

Region 12 Election Timeline

Election Day: April 1, 2023

Description	Days Before Election	Day of the Week	Deadline
Candidate Filing Period Begins	E-120	Friday	December 2, 2022
Candidate Challenge Period Begins	E-120	Friday	December 2, 2022
Candidate Filing Period Ends	E-74	Tuesday	January 17, 2023 ¹
Documentation Deadline for Candidates	E-71	Friday	January 20, 2023
Last Day to Submit Candidate Challenges	E-68	Monday	January 23, 2023
Candidate Withdrawal Deadline	E-65	Thursday	January 26, 2023
Last Day to Resolve Candidate Challenges	E-65	Thursday	January 26, 2023
Deadline to Announce Board Affirmation	E-65	Thursday	January 26, 2023
Release of Certified List of Candidates	E-60	Tuesday	January 31, 2023
Deadline to Recruit Polling Place	E-60	Tuesday	January 31, 2023
Ballot Development Begins	E-60	Tuesday	January 31, 2023
Vote-By-Mail Application Period Begins	E-60	Tuesday	January 31, 2023
Poll Worker Recruitment Begins	E-60	Tuesday	January 31, 2023
Candidate Photo/Statement Deadline	E-58	Thursday	February 2, 2023
Poll Worker Training	E-45	Wednesday	February 15, 2023
Ballot Mailing Period Begins	E-35	Saturday	February 25, 2023
Complete Ballots	E-25	Tuesday	March 7, 2023
Vote-By-Mail Application Period Ends	E-19	Monday	March 13, 2023
Deadline to Mail Ballots/Resends	E-12	Monday	March 20, 2023
Election Day	0	Saturday	April 1, 2023 ²
Recount/Challenge Filing Period Begins	E+1	Sunday	April 2, 2023
Provisional Voter Document Deadline	E+4	Wednesday	April 5, 2023
Unofficial Results Due	E+5	Thursday	April 6, 2023
Recount/Challenge Filing Period Ends	E+6	Friday	April 7, 2023
Deadline to Receive Postmarked Ballots	E+10	Tuesday	April 11, 2023
Challenge Resolution Deadline	E+11	Wednesday	April 12, 2023
Official Results Due/Certification Deadline	E+13	Friday	April 14, 2023
Retention of NC Materials	E+90 of Region 12 Election Day	TBD	TBD

The City Clerk - Election Division office is open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and will not be open on weekends or holidays.

1. When a deadline falls on a Saturday, Sunday, religious or national holiday, the actual deadline date will be moved to the following City Clerk business day.

2. Ballots must be postmarked by Election Day and received within ten calendar days.