### January, 2024

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<td>Last day for state central committees to notify the secretary of state and the clerk and recorder of each county of the date decided upon to hold its precinct caucus. (Precinct caucuses must be held on a date no earlier than the first Tuesday in March and no later than the first Saturday after the first Tuesday in March)</td>
<td>1-3-102(1)(a)(I)</td>
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<td>Last day to affiliate with a major or minor party in order to run as a party candidate in the June primary (either through nomination or petition) (No later than first business day in January)</td>
<td>1-4-601(4)(a)</td>
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<td><strong>3-January (Wednesday)</strong></td>
<td>Last day to register as unaffiliated, in order to be placed in nomination (by petition) as an unaffiliated candidate. (No later than first business day in January)</td>
<td>1-4-802(1)(g)(II)</td>
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<td><strong>5-January (Friday)</strong></td>
<td>Last day for designated election officials to submit security and contingency plans to the Secretary of State for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 60 days before an election)</td>
<td>1-5-616(5)(b)</td>
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<td>Last day for Secretary of State to certify the names and party affiliations of the candidates to be placed on the March 5th Presidential Primary Election ballot. (No later than 60 days before the presidential primary election)</td>
<td>1-4-1204(1)</td>
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<td>Last day for the Secretary of State to deliver the March 5th Presidential Primary Election ballot order and content to county clerks. (No later than 60 days before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-5-203(1)(a)</td>
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<td>The Secretary of State may cancel the March 5th Presidential Primary Election for any major party if there are no contested races. (By the close of business on the 60th day before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-4-1203(5)</td>
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<td>Last day for the county clerk to send correspondence (by email or mail) to each UOCAVA elector. This correspondence must include information regarding the upcoming elections. (No later than 60 days before the first primary election in an even numbered year)</td>
<td>Rule 16.1.6</td>
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<td>Last day an unaffiliated voter may give notice in writing to the county clerk that he or she wishes to serve as an election judge for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 60 days before primary election)</td>
<td>1-6-103.7</td>
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<td>Last day a county chairperson of a minor political party may certify to the county clerk and recorder an initial list of registered electors recommended to serve as election judges for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 60 days before primary election)</td>
<td>1-6-103.5</td>
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<td>First day that a county clerk or designated election official may hold election judge training for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (Not more than 60 days before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-6-101(5)</td>
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<td><strong>12-January (Friday)</strong></td>
<td>Last day to submit a petition to qualify as a minor political party. (Must be signed by at least 10,000 registered electors and submitted to the Secretary of State) (No later than second Friday in January)</td>
<td>1-4-1302(1)</td>
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<td><strong>16-January (Tuesday)</strong></td>
<td>First day to circulate major party candidate petitions. (Not before third Tuesday in January)</td>
<td>1-4-801(5)</td>
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<td><strong>19-January (Friday)</strong></td>
<td>Last day for the county clerk must provide their SCORE exlection_details_to_dominion export to <a href="mailto:voting.systems@coloradosos.gov">voting.systems@coloradosos.gov</a> for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 45 days before the election)</td>
<td>Rule 11.9.2</td>
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<td>Deadline for county clerk to transmit a primary election ballot to military and overseas voters for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 45 days before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-8.3-110(1) Rule 16</td>
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<td>The county clerk must report to the Secretary of State the number of ballots transmitted to military and overseas electors for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election by the 45-day deadline. (No later than 45 days before the election)</td>
<td>Rule 16.1.7</td>
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<td>First day a county clerk may begin issuing a mail ballot to any eligible elector who requests one in person at the county clerk's office for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No sooner than 45 days before election)</td>
<td>1-7.5-107(2.7)</td>
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<td>30-January</td>
<td>Last day for counties to submit zero result files (data entry counties) or a document listing all ballot content (manual entry counties) to the Secretary of State for Election Night Reporting (ENR) for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 35 days before the election)</td>
<td>Rule 11.9.3</td>
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<td>Last day for the county clerk to provide a list of election judges, including political party affiliations and assignments, if known, to each appointing party for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 35 days before an election)</td>
<td>Rule 6.1.5</td>
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<td>Ballots for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election must be printed and in possession of the county clerk. (No later than 32 days before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-5-402(1)</td>
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<td>County clerk must begin issuing mail ballots for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election to any eligible elector who requests one in person at the county clerk's office. (No later than 32 days before election)</td>
<td>1-7.5-107(2.7)</td>
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<td>Last day for Secretary of State to publish on the Audit Center the risk limits that apply in RLAs for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 32 days before the election)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2(a)</td>
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<td>Last day for the Secretary of State to issue a notice of sufficiency/insufficiency of a petition to qualify as a minor political party. (21 days after receipt of the petition)</td>
<td>1-4-1302(4)(b)</td>
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<td>5-February</td>
<td>First day to circulate minor party candidate petitions. (First Monday in February in the general election year)</td>
<td>1-4-802(1)(d)(ii)</td>
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<td>Last day to change precinct boundaries or create new precincts before the **March 9th Party precinct caucuses. (No later than 29 days before the first Tuesday in March)</td>
<td>1-5-103(1)</td>
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<td>Last day for state central committees to file or amend party bylaws or rules with the Secretary of State. (No bylaw or rule may be filed or amended after the first Monday in February)</td>
<td>1-3-103(9)(a)</td>
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<td>12-February</td>
<td>Last day for voters who are affiliated with a political party to change or withdraw their affiliation if they wish to vote in a different party's primary election for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (Up to and including the 22nd day before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-2-219(1)</td>
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<td>First day that mail ballots for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election may be mailed to voters, except for UOCAVA voters. (Not sooner than 22 days before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-7.5-107(3)(a)(I) Rule 7.2.3</td>
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<td>Last day to submit an application to register to vote in the March 5th Presidential Primary Election through a voter registration drive. (No later than 22 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-2-201(3)(b)(l)</td>
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<td>Last day for county clerks to run SCORE reports for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election that include voter or election details during regular business hours and from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Election Day. (Starting 22 days before election)</td>
<td>Rule 2.13.4</td>
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<td>13-February</td>
<td>Last day for the county clerk to conduct the public Logic and Accuracy Test for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than the 21st day before election day)</td>
<td>Rule 11.3.2(a)</td>
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<td>Last day for a data entry county to upload the LAT results file to ENR for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 21 days before an election)</td>
<td>Rule 11.9.4</td>
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<td>14-February</td>
<td>Last day to post polling location signs for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (At least 20 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-5-106(1)</td>
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<td>Last day for the county clerk to publish notice of the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 20 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-5-205(1)(a)-(d)</td>
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<td>Counties may begin practice conducting the risk limiting audit. (20 days before the election)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2(b)</td>
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<td>16-February</td>
<td>Last day to affiliate with the Republican Party or Democratic Party in order to vote in the **March 9th Party precinct caucuses. (22 days before the precinct caucuses)</td>
<td>1-3-101(1)</td>
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<td>Last day to update your voter registration address to participate in the **March 9th Party precinct caucuses. (Must be a resident of the precinct for 22 days and registered to vote no later than 22 days before the precinct caucus)</td>
<td>1-3-101(1)</td>
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<td>Last day to send out initial mail ballots for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 18 days before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-7.5-107(3)(a)(l)</td>
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<td>Last day for major political parties to appoint members to the county canvass board for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (At least 15 days before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-10-101(1)(a) 1-1-106(5)</td>
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<td>Last day for designated election official to appoint audit board to conduct RLA for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 15 days before election day)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2(c) 1-1-106(5)</td>
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<td>20-February</td>
<td>First day to begin counting mail ballots received for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. No results may be disclosed until after 7:00 p.m. on election day. (No earlier than 15 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-7.5-107.5 1-1-106(4)</td>
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<td>Last day for county clerks to furnish the Republican and Democratic Parties with a list of registered electors in the county who are affiliated with the Party. (No later than 21 days before the **March 9th Party precinct caucuses)</td>
<td>1-3-101(3)(a)</td>
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<td>23-February (Friday)</td>
<td>Deadline for county clerk to post a copy of the published notice of the March 5th Presidential Primary Election in a conspicuous place in the offices of the designated election official or the county clerk. (At least 10 days before the election and until 2 days after the election)</td>
<td>1-5-205(1.3) 1-1-106(5)</td>
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<td>Last day for the county clerk to file the voting system inventory with the Secretary of State for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 10 days before an election)</td>
<td>1-1-106(5) Rule 11.2.3</td>
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<td>26-February to 5-March</td>
<td>The minimum number of required voter service and polling centers must be open for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (Beginning at least 8 days before and on election day, except Sundays)</td>
<td>1-7-5-107 (4.5)(c) Rule 7.8.1(b)</td>
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<td>26-February (Monday)</td>
<td>Last day to post signs for the **March 9th Party precinct caucuses. (No later than 12 days before the precinct caucuses)</td>
<td>1-4-602(4)(a)</td>
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<td>Last day for an individual to submit a voter registration application and still receive a ballot in the mail for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (Through the 8th day before an election)</td>
<td>1-2-201(3)(b)(III)</td>
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<td>Last day for county clerk to designate drop-off, drop box, and Voter Service and Polling Center locations for the June 25th Primary Election. Before designation, clerks must also complete an accessibility survey for all locations. (No later than 120 days before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>Rule 7.9</td>
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<td>27-February (Tuesday)</td>
<td>If the county clerk receives a voter registration application 7 days or less before the March 5th Presidential Primary Election, the clerk must process the application and inform the applicant that they will not receive a mail ballot. To receive a ballot, the applicant must visit a Voter Service and Polling Center.</td>
<td>1-2-201(4) 1-2-217.7(3.5) 1-2-508(3)(a)(I)</td>
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<td>Last day for the county clerk to submit election setup records for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election to the Secretary of State by regular mail to Colorado Secretary of State, Attn: Voting Systems, 1700 Broadway, Ste. 550, Denver, CO 80290. (No later than 5:00 PM on the 7th day before election day)</td>
<td>1-7-510(2) Rule 11.4.3</td>
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<td>First day the minimum number of required Drop Boxes must be open for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (Beginning at least 7 days before an election, including Saturdays and Sundays)</td>
<td>1-7-5-107(4.3)(b)</td>
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<td>29-February (Thursday)</td>
<td>First day that county must begin accepting comments from the public regarding the designation of VSPCs for the 2024 General Election. (250 days before a general election)</td>
<td>1-5-102.9(1)(c)(II)</td>
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<td>Deadline for county clerk and recorder to send the county's precinct files or maps to the Secretary of State. (No later than March 1)</td>
<td>Rule 2.15</td>
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<td>5-March (Tuesday)</td>
<td><strong>Presidential Primary</strong> (A presidential primary election shall be held on a Tuesday on a date designated by the governor not later than the third Tuesday in March in years in which a United States Presidential Election will be held.)</td>
<td>1-4-1202(2) 1-4-1203(1)</td>
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<td>All ballots must be received by the county clerk by 7:00 p.m.</td>
<td>1-7.5-107(4)(b)(II)</td>
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<td>5-March through 9-March</td>
<td><strong>Republican Party and Democratic Party Precinct Caucus Day</strong> (Must be held each even year on a date no earlier than the first Tuesday in March and no later than the first Saturday after the first Tuesday in March)</td>
<td>1-3-102(1)(a)(i)</td>
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<td>7-March (Thu)</td>
<td>Deadline for the county clerk to send missing signature, signature verification, and missing ID letters and emails. (Within 3 days after receipt of ballot missing ID/confirmation of signature deficiency, but no later than 2 days after the March 5th Presidential Primary Election day)</td>
<td>1-7.5-107(3.5)(d) 1-7.5-107.3(2)(a) 1-8.5-105(3)(a) Rules 7.6.1, 7.7.1</td>
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<td>Last day for county clerk to submit an election plan to the Secretary of State for the June 25th Primary Election. (No later than 110 days before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-7.5-105(1) Rule 7.1.1</td>
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<td>8-March (Fri)</td>
<td>Deadline for the Secretary of State to select target contest(s) to be audited in the risk-limiting audit for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 5:00 p.m. MT on the Friday after election day)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2(j)</td>
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<td>11-March (Mon)</td>
<td>Deadline for the Secretary of State to give public notice of the meeting to establish the random seed for the RLA Tool. (At least seven calendar days before the meeting to be held on the thirteenth day after the March 5th Presidential Primary Election)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2(i)</td>
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<td>12-March (Tue)</td>
<td>Last day for county who previously failed to meet 45-day ballot transmission deadline to submit plan to Secretary of State for complying with the deadline for the June 25th Primary Election. (No later than 60 days before the 45 day transmission deadline)</td>
<td>Rule 16.1.8</td>
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<td>13-March (Wed)</td>
<td>Last day for ballots cast by military and overseas electors to be received by the county clerk in order to be counted in the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than the 8th day after election day)</td>
<td>1-8.3-111 1-8.3-113(2) Rule 16.2.1(c)</td>
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<td>Last day for an elector to cure a signature discrepancy or missing signature, or to provide missing ID for mail or provisional ballot to be counted in the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (By 11:59 p.m. MT 8 days after election day)</td>
<td>1-7.5-107(3.5)(d) 1-7.5-107.3(2)(a) 1-8.5-105(3)(a) Rule 7.6.5</td>
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<td>14-March (Thu)</td>
<td>Last day for the county clerk to complete verification and counting of provisional ballots for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (Within 9 days after the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-8.5-105(5)</td>
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<td>15-March (Fri)</td>
<td>County must finish tabulating all in-person and accepted mail ballots cast by voters registered in the county for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. Immediately after completing this tabulation, the county must also generate a summary results report, a results file export suitable for uploading to the Secretary of State's ENR system, and a CVR export. (Complete by 10th day after election day)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2 (e)</td>
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**Primary Election:** June 25, 2024  
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| 15-March (Friday) | Deadline for county conducting a comparison audit to upload:  
- verified and hashed ballot manifest, and the manifest hash value to the Secretary of State's office  
- verified and hashed CVR export, and the CVR export's hash value to the Secretary of State's office  
- RLA tabulation results export to the Secretary of State's election night reporting system. (No later than 5:00 PM MT on the 10th day after the March 5th Presidential Primary Election) | Rule 25.2.2(g)                                                                 |
| 18-March (Monday) | Deadline for Secretary of State to establish a random seed for use with the RLA Tool. (On the 13th day after the March 5th Presidential Primary Election)  
Deadline to notify the counties of the ballots selected to be audited. (No later than 11:59 p.m. MT on the 13th day after the March 5th Presidential Primary Election) | Rule 25.2.2(i)  
Rule 25.2.2(f)                                                                 |
| 19-March (Tuesday) | Last day to file major party candidate petitions. (No later than third Tuesday in March)  | 1-4-801(5)(a)                                                                |
| 26-March (Tuesday) | Deadline for County audit board to sign, date, and submit to the Secretary of State a report of the results of the risk limiting audit for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 5:00 p.m. MT on business day before the canvass deadline) | Rule 25.2.3(d)                                                                |
| 26-March through 30-March | Last possible dates for major parties to hold county assembly. (County assemblies must be held no later than 21 days after precinct caucuses) | 1-4-602(1)(a)(1)                                                             |
| * | County candidates designsations and acceptances must be filed no later than 4 days after the adjournment of the county assembly. If faxed, the original must also be filed and postmarked no later than 10 days after the adjournment of the assembly. | 1-4-601(3)(a)  
1-4-604(3)                                                                 |
| 27-March (Wednesday) | Last day to complete the canvass and submit official abstract of votes cast for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election to the Secretary of State. (No later than the 22nd day after the election)  
Last day for the county clerk to submit a watcher accommodation plan to the Secretary of State for the June 25th Primary Election. (No later than 90 days before an election)  
Last day for county clerk who failed to follow the procedures for a risk limiting audit during the March 5th Presidential Primary Election to submit a written remediation plan to the Secretary of State. (No later than 90 days before the June 25th Primary Election)  
Last day for interested parties to request and file a recount, at their own expense, of the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No sooner than 10 days or later than 22 days after election) | 1-4-1206  
1-10-102(1)  
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<td>County clerk must determine the cost of the recount within 4 days of receiving the request to recount, but no later than 24 days following the election.</td>
<td>1-10.5-106(2)</td>
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<td>28-March (Thursday)</td>
<td>Deadline to upload the final canvass results for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election to the ENR system. (By COB on the first business day after the statutory deadline for completing the canvass)</td>
<td>Rule 11.9.7</td>
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<td>29-March (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day for the Secretary of State to order a complete statutory recount of the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than the 24th day after the election)</td>
<td>1-10.5-102(1)</td>
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<td><strong>April, 2024</strong></td>
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<td>1-April (Monday)</td>
<td>Last day to file minor party candidate petitions. (No later than 85 days before primary election)</td>
<td>1-4-802(1)(f)(II)</td>
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<td>Last day for interested party requesting recount to pay the costs of the recount for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than 27 days after the election)</td>
<td>1-10.5-106(2)</td>
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<td>Last day for county that conducted a comparison risk-limiting audit for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election to review its CVR file and redact CVRs corresponding to any ballot card susceptible of being personally identified with an individual voter if no recount was required or requested. (No later than the third business day following the deadline to request a recount)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.4</td>
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<td>5-April (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day to submit draft ballot issues to the Title Board, if the issue is to appear on the 2024 General Election ballot. (No later than 3 p.m., 12 days before the last Title Board Hearing held on April 17th)</td>
<td>1-40-106(1)</td>
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<td>Last day to complete a statutory recount of any race in the March 5th Presidential Primary Election. (No later than the 31st day after the election)</td>
<td>1-10.5-102(2) 1-10.5-103</td>
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<tr>
<td>9-April (Tuesday)</td>
<td>Last day to complete a recount of the March 5th Presidential Primary Election requested by an interested party. (No later than the 35th day after the Primary Election)</td>
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<td>Last day for any minor party to notify Secretary of State that it is prohibiting unaffiliated electors from voting in its primary. (Not less than 75 days prior to the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-4-1304(1.5)(c)</td>
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<td>Last day for county that conducted a comparison risk-limiting audit for the March 5th Presidential Primary Election to review its CVR file and redact CVRs corresponding to any ballot card susceptible of being personally identified with an individual voter if recount was requested. (no later than the third business day following the deadline to complete requested recount)</td>
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<td>1-4-601(1)(a)</td>
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<td>For major parties, designation and acceptance forms must be filed no later than four days after the adjournment of the assembly. Certificates of designation may be transmitted by facsimile transmission; however, the original certificate must also be filed and postmarked no later than ten days after the adjournment of the assembly.</td>
<td>1-4-604(1)(a), 1-4-604(3), 1-4-601(3)</td>
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<td>For minor parties, designation forms must be filed no later than 4 days after the assembly. Acceptance forms must be postmarked or received by the DEO no later than 4 business days after the filing of the certificate of designation. If faxed, the originals must also be filed and postmarked no later than 10 days after the adjournment of the assembly.</td>
<td>1-4-1304(3), 4</td>
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<td>17-April (Wednesday)</td>
<td>Last day to hold a Title Board hearing for ballot issues that will appear on the 2024 General Election ballot. (No later than 3rd Wednesday in April)</td>
<td>1-40-106(1)</td>
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<td>19-April (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day a write-in candidate may file an Affidavit of Intent for the June 25th Primary Election. (By the close of business on the 67th day before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-4-1102(1)</td>
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<td>26-April (Friday)</td>
<td>The designated election official may cancel the June 25th Primary Election if there are no contested races. (By the close of business on the 60th day before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-4-104.5(1)</td>
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<td>Last day for designated election officials to submit security plan to the Secretary of State for the June 25th Primary Election. (No later than 60 days before the election. Secretary of State will notify DEO of approval/disapproval of plan no later than 15 days after receiving the submission)</td>
<td>1-5-616(5)(b) Rule 20.1</td>
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<td>Last day an unaffiliated voter may give notice in writing to the county clerk that he or she wishes to serve as an election judge for the June 25th Primary Election. (No later than 60 days before primary election)</td>
<td>1-6-103.7</td>
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<td>Last day a county chairperson of a minor political party may certify to the county clerk and recorder an initial list of registered electors recommended to serve as election judges for the June 25th Primary Election. (No later than 60 days before primary election)</td>
<td>1-6-103.5</td>
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<td>First day that a county clerk or designated election official may hold election judge training for the June 25th Primary Election. (Not more than 60 days before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-6-101(5)</td>
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<td>Last day for Secretary of State to certify the names, specify the offices for which nominations are to be made, and set the order of the June 25th Primary Election ballot. (No later than 60 days before the primary election)</td>
<td>1-5-203(1)</td>
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<td>29-April (Monday)</td>
<td>Last day that county must accept comments from the public regarding the designation of VSPCs for the 2024 General Election. (Through the 190th day before a general election)</td>
<td>1-5-102.9(1)(c)(II)</td>
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<td>30-April (Tuesday)</td>
<td>Last day for a major party county chairperson to certify names and addresses of recommended election judges to the county clerk. (No later than the last Tuesday of April)</td>
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<td>Art. VI, Sect. 25, 1-1-106(4)</td>
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<td>9-May</td>
<td>Last day for the Tribal Council of an Indian Tribe located on a Federal Reservation to request that a VSPC be located within the boundaries of the reservation for the 2024 General Election. (No later than 180 days before the date of a general election)</td>
<td>1-5-102.9(1)(b.7)</td>
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<td>10-May</td>
<td>Last day for the county clerk must provide their SCORE election_details_to_dominion export to <a href="mailto:voting.systems@coloradosos.gov">voting.systems@coloradosos.gov</a>. (No later than 45 days before the election)</td>
<td>Rule 11.9.2</td>
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<td>11-May</td>
<td>Deadline for county clerk to transmit a primary election ballot to military and overseas voters for the June 25th Primary Election. (No later than 45 days before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-8.3-110(1), Rule 16</td>
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<td>The county clerk must report to the Secretary of State the number of ballots transmitted to military and overseas electors for the June 25th Primary Election by the 45-day deadline. (No later than 45 days before the election)</td>
<td>Rule 16.1.7</td>
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<td>First day a county clerk may begin issuing a mail ballot to any eligible elector who requests one in person at the county clerk’s office for the June 25th Primary Election. (No sooner than 45 days before election)</td>
<td>1-7.5-107(2.7)</td>
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<td>16-May</td>
<td>First day an unaffiliated candidate may circulate or obtain signatures on a petition for nomination for the 2024 General Election. (No more than 173 days before the general election)</td>
<td>1-4-802(1)(d)(l)</td>
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<td>21-May</td>
<td>Last day for counties to submit zero result files (data entry counties) or a document listing all ballot content (manual entry counties) to the Secretary of State for Election Night Reporting (ENR) for the June 25th Primary Election. Submit to <a href="mailto:voting.systems@coloradosos.gov">voting.systems@coloradosos.gov</a> (No later than 35 days before the election)</td>
<td>Rule 11.9.3</td>
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<td>Last day for the county clerk to provide a list of election judges, including political party affiliations and assignments, if known, to each appointing party for the June 25th Primary Election. (No later than 35 days before an election)</td>
<td>Rule 6.1.5</td>
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<td>24-May</td>
<td>Ballots for the June 25th Primary Election must be printed and in possession of the county clerk. (No later than 32 days before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-5-402(1)</td>
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<td>1-7.5-107(2.7)</td>
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<td>Last day for Secretary of State to publish on the Audit Center the risk limits that apply in RLAs for the June 25th Primary Election. (No later than 32 days before election)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2(a)</td>
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<td>First day for the County Clerk to solicit public comment on proposed locations for voter service and polling centers and drop boxes to be included in the election plan due on July 18th for the November 5th General Election. (55 days before election plan is due)</td>
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<td>1-2-219(1)</td>
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<td>First day that mail ballots for the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong> may be mailed to voters, except for UOCAVA voters. (Not sooner than 22 days before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-7-5-107(3)(a)(l)</td>
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<td>Last day to submit an application to register to vote in the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong> through a voter registration drive. (No later than 22 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-2-201(3)(b)(l)</td>
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<td>Last day for county clerks to run SCORE reports for the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong> that include voter or election details during regular business hours and from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Election Day. (Starting 22 days before election)</td>
<td>Rule 2.13.4</td>
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<td>4-June (Tuesday)</td>
<td>Last day for the county clerk to conduct the public Logic and Accuracy Test for the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong>. (No later than the 21st day before election day)</td>
<td>Rule 11.3.2(a)</td>
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<td>Last day for a data entry county to upload the LAT results file to ENR for the June 30th Primary Election. (No later than 21 days before an election)</td>
<td>Rule 11.9.4</td>
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<td>5-June (Wednesday)</td>
<td>Last day to post polling location signs for the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong>. (At least 20 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-5-106(1)</td>
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<td>Last day for the county clerk to publish notice of the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong>. (No later than 20 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-5-205(1)(a)-(d)</td>
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<td>7-June (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day to send out initial mail ballots for the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong>. (No later than 18 days before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-7-5-107(3)(a)(l)</td>
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<td>8-June (Saturday)</td>
<td>Last day for the County Clerk to solicit public comment on proposed locations for voter service and polling centers and drop boxes to be included in the election plan due on July 18th for the <strong>November 5th General Election</strong>. (40 days before election plan is due)</td>
<td>1-7-5-105(1)(b)</td>
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<td>10-June (Monday)</td>
<td>Last day for major political parties to appoint members to the county canvass board for the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong>. (At least 15 days before the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-10-101(1)(a)</td>
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<td>First day to begin counting mail ballots received for the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong>. No results may be disclosed until after 7:00 p.m. on election day. (No earlier than 15 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-7-5-107.5</td>
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<td>Last day for designated election official to appoint audit board to conduct RLA for the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong>. (No later than 15 days before election day)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2(c)</td>
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<td>14-June (Friday)</td>
<td>Deadline for county clerk to post a copy of the published notice of the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong> in a conspicuous place in the offices of the designated election official or the county clerk. (At least 10 days before the election and until 2 days after the election)</td>
<td>1-5-205(1.3) 1-1-106(5)</td>
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<td>1-1-106(5) Rule 11.2.3</td>
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<td>Last day for an individual to submit a voter registration application and still receive a ballot in the mail for the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong>. (Through the 8th day before an election)</td>
<td>1-2-201(3)(b)(III)</td>
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<td>17-June to 25-June</td>
<td>The minimum number of required voter service and polling centers must be open for the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong>. (Beginning at least 8 days before and on election day, except Sundays)</td>
<td>1-7-5-107(4.5)(c) Rule 7.8.1(b)</td>
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<td>18-June</td>
<td>Last day for the county clerk to submit election setup records for the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong> to the Secretary of State by regular mail to Colorado Secretary of State, Attn: Voting Systems, 1700 Broadway, Ste. 550, Denver, CO 80290. (No later than 5:00 PM on the 7th day before election day)</td>
<td>1-7-510(2) Rule 11.4.3</td>
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<td>If the county clerk receives a voter registration application 7 days or less before the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong>, the clerk must process the application and inform the applicant that they will not receive a mail ballot. To receive a ballot, the applicant must visit a Voter Service and Polling Center. First day the minimum number of required Drop Boxes must be open for the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong>. (Beginning at least 7 days before an election, including Saturdays and Sundays)</td>
<td>1-2-201(4) 1-2-217.7(3.5) 1-2-508(3)(a)(I)</td>
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| 25-June       | **Primary Election**  
(Polls open 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.)                                                                 | 1-4-101(1) 1-7-101(1) Rule 7.8.1(c)          |
|               | All ballots must be received by the county clerk by 7:00 p.m.                                                                                   | 1-7-5-107(4)(b)(II)                         |
| 27-June       | Deadline for the county clerk to send missing signature, signature verification, and missing ID letters and emails. (Within 3 days after receipt of ballot missing ID/confirmation of signature deficiency, but no later than 2 days after the **June 25th Primary Election** day) | 1-7-5-107(3.5)(d) 1-7-5-107.3(2)(a) 1-8-5-105(3)(a) Rules 7.5, 7.6.1 |
| 28-June       | Deadline for the Secretary of State to select target contest(s) to be audited in the risk-limiting audit for the **June 25th Primary Election**. (No later than 5:00 p.m. MT on the Friday after election day) | Rule 25.2.2(j)                               |

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<td>1-5-404(2)</td>
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<td>1-8.3-111, 1-8.3-113(2), Rule 16.1.5</td>
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<td>Last day for an elector to cure a signature discrepancy or missing signature, or to provide missing ID for mail or provisional ballot to be counted in the June 25th Primary Election. (By 11:59 p.m. MT 8 days after election day)</td>
<td>1-7.5-107(3.5)(d), 1-7.5-107.3(2)(a), 1-8.5-105(3)(a), Rule 7.6.1, Rule 7.6.5</td>
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<td>Last day for the county clerk to complete verification and counting of provisional ballots for the June 25th Primary Election. (Within 9 days after the Primary Election)</td>
<td>1-8.5-105(5), 1-1-106(5)</td>
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<td>Deadline for county conducting a comparison audit to upload: -verified and hashed ballot manifest, and the manifest' hash value to the Secretary of State's office -verified and hashed CVR export, and the CVR export's hash value to the Secretary of State's office -RLA tabulation results export to the Secretary of State's election night reporting system. (No later than 5:00 PM MT on the 10th day after the June 25th Primary Election)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2(g)</td>
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<td>County must finish tabulating all in-person and accepted mail ballots cast by voters registered in the county for the June 25th Primary Election. Immediately after completing this tabulation, the county must also generate a summary results report, a results file export suitable for uploading to the Secretary of State’s ENR system, and a CVR export. (Complete by 10th day after election day)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2 (e)</td>
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<td>Last day for county clerk to designate drop-off, drop box, and Voter Service and Polling Center locations for the 2024 General Election. Clerks must also complete an accessibility survey for all locations annually before designation. (No later than 120 days before the election)</td>
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<td>Last day to file an unaffiliated candidate nomination petition. (117 days before the 2024 General Election)</td>
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<td>16-July (Tuesday)</td>
<td>Deadline for County audit board to sign, date, and submit to the Secretary of State a report of the results of the risk limiting audit for the June 25th Primary Election. (No later than 5:00 p.m. MT on business day before the canvass deadline)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.3(a)(1)</td>
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<td>Last day to complete the canvass and submit official abstract of votes cast for the June 25th Primary Election to the Secretary of State. (No later than the 22nd day after the election)</td>
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<td>Deadline to upload the final canvass results for the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong> to the ENR system. (By COB on the first business day after the statutory deadline for completing the canvass)</td>
<td>Rule 11.9.7</td>
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<td>Last day for a write-in candidate to file an Affidavit of Intent for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>. (By the close of business on the 110th day before the General Election)</td>
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<td>Last day for the county clerk to submit an election plan for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong> to the Secretary of State. (No later than 110 days before every election)</td>
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<td>Last day for the Secretary of State to order a complete statutory recount of the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong>. (No later than the 24th day after the election)</td>
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<td>Last day for interested party requesting recount to pay the costs of the recount of the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong>. (No later than 27 days after the election)</td>
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<td>Last day for county who previously failed to meet 45-day ballot transmission deadline to submit plan to Secretary of State for complying with the deadline for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>. (No later than 60 days before the 45 day transmission deadline)</td>
<td>Rule 16.1.8</td>
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<td>26-July</td>
<td>Last day for the Secretary of State to prepare an election notice for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong> to be used in conjunction with a federal write-in absentee ballot. (At least 100 days before a regularly scheduled election)</td>
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<td>Last day for a political subdivision to notify the county clerk in writing that it has taken formal action to participate in the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>. (100 days before the General Election)</td>
<td>1-7-116(5) 1-1-106(5)</td>
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<td>Last day to complete a required statutory recount of any race in the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong>. (No later than the 31st day after the election)</td>
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<td>Last day for county that conducted a comparison risk-limiting audit for the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong> to review its CVR file and redact CVRs corresponding to any ballot card susceptible of being personally identified with an individual voter if recount was required. (no later than the third business day following the deadline to complete <strong>required</strong> recount)</td>
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<td>1-August (Thursday)</td>
<td>Last day for the designated election official to provide a notice of sufficiency/insufficiency regarding unaffiliated candidate nomination petitions for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>. (No later than 96 days before the General Election)</td>
<td>1-4-908(3)</td>
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<td>Last day for county that conducted a comparison risk-limiting audit for the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong> to review its CVR file and redact CVRs corresponding to any ballot card susceptible of being personally identified with an individual voter if recount was requested. (no later than the third business day following the deadline to complete requested recount)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.4</td>
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<td>5-August (Monday)</td>
<td>Last day to file an initiative petition with the Secretary of State for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>, no later than 3:00 p.m. (At least 3 months before the election)</td>
<td>Art V, Sect. 1(2)</td>
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<td>Last day for judicial candidates to file a Declaration of Intent to run for another term. (Not less than 3 months before the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>)</td>
<td>Art. VI, Sect. 25</td>
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<td>7-August (Wednesday)</td>
<td>Last day for the county clerk to submit a watcher accommodation plan for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong> to the Secretary of State. (No later than 90 days before an election)</td>
<td>Rule 8.7</td>
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<td>Last day for county clerk who failed to follow the procedures for a risk limiting audit during the <strong>June 25th Primary Election</strong> to submit a written remediation plan to the Secretary of State. (No later than 90 days before the 2024 General Election)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.5</td>
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<td>Last day for major party to provide updated list of election judges available to work upcoming general election.</td>
<td>Rule 6.1.1</td>
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<td>22-August (Thursday)</td>
<td>Last day for a political party nominating candidates by party assembly/convention to make nominations public. (No later than 75th day before the General Election)</td>
<td>1-4-702(2)</td>
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<td>27-August (Tuesday)</td>
<td>Last day for intergovernmental agreements to be signed by county clerks and political subdivisions. (No later than 70 days before the General Election)</td>
<td>1-7-116(2)</td>
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<td>30-August (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day to submit to the designated election official the designation and acceptance of person filling a vacancy in a major party nomination occurring after the primary election. (No later than the 64th day before the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>)</td>
<td>1-4-1005(3)(c)(I) 1-1-106(5)</td>
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<td>Last day for the designated election official of each political subdivision to certify the ballot order and content for the <strong>2024 General Election.</strong> Each DEO must also deliver the certification to the county clerk for the <strong>2024 General Election.</strong> (No later than 60 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-5-203(3)(a)</td>
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<td>6-September (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day for designated election officials to submit security plans to the Secretary of State. (No later than 60 days before the election. The Secretary of State will notify DEO of approval/disapproval of plan no later than 15 days after receiving the submission)</td>
<td>1-5-616(5)(b) Rule 20.1</td>
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<td>6-September (Friday)</td>
<td>First day the county clerk or designated election official may hold election judge training for the <strong>2024 General Election.</strong> (Not more than 60 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-6-101(5)</td>
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<td>6-September (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day an unaffiliated voter may give notice in writing to the county clerk that he or she wishes to serve as an election judge for the <strong>2024 General Election.</strong> (No later than 60 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-6-103.7</td>
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<td>6-September (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day a county chairperson of a minor political party may certify to the county clerk and recorder an initial list of registered electors recommended to serve as election judges for the <strong>2024 General Election.</strong> (No later than 60 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-6-103.5</td>
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<td>6-September (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day for designated representatives of initiative petition to withdraw the petition from consideration by filing withdrawal letter with Secretary of State. (No later than 60 days before petition is to be voted upon)</td>
<td>1-40-134</td>
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<td>9-September (Monday)</td>
<td>Last day for the Secretary of State to deliver the certification of ballot order and content to each county for the <strong>2024 General Election.</strong> (No later than 57 days before the General Election)</td>
<td>1-5-203(1)(a)</td>
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<td>20-September (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day to file written comments concerning local ballot issues with the designated election official in order to be included in the ballot issue notice. (By noon the Friday before the 45th day before the election)</td>
<td>Art. X, Sect. 20(3)(b)(v) 1-7-901(4)</td>
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<td>20-September (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day for a petition’s representatives to submit a summary of favorable comments for the ballot issue notice. Comments must be submitted to the designated election official. (No later than 44 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-7-903(3) Rule 11.9.2</td>
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<td>20-September (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day for the county clerk must provide their SCORE exlection_details_to_dominion export to <a href="mailto:voting.systems@coloradosos.gov">voting.systems@coloradosos.gov</a>. (No later than 45 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-1-106(5) Rule 11.9.2</td>
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<td>21-September (Saturday)</td>
<td>Last day to transmit ballots and ballot materials to overseas military voters for the <strong>2024 General Election.</strong> (No later than 45 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-8.3-110(1) Rule 16</td>
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## 21-September (Saturday)
**Deadline for clerk to report to the Secretary of State the number of ballots transmitted to military and overseas electors for the 2024 General Election by the 45-day deadline.**

Rule 16.1.7

**First day a county clerk may begin issuing a mail ballots for the 2024 General Election to any eligible elector who requests one in person at the county clerk’s office. (No sooner than 45 days before election)**

1-7.5-107(2.7)

## 23-September (Monday)
**Last day for the designated election official to deliver the full text of any required ballot issue notices to the county clerk. (No later than 43 days before the 2024 General Election)**

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<td>Rule 11.9.3</td>
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<td>1-October (Tuesday)</td>
<td>Last day for the county clerk to provide a list of election judges, including political party affiliations and assignments, if known, to each appointing party for the 2024 General Election. (No later than 35 days before an election)</td>
<td>Rule 6.1.5</td>
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<td>4-October (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day for official ballots for the 2024 General Election to be printed and in the possession of the county clerk. (No later than 32 days before the General Election)</td>
<td>1-5-403(1)</td>
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<td>4-October (Friday)</td>
<td>County clerk must begin issuing mail ballots for the 2024 General Election to any eligible elector who requests one in person at the county clerk’s office. (No later than 32 days before election)</td>
<td>1-7.5-107(2.7)</td>
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<td>4-October (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day to mail notice of a ballot issue election. (At least 30 days before a ballot issue election)</td>
<td>Art. X, Sect. 20(3)(b) 1-1-106(5)</td>
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<td>4-October (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day for Secretary of State to publish on the Audit Center the risk limits that apply in RLAs for the 2024 General Election. (Not later than 32 days before election)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2(a)</td>
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<td>11-October (Friday)</td>
<td>First day that mail ballots for the 2024 General Election may be mailed to voters, except for UOCAVA voters. (Not sooner than 22 days before the election or the previous business day if the 22nd day before the election falls on a holiday recognized by Postal Service)</td>
<td>1-7.5-107(3)(a)(l) Rule 7.2.3</td>
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<td>15-October (Tuesday)</td>
<td>Last day for county clerks to run SCORE reports for the 2024 General Election that include voter or election details during regular business hours and from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Election Day. (Starting 22 days before election)</td>
<td>Rule 2.13.4</td>
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<td>15-October (Tuesday)</td>
<td>Last day for the county clerk to conduct the public Logic and Accuracy Test for the 2024 General Election. (No later than the 21st day before election day)</td>
<td>Rule 11.3.2(a)</td>
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<td>15-October (Tuesday)</td>
<td>Last day to submit an application to register to vote in the 2024 General Election through a voter registration drive. (No later than 22 days before the election or the following business day if the deadline falls on a holiday recognized by the postal service.)</td>
<td>1-2-201(3)(b)(l)</td>
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<td>15-October (Tuesday)</td>
<td>Last day for a data entry county to upload the LAT results file to ENR for the 2024 General Election. (No later than 21 days before an election)</td>
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<td>16-October (Wednesday)</td>
<td>Last day to post polling location signs for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>. (At least 20 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-5-106(1)</td>
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<td>16-October (Wednesday)</td>
<td>Last day for the county clerk to publish notice of the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>. (No later than 20 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-5-205(1)(a)-(d)</td>
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<td>1-5-106(1)</td>
<td>Counties may begin practice conducting the risk limiting audit. (20 days before the election)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2(b)</td>
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<td>18-October (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day to send out initial mail ballots for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>. (No later than 18 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-7.5-107(3)(a)(I)</td>
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<td>21-October to 5-November</td>
<td>The minimum number of required voter service and polling centers must be open for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>. (Beginning at least 15 days before and continuing through election day, except Sundays and the first Saturday of this period)</td>
<td>1-5-102.9(2) Rule 7.8.1(a)</td>
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<td>21-October to 5-November</td>
<td>First day county Drop Boxes must be open to accept mail ballots for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>. (15 days preceding the date of the general election and continuing to election day)</td>
<td>1-5-102.9(5)(c)</td>
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<td>21-October (Monday)</td>
<td>Last day for major political parties to appoint members to the county canvass board for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>. (At least 15 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-10-101(1)(a)</td>
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<td>21-October (Monday)</td>
<td>First day to begin counting mail ballots received for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>. No results may be disclosed until after 7:00 p.m. on election day. (No earlier than 15 days before the election)</td>
<td>1-7.5-107.5</td>
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<td>21-October (Monday)</td>
<td>Last day for designated election official to appoint audit board to conduct RLA for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>. (No later than 15 days before election day)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2(c)</td>
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<td>21-October (Monday)</td>
<td>First day that drop-off location located on federal reservation at the request of the Tribal Council must be open to accept mail ballots for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>. (15 days before the general election through election day)</td>
<td>1-5-102.9(5)(e)</td>
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<td>25-October (Friday)</td>
<td>Last day for the county clerk to file the voting system inventory with the Secretary of State for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>. (No later than 10 days before an election)</td>
<td>Rule 11.2.3 1-1-106(5)</td>
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<td>28-October (Monday)</td>
<td>Last day for an individual to submit a voter registration application and still receive a ballot in the mail for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>. (Through the 8th day before an election)</td>
<td>1-2-201(3)(b)(III)</td>
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<td>29-October (Tuesday)</td>
<td>If the county clerk receives a voter registration application 7 days or less before the <strong>2024 General Election</strong>, the clerk must process the application and inform the applicant that they will not receive a mail ballot. To receive a ballot, the applicant must visit a Voter Service and Polling Center.</td>
<td>1-2-201(4) 1-2-508(3)(a)(i)</td>
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<td>29-October (Tuesday)</td>
<td>Last day for the county clerk to submit election setup records for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong> to the Secretary of State by regular mail to Colorado Secretary of State, Attn: Voting Systems, 1700 Broadway, Ste. 550, Denver, CO 80290. (No later than 5:00 PM on the 7th day before election day)</td>
<td>1-7-510(2) Rule 11.4.3</td>
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<td><strong>General Election</strong>&lt;br&gt;(Polls open 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.)&lt;br&gt;All ballots must be received by the county clerk by 7:00 p.m.</td>
<td>1-1-104(17) 1-4-201 Rule 7.8.1(c)</td>
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<td>7-November</td>
<td>Deadline for the county clerk to send missing signature, signature verification, and missing ID letters and emails. (Within 3 days after receipt of ballot missing ID/confirmation of signature deficiency, but no later than 2 days after the 2024 General Election day)</td>
<td>1-7.5-107(3.5)(d) 1-7.5-107.3(2)(a) 1-8.5-105(3)(a) Rules 7.5</td>
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<td>8-November</td>
<td>Deadline for the Secretary of State to select target contest(s) to be audited in the risk-limiting audit for the 2024 General Election. (No later than 5:00 p.m. MT on the Friday after election day)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2(j)</td>
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<td>8-November</td>
<td>Deadline for the Secretary of State to give public notice of the meeting to establish the random seed for the RLA Tool. (At least seven calendar days before the meeting to be held on the thirteenth day after the 2024 General Election)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2(i) 1-1-106(5)</td>
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<td>13-November</td>
<td>Last day for an elector to cure a signature discrepancy or missing signature, or to provide missing ID for mail or provisional ballot to be counted in the 2024 General Election. (By 11:59 p.m. MT 8 days after election day)</td>
<td>1-7.5-107(3.5)(d) 1-7.5-107.3(2)(a) 1-8.5-105(3)(a) Rule 7.5.1 Rule 7.6.5</td>
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<td>14-November</td>
<td>Last day for ballots cast by military and overseas electors to be received by the county clerk in order to be counted in the 2024 General Election. (No later than the 8th day after election day)</td>
<td>1-8.3-111 1-8.3-113(2) Rule 16.2.1(c)</td>
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<td>15-November</td>
<td>Last day for the county clerk to complete verification and counting of provisional ballots for the 2024 General Election. (Within 9 days after the election)</td>
<td>1-8.5-105(5)</td>
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<td>15-November</td>
<td>Deadline for county conducting a comparison audit to upload:&lt;br&gt;- verified and hashed ballot manifest, and the manifest' hash value to the Secretary of State's office&lt;br&gt;- verified and hashed CVR export, and the CVR export's hash value to the Secretary of State's office&lt;br&gt;- RLA tabulation results export to the Secretary of State’s election night reporting system. (No later than 5:00 PM MT on the 10th day after the 2024 General Election)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2(g)</td>
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<td>15-November</td>
<td>County must finish tabulating all in-person and accepted mail ballots cast by voters registered in the county for the 2024 General Election. Immediately after completing this tabulation, the county must also generate a summary results report, a results file export suitable for uploading to the Secretary of State's ENR system, and a CVR export. (Complete by 10th day after election day)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.2(e)</td>
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<td>Deadline to notify the counties of the ballots selected to be audited. (No later than 11:59 p.m. MT on the 13th day after the 2024 General Election)</td>
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<td>Rule 25.2.2(i)</td>
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<td>26-November</td>
<td>Deadline for County audit board to sign, date, and submit to the Secretary of State a report of the results of the risk limiting audit for the 2024 General Election. (No later than 5:00 p.m. MT on business day before the canvass deadline)</td>
<td>Rule 25.2.3(a)(1)</td>
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<td>Last day to complete the canvass and submit official abstract of votes cast for the 2024 General Election to the Secretary of State. (No later than the 22nd day after the election)</td>
<td>1-10-102(1)</td>
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<td>(Wednesday)</td>
<td>Last day for political subdivision that referred a ballot issue or question that failed for the 2024 General Election, to waive an automatic recount of that issue or question by giving written notice to clerk and recorder. (Within 23 days after election)</td>
<td>1-10.5-103</td>
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<td>Last day for interested parties to request and file a recount, at their own expense, of the 2024 General Election. (No sooner than 10 days or later than 22 days after election)</td>
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<td>* County clerk must determine the cost of the recount within 4 days of receiving the request to recount, but no later than 24 days following the election.</td>
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<td>Deadline to upload the final canvass results for the 2024 General Election to the ENR system. (By COB on the first business day after the statutory deadline for completing the canvass)</td>
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<td>Last day for the Secretary of State to order a complete statutory recount of the 2024 General Election. (No later than the 24th day after the election)</td>
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<td>Last day for the Department of Higher Education to provide enrollment data for the 2024 Fall Semester to the Secretary of State. (On or before December 1st of each general election year)</td>
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<td>Last day for county that conducted a comparison risk-limiting audit for the <strong>2024 General Election</strong> to review its CVR file and redact CVRs corresponding to any ballot card susceptible of being personally identified with an individual voter if recount was <strong>required</strong>. (No later than the third business day following the deadline to complete required recount)</td>
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<td>1-4-304</td>
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**NOTE**

Following the election, the county clerk must report to the Secretary of State in writing the number of ballot return envelopes with discrepant signatures that the clerk forwarded to the district attorney for investigation. | Rule 7.7.13 |

### Note on Computation of Time and Calendar Footnotes

If the last day for any act to be done or the last day of any period is a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday and completion of the act involves a filing or other action during business hours, the period is extended to include the next day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday. |

If a statute or rule requires doing an act in "not less than" or "no later than" or "at least" a certain number of days or "prior to" a certain number of days or a certain number of months before the date of an election, the period is shortened to and ends on the prior business day that is not a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday. |

**Precinct caucus dates to be determined by political parties and may occur between Tuesday, March 5th and Saturday, March 9th. Dates associated with Precinct Caucus day in calendar are tentative and contingent on date/dates set by political party in each county.**