s) must be selected.	<a href="#">168.720j</a>
Wednesday, May 8, 2024		Local board of election commissioners that establishes an Election Day vote center must inform applicable county clerk that vote center will be established in city or township.	<a href="#">168.523b</a>
Tuesday, May 14, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for ballot wording of proposals qualified to appear on August ballot certified to local or county clerks.	<a href="#">168.646a</a>
Thursday, May 16, 2024		Deadline for local clerks receiving ballot wording to forward to county clerk.	<a href="#">168.646a</a>
Thursday, May 23, 2024		Beginning of period for regular inspection of AV drop boxes to ensure compliance with requirements.	<a href="#">168.761d</a>
Thursday, May 23, 2024		Beginning of period for required video monitoring of AV drop boxes (for all drop boxes ordered or installed after October 1, 2020).	<a href="#">168.761d</a>
Wednesday, May 29, 2024		Deadline for petitions to place a legislative initiative proposal on the November general election ballot to be filed with the Secretary of State.	<a href="#">168.471</a>
Friday, June 7, 2024		Deadline for Board of State Canvassers to complete canvass of nominating petitions filed by candidates for the August primary.	<a href="#">168.552</a>
Friday, June 7, 2024		Deadline for ballot wording for constitutional amendments and legislative referendums, which the legislature wishes to place on the August primary ballot, to be presented to the Secretary of State.	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art 12, Sec 1</a>
Friday, June 7, 2024		Deadline for cities and townships to establish, move, or abolish a polling place for the August primary. Beginning of period during which local legislative body or board of county election commissioners may not establish, move, or abolish a polling place, early voting site, or central polling place, unless damaged, destroyed or rendered inaccessible or unusable.	<a href="#">168.662</a>





Friday, June 7, 2024		Final day for Democratic and Republican Parties to call fall state conventions.	<a href="#">168.591</a>
Friday, June 7, 2024		Local clerk must inform applicable county clerk that absent voter counting board has been authorized by local board of election commissioners.	<a href="#">168.764d</a>
Friday, June 7, 2024		Location of each early voting site must be finalized.	<a href="#">168.720i</a>
Friday, June 7, 2024		Secretary of State certifies candidates eligible to appear on August primary ballot to county election commissions.	-
Saturday, June 22, 2024		Beginning of period during which clerk must make reasonable effort to verify or reject AV ballot application or AV ballot return envelope by the end of the business day after the application or envelope is received.	<a href="#">168.766b</a>
Saturday, June 22, 2024		County clerk must provide each municipal clerk or early voting site coordinator with programming for electronic voting equipment to be used at early voting site.	<a href="#">168.720j</a>
Saturday, June 22, 2024		Deadline for clerks to electronically transmit or mail (as requested) an absent voter ballot to each absent UOCAVA (uniformed services or overseas) voter who applied for an absent voter ballot 45 days or more before the election (MOVE deadline).	<a href="#">168.759a;</a> <a href="#">Mich Const. Art 2 Sec 4</a>
Saturday, June 22, 2024		Deadline for county clerks to deliver absent voter ballots for the August primary to local clerks.	<a href="#">168.714</a>
Saturday, June 22, 2024		Final day for county committees of Democratic and Republican Parties to call county conventions.	<a href="#">168.592</a>
Saturday, June 22, 2024		Notice of polling place or early voting site must be provided for sites newly established or changed by 60 days before Election Day.	<a href="#">168.662</a>
Thursday, June 27, 2024		Beginning of period secure drop boxes must be accessible 24 hours each day (until 8:00 p.m. on Election Day).	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art 2 Sec 4</a>
Tuesday, July 2, 2024		Beginning of period of required daily collection of election materials from AV drop boxes on each day clerk's office is open.	<a href="#">168.761d</a>
Thursday, July 4, 2024		Deadline for incumbent Supreme Court Justices to file Affidavit of Identity and Affidavit of Candidacy forms for the November general election. ( <a href="#">MCL 168.558</a> )	<a href="#">168.392a</a>
Sunday, July 7, 2024		Early voting may begin.	<a href="#">168.720e</a>
Monday, July 8, 2024		Deadline for clerk to post and enter into QVF any additional locations and hours that clerk will be available to issue and receive absent voter ballots, if applicable.	<a href="#">168.761b</a>



Monday, July 8, 2024		Deadline for clerk to post and enter into QVF the hours the clerk's office will be open on the Saturday or Sunday (or both) immediately before the election to issue and receive absent voter ballots.	<a href="#">168.761b</a>
Monday, July 8, 2024		Deadline for notice of days and hours for voter registration at clerk's office to be published in the newspaper. If considered advisable by the township or city clerk, notice may also be posted in at least two conspicuous places in each precinct. Notice must include offices and proposals that will be on the ballot.	<a href="#">168.498</a>
Monday, July 8, 2024		Deadline for petitions to place a proposed constitutional amendment on the November general election ballot to be filed with the Secretary of State.	<a href="#">168.471</a>
Tuesday, July 9, 2024		Clerks intending to process or tabulate AV ballots before Election Day must submit written notice to the Secretary of State.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Tuesday, July 16, 2024		Deadline for notice of early voting site to be provided when temporary changes needed to early voting site.	<a href="#">168.662</a>
Tuesday, July 16, 2024		Deadline for precinct inspectors for the election to be appointed by local election commission.	<a href="#">168.674</a>
Thursday, July 18, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for candidates without political party affiliation seeking partisan offices to file qualifying petitions and Affidavit of Identity for the November general election. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on July 22.	<a href="#">168.590c</a>
Thursday, July 18, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for District Library Board candidates (for districts that do not include a school district) to file an Affidavit of Identity and a nonpartisan nominating petition. (A \$100.00 nonrefundable fee may be filed in lieu of a petition.) (Special note: If district library includes a school district, District Library Board candidates must file by 4:00 p.m. on August 13. ( <a href="#">MCL 397.181(2)(b)</a> )	<a href="#">397.181</a>
Thursday, July 18, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for new political parties to file petitions to qualify for the November general election ballot.	<a href="#">168.685</a>
Friday, July 19, 2024		Deadline to post notice on website (if available) and in clerk's office of the location, dates, hours, and number of election inspectors for AV counting place if processing and tabulating AV ballots before Election Day.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Monday, July 22, 2024		Deadline for public logic and accuracy test to be conducted by applicable election commission. Notice of accuracy test must be published at least 48 hours before test. ( <a href="#">MCL 168.798</a> )	<a href="#">168.720j; R</a> <a href="#">168.778</a>



Monday, July 22, 2024		Deadline to register by mail or online and be eligible to vote in the August election.	<a href="#">168.497</a>
Tuesday, July 23, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for candidates for Local School Board and Community College Trustee to file an Affidavit of Identity and a nonpartisan nominating petition. (A \$100.00 nonrefundable fee may be filed in lieu of a petition.) Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on July 26. ( <a href="#">MCL 389.152</a> )	<a href="#">168.303</a>
Tuesday, July 23, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for candidates for village offices to file an Affidavit of Identity and a nonpartisan nominating petition. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on July 26.	<a href="#">168.381</a>
Tuesday, July 23, 2024		Deadline for city candidates who are nominated by petition to the general election to file an Affidavit of Identity and nonpartisan nominating petition. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on July 26.	<a href="#">168.646a</a>
Tuesday, July 23, 2024		In-person registration with local clerk with proof of residency allowed between this date and Election Day.	<a href="#">168.497</a>
Thursday, July 25, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for candidates or ballot questions not participating in an election in the calendar year to submit the July campaign statement.	<a href="#">169.233</a>
Friday, July 26, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for candidates or ballot questions seeking nomination or election at the August Election to submit the pre-election campaign statement.	<a href="#">169.233</a>
Friday, July 26, 2024		Deadline for challenges against qualifying petitions filed by candidates without political party affiliation to be submitted to filing official.	<a href="#">168.552</a>
Friday, July 26, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors to submit a written request to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot by mail.	<a href="#">168.765b(1)</a>
Friday, July 26, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors who have returned their absent voter ballot to submit a written request in person to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot in the clerk's office.	<a href="#">168.765b(3)</a>
Friday, July 26, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Write-in candidates' declaration of intent form due to respective filing official.	<a href="#">168.737a</a>
Saturday, July 27, 2024		Begin mandatory period of early voting.	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art 2 Sec 4</a>
Saturday, July 27, 2024		Deadline for county clerks to deliver remainder of ballots and election supplies for the August primary to local clerks.	<a href="#">168.714</a>



Monday, July 29, 2024		Cities or townships with a population of at least 5,000 may begin processing and tabulating AV ballots.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Tuesday, July 30, 2024		Deadline for petitions to place county or local ballot question on the November ballot to be filed with the applicable local or county clerk.	<a href="#">168.646a</a>
Tuesday, July 30, 2024		Deadline to publish notice of election. One notice required.	<a href="#">168.653a</a>
Thursday, August 1, 2024		Beginning of period when clerk must verify or reject AV ballot application or AV ballot return envelope by the end of the calendar day the application or envelope is received.	<a href="#">168.766b</a>
Friday, August 2, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for a recall petition to be filed for November election. (Local officials only face recall in May and November.)	<a href="#">168.963</a>
Friday, August 2, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for an applicant to cure a signature deficiency on the application to receive an AV ballot by first class mail.	<a href="#">168.761</a>
Friday, August 2, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors who have lost their absentee ballot or not yet received their ballot in the mail to submit a written request to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot by mail.	<a href="#">168.765b(5)</a>
Friday, August 2, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for write-in candidates who seek precinct delegate positions to file Declaration of Intent forms with the county clerk for the August primary. (As an alternative, candidates for precinct delegate may file form with appropriate precinct board on election day before the close of the polls.)	<a href="#">168.737a</a>
Friday, August 2, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline to send an AV ballot to an applicant by first class mail.	<a href="#">168.759</a>
Friday, August 2, 2024		Municipal clerk must post on website the location where precinct canvass of early votes for the municipality will take place and time precinct canvass will begin. (Canvass cannot begin before 8:00 p.m. on Election Day.)	<a href="#">168.720j</a>
Saturday, August 3, 2024		Eligible city or township that establishes Election Day vote center must post notice of establishment and location of vote center on website and in clerk's office.	<a href="#">168.523b</a>
Sunday, August 4, 2024		Last day of early voting.	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art 2 Sec 4</a>
Monday, August 5, 2024		Any city or township may begin processing and tabulating AV ballots.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>



Monday, August 5, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors who have lost their absentee ballot or not yet received their ballot in the mail to submit a written request to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot in the clerk's office.	<a href="#">168.765b(7)</a>
Monday, August 5, 2024	Until 4:00 p.m.	Registered voter may apply for AV ballot in person at the clerk's office.	<a href="#">168.759</a>
Tuesday, August 6, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for emergency absentee voting. (Begins Friday at 5:00 p.m.)	<a href="#">168.759b</a>
Tuesday, August 6, 2024		Deadline for minor parties to hold county caucuses; notify county clerk of nominated candidates within one business day after caucus.	<a href="#">168.686a</a>
Tuesday, August 6, 2024		Deadline for minor parties to hold state conventions; notify the Secretary of State of nominated candidates within one business day after convention.	<a href="#">168.686a</a>
Tuesday, August 6, 2024	8:00 p.m.	Election Day registrants may obtain and vote an absent voter ballot in person in clerk's office or vote in person in the proper precinct.	<a href="#">168.761</a>
<b>Tuesday, August 6, 2024</b>	<b>7:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.</b>	<b>PRIMARY ELECTION</b>	<a href="#">168.641</a>
Wednesday, August 7, 2024		Configuration set(s) for tabulator(s) must be selected.	<a href="#">168.720j</a>
Wednesday, August 7, 2024		Local board of election commissioners that establishes an Election Day vote center must inform applicable county clerk that vote center will be established in city or township.	<a href="#">168.523b</a>
Thursday, August 8, 2024	9:00 a.m.	Deadline for Boards of County Canvassers to meet to canvass election.	<a href="#">168.821</a>
Friday, August 9, 2024	Until 5:00 p.m.	Deadline for voter to cure the signature on AV ballot return envelope, allowing an otherwise valid ballot to be accepted for tabulation.	<a href="#">168.766</a>
Monday, August 12, 2024		Deadline for a ballot submitted by a MOVE voter and postmarked on or before Election Day to be deemed timely received and counted.	<a href="#">Mich. Const, Art 2 Sec 4</a>
Tuesday, August 13, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for ballot wording of proposals qualified to appear on November ballot certified to local or county clerks.	<a href="#">168.646a</a>
Tuesday, August 13, 2024		Deadline for county clerks to notify precinct delegates elected at August primary; certify delegate names and addresses to chairpersons of county committees.	<a href="#">168.608</a>



Tuesday, August 13, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for District Library Board candidates (for library districts that include a school district) to file an Affidavit of Identity and a nominating petition. (A \$100.00 nonrefundable fee may be filed in lieu of a petition.) Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on August 16. (Special note: If district library does not include a school district, District Library Board candidates file by 4:00 p.m. on July 18.)	<a href="#">397.181</a>
Tuesday, August 13, 2024		Deadline for local clerk to deliver MOVE ballots received within 6 days of Election Day to the county clerk.	<a href="#">168.759a</a>
Thursday, August 15, 2024		Deadline for local clerks receiving ballot wording to forward to county clerk.	<a href="#">168.646a</a>
Tuesday, August 20, 2024		Deadline for boards of county canvassers to complete canvass of August primary; county clerks forward results to the Secretary of State within 24 hours.	<a href="#">168.822</a>
Thursday, August 22, 2024		Beginning of period for regular inspection of AV drop boxes to ensure compliance with requirements.	<a href="#">168.761d</a>
Thursday, August 22, 2024		Beginning of period for required video monitoring of AV drop boxes (for all drop boxes ordered or installed after October 1, 2020).	<a href="#">168.761d</a>
Monday, August 26, 2024		Deadline for Board of State Canvassers to meet to canvass August primary.	<a href="#">168.581</a>
Saturday, August 31, 2024		Deadline for Democratic and Republican Parties to hold fall county conventions.	<a href="#">168.592</a>
Thursday, September 5, 2024		Deadline for candidates or ballot questions seeking nomination or election at the August Election to submit the post-election campaign statement.	<a href="#">169.233</a>
Friday, September 6, 2024		Beginning of period during which local legislative body or board of county election commissioners may not establish, move, or abolish a polling place, early voting site, or central polling place, unless damaged or destroyed.	<a href="#">168.662</a>
Friday, September 6, 2024		Certification of 100-word statement of proposed ballot amendment or question due.	<a href="#">168.32</a>
Friday, September 6, 2024		Deadline for ballot wording for constitutional amendments and legislative referendums, which the legislature wishes to place on the November general election ballot, presented to the Secretary of State.	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art 12, Sec 1</a>



Friday, September 6, 2024		Deadline for cities and townships to establish, move, or abolish a polling place for the November general election. Beginning of period during which local legislative body or board of county election commissioners may not establish, move, or abolish a polling place, early voting site, or central polling place, unless damaged, destroyed or rendered inaccessible or unusable.	<a href="#">168.662</a>
Friday, September 6, 2024		Deadline for Democratic and Republican Parties to hold fall state conventions.	<a href="#">168.591</a>
Friday, September 6, 2024		Local clerk must inform applicable county clerk that absent voter counting board has been authorized by local board of election commissioners.	<a href="#">168.764d</a>
Friday, September 6, 2024		Location of each early voting site must be finalized.	<a href="#">168.720i</a>
Saturday, September 21, 2024		Beginning of period during which clerk must make reasonable effort to verify or reject AV ballot application or AV ballot return envelope by the end of the business day after the application or envelope is received.	<a href="#">168.766b</a>
Saturday, September 21, 2024		County clerk must provide each municipal clerk or early voting site coordinator with programming for electronic voting equipment to be used at early voting site.	<a href="#">168.720j</a>
Saturday, September 21, 2024		Deadline for clerks to electronically transmit or mail (as requested) an absent voter ballot to each absent UOCAVA (uniformed services or overseas) voter who applied for an absent voter ballot 45 days or more before the election (MOVE deadline).	<a href="#">168.759a:</a> <a href="#">Mich Const. Art 2 Sec 4</a>
Saturday, September 21, 2024		Deadline for county clerks to deliver absent voter ballots for the November general election to local clerks.	<a href="#">168.714</a>
Saturday, September 21, 2024		Notice of polling place or early voting site must be provided for sites newly established or changed by 60 days before Election Day.	<a href="#">168.662</a>
Thursday, September 26, 2024		Beginning of period secure drop boxes must be accessible 24 hours each day (until 8:00 p.m. on Election Day).	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art 2 Sec 4</a>
Tuesday, October 1, 2024		Beginning of period of required daily collection of election materials from AV drop boxes on each day clerk's office is open.	<a href="#">168.761d</a>
Sunday, October 6, 2024		Early voting may begin.	<a href="#">168.720e</a>
Monday, October 7, 2024		Deadline for clerk to post and enter into QVF any additional locations and hours that clerk will be available to issue and receive absent voter ballots, if applicable.	<a href="#">168.761b</a>



Monday, October 7, 2024		Deadline for clerk to post and enter into QVF the hours the clerk's office will be open on the Saturday or Sunday (or both) immediately before the election to issue and receive absent voter ballots.	<a href="#">168.761b</a>
Monday, October 7, 2024		Deadline for notice of days and hours for voter registration at clerk's office to be published in the newspaper. If considered advisable by the township or city clerk, notice may also be posted in at least two conspicuous places in each precinct. Notice must include offices and proposals that will be on the ballot.	<a href="#">168.498</a>
Tuesday, October 8, 2024		Clerks intending to process or tabulate AV ballots before Election Day must submit written notice to the Secretary of State.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Tuesday, October 15, 2024		Deadline for notice of early voting site to be provided when temporary changes needed to early voting site.	<a href="#">168.662</a>
Tuesday, October 15, 2024		Deadline for precinct inspectors for the election to be appointed by local election commission.	<a href="#">168.674</a>
Friday, October 18, 2024		Deadline to post notice on website (if available) and in clerk's office of the location, dates, hours, and number of election inspectors for AV counting place if processing and tabulating AV ballots before Election Day.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Monday, October 21, 2024		Deadline for public logic and accuracy test to be conducted by applicable election commission. Notice of accuracy test must be published at least 48 hours before test. ( <a href="#">MCL 168.798</a> )	<a href="#">168.720j; R</a> <a href="#">168.778</a>
Monday, October 21, 2024		Deadline to register by mail or online and be eligible to vote for the November election.	<a href="#">168.497</a>
Tuesday, October 22, 2024		In-person registration with local clerk with proof of residency allowed between this date and Election Day.	<a href="#">168.497</a>
Friday, October 25, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for candidates not participating in an election in the calendar year to submit the October campaign statement.	<a href="#">169.233</a>
Friday, October 25, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for candidates or ballot questions seeking nomination or election at the November election to submit the pre-election campaign statement.	<a href="#">169.233</a>
Friday, October 25, 2024	Until 5:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors to submit a written request to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot by mail.	<a href="#">168.765b(1)</a>
Friday, October 25, 2024	Until 5:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors who have returned their absent voter ballot to submit a written request in person to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot in the clerk's office.	<a href="#">168.765b(3)</a>





Friday, October 25, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Write-in candidates' declaration of intent form due to respective filing official.	<a href="#">168.737a</a>
Saturday, October 26, 2024		Begin mandatory period of early voting.	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art 2 Sec 4</a>
Saturday, October 26, 2024		Deadline for county clerks to deliver remainder of ballots and election supplies for the August primary to local clerks.	<a href="#">168.714</a>
Monday, October 28, 2024		Cities or townships with a population of at least 5,000 may begin processing and tabulating AV ballots.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Tuesday, October 29, 2024		Deadline to publish notice of election. One notice required.	<a href="#">168.653a</a>
Thursday, October 31, 2024		Beginning of period when clerk must verify or reject AV ballot application or AV ballot return envelope by the end of the calendar day the application or envelope is received.	<a href="#">168.766b</a>
Friday, November 1, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for an applicant to cure a signature deficiency on the application to receive an AV ballot by first class mail.	<a href="#">168.761</a>
Friday, November 1, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors who have lost their absentee ballot or not yet received their ballot in the mail to submit a written request to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot by mail.	<a href="#">168.765b(5)</a>
Friday, November 1, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline to send an AV ballot to an applicant by first class mail.	<a href="#">168.759</a>
Friday, November 1, 2024		Municipal clerk must post on website the location where precinct canvass of early votes for the municipality will take place and time precinct canvass will begin. (Canvass cannot begin before 8:00 p.m. on Election Day.)	<a href="#">168.720j</a>
Saturday, November 2, 2024		Eligible city or township that establishes Election Day vote center must post notice of establishment and location of vote center on website and in clerk's office.	<a href="#">168.523b</a>
Sunday, November 3, 2024		Last day of early voting.	<a href="#">Mich. Const. Art 2 Sec 4</a>
Monday, November 4, 2024		Any city or township may begin processing and tabulating AV ballots.	<a href="#">168.765a</a>
Monday, November 4, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for electors who have lost their absentee ballot or not yet received their ballot in the mail to submit a written request to spoil their absent voter ballot and receive a new absent voter ballot in the clerk's office.	<a href="#">168.765b(7)</a>



Monday, November 4, 2024	Until 4:00 p.m.	Registered voter may apply for AV ballot in person at the clerk's office.	<a href="#">168.759</a>
Tuesday, November 5, 2024	4:00 p.m.	Deadline for emergency absentee voting. (Begins Friday at 5:00 p.m.)	<a href="#">168.759b</a>
Tuesday, November 5, 2024	8:00 p.m.	Election Day registrants may obtain and vote an absent voter ballot in person in clerk's office or vote in person in the proper precinct.	<a href="#">168.761</a>
<b>Tuesday, November 5, 2024</b>	<b>7:00 a.m.- 8:00 p.m.</b>	<b>GENERAL ELECTION</b>	<a href="#">168.641</a>
Thursday, November 7, 2024	9:00 a.m.	Deadline for Boards of County Canvassers to meet to canvass election.	<a href="#">168.821</a>
Friday, November 8, 2024	Until 5:00 p.m.	Deadline for voter to cure the signature on AV ballot return envelope, allowing an otherwise valid ballot to be accepted for tabulation.	<a href="#">168.766</a>
Monday, November 11, 2024		Deadline for a ballot submitted by a MOVE voter and postmarked on or before Election Day to be deemed timely received and counted.	<a href="#">Mich. Const, Art 2 Sec 4</a>
Tuesday, November 12, 2024		Deadline for local clerk to deliver MOVE ballots received within 6 days of Election Day to the county clerk.	<a href="#">168.759a</a>
Tuesday, November 19, 2024		Deadline for boards of county canvassers to complete canvass of November general election; county clerks forward results to the Secretary of State within 24 hours. ( <a href="#">MCL 168.828</a> )	<a href="#">168.822</a>
Monday, November 25, 2024		Deadline for Board of State Canvassers to meet to canvass November general election.	<a href="#">168.842</a>
Thursday, December 5, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline for candidates or ballot questions seeking nomination or election at the November Election to submit the post-election campaign statement.	<a href="#">168.233</a>

