

## 2024 PRIMARY ELECTION CALENDAR

Date/Time	Title	Description
Monday, March 4, 2024	County Candidate Filing Begins	First day for Democratic, Libertarian, Republican candidates for county offices to file nomination papers with the auditor for the primary and general elections. Exception: Ag Extension, Soil & Water and Hospital Trustees (see general election calendar)
Friday, March 22, 2024	County Candidate Filing Deadline	Last day for Democratic, Libertarian and Republican candidates for county offices to file with the auditor. Deadline is 5 p.m.  Auditor's Office open until 5 pm.
Wednesday, March 27, 2024	Withdrawal Deadline	Last day for candidates who filed nomination papers with the auditor to withdraw. Notice of withdrawal must be submitted in writing to the auditor.
Friday, March 29, 2024	Objection Deadline	Last day to file written objections to nomination petitions with the auditor.
Wednesday, May 15, 2024	Absentee Voting By Mail Begins	First day domestic absentee ballots may be mailed to voters.
Wednesday, May 15, 2024	Absentee Voting Begins in Office	First day absentee ballots may be voted in the auditor's office.
Monday, May 20, 2024	Worry-Free Postmark Date	Mailed voter registration forms which are postmarked on or before today are considered on time to be pre-registered for the primary election even if they are received after pre-registration deadline.
Monday, May 20, 2024	Voter Pre-Registration Deadline  Request by Mail Deadline  HCF Requests	The deadline to pre-register to vote for the primary election is 5 pm. This applies to registration in person (including registration at driver's license stations or agencies) or by mail. Voters may register online until 11:59 p.m.  After today, a person may register to vote at the Auditor's Office and vote an absentee ballot. The process is the same as for registering to vote on election day.  Deadline to request an absentee ballot by mail is 5 pm.  Voters admitted to hospitals or nursing homes after 5 pm. today may call to request delivery of an absentee ballot. Deadline for a telephone request is 4 p.m. on election day.  Auditor's Office Open from 8 am - 5 pm.
Monday, May 27, 2024	Memorial Day Holiday	County Offices are closed for the Memorial Day Holiday.
Friday, May 31, 2024	Written Challenge Deadline	Last Day to submit written challenges to absentee voters.  Auditor's Office open until 5 pm.
Saturday, June 1, 2024	Auditor's Office Open	The Auditor's Office must be open for absentee voting and other election business. Auditor's Office open 7 am – 3 pm.

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Monday, June 3, 2024	Absentee Ballot Voting In-Person Deadline	Last day to request and vote an absentee ballot in person at the Auditor's Office.
Tuesday, June 4, 2024	Primary Election Day  Incomplete Affidavit Envelope Correction Deadline  Absentee Ballot Receipt Deadline	All polling places are open 7 am until 8 pm.  Voters have until 8 pm to fix incomplete affidavits.  All absentee ballots – except UOCAVA and Safe at Home– must be received by 8 pm to be considered on time to be counted.
Monday, June 10, 2024	County Canvass of Votes	Board of Supervisors meet to canvass the votes for the primary election.
Thursday, June 13, 2024	Recount Request Deadline	Written requests for a recount must be filed with the County Auditor by 5 pm.  Auditor's Office Open until 5 pm.
Monday, June 17, 2024	Write-In Nominees Filing Deadline	Final day for people nominated by write-in votes for county offices to file an affidavit of candidacy if they wish to have their names on the General Election ballot.  Auditor's Office must be open until 5 pm if a candidate who received enough write-in votes to be nominated has not yet filed an affidavit.