

## 2022 State Primary Election Days, Ballot Qualifying and Filing Deadlines

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Through November 8, 2022, candidates for public office – and in some cases, their donors and vendors – face a series of rolling deadlines related to everything from campaign finance filings to ballot qualifying deadlines to petition signatures to financial disclosures. Many of those deadlines are aligned, in some way, to the date of the primary election in the state where the candidate is running for office. For your reference, we have compiled a chart of the state primary deadlines and qualifying dates for all 50 states and the American territories. We will continue to keep this updated throughout the year should these dates be modified by state laws.

State	Qualifying/Filing Deadline <sup>1</sup>	State Primary	State Primary Runoff	U.S. Senate	U.S. Representative
<b>Alabama</b>	January 28 (U.S. Senate) February 7 (U.S. House) <sup>2</sup>	May 24	June 21	Yes	7
<b>Alaska</b>	June 1	August 16	-	Yes	1
<b>American Samoa</b>	-	-	-	-	1 Delegate
<b>Arizona</b>	April 4	August 2		Yes	9
<b>Arkansas</b>	March 1	May 24	June 21	Yes	4
<b>California</b>	March 11	June 7	-	Yes	52
<b>Colorado</b>	March 22	June 28	-	Yes	8
<b>Connecticut</b>	June 7	August 9	-	Yes	5
<b>Delaware</b>	July 12	September 13	-	No	1
<b>District of Columbia</b>	March 23	June 21	-	-	1 Delegate
<b>Florida</b>	June 17	August 23	-	Yes	28
<b>Georgia</b>	March 11	May 24	June 21	Yes	14
<b>Guam</b>	June 28	August 27	-		1 Delegate
<b>Hawaii</b>	June 7	August 13	-	Yes	2
<b>Idaho</b>	March 11	May 17	-	Yes	2
<b>Illinois</b>	March 14	June 28	-	Yes	17
<b>Indiana</b>	February 4	May 3	-	Yes	9
<b>Iowa</b>	March 18	June 7	-	Yes	4
<b>Kansas</b>	June 1	August 2	-	Yes	4

<sup>1</sup> Filing deadline times vary.

<sup>2</sup> A federal lawsuit extended the filing deadline until February 11; however, the U.S. Supreme Court granted a stay on February 7. Therefore, Alabama is accepting the time the stay was granted as the time that filing ended.

<b>Kentucky</b>	January 25 <sup>3</sup>	May 17	-	Yes	6
<b>Louisiana</b>	July 22	November 8		Yes	6
<b>Maine</b>	March 15	June 14	-	No	2
<b>Maryland</b>	March 22	June 28	-	Yes	8
<b>Massachusetts</b>	May 10	September 6	-	No	9
<b>Michigan</b>	April 19	August 2	-	No	13
<b>Minnesota</b>	May 31	August 9	-	No	8
<b>Mississippi</b>	March 1	June 7	June 28	No	4
<b>Missouri</b>	March 29	August 2	-	Yes	8
<b>Montana</b>	March 14	June 7	-	No	2
<b>Nebraska</b>	February 15 (Incumbents) March 1 (All Others)	May 10	-	No	3
<b>Nevada</b>	March 18	June 14	-	Yes	4
<b>New Hampshire</b>	June 10	September 13	-	Yes	2
<b>New Jersey</b>	April 4	June 7	-	No	12
<b>New Mexico</b>	March 8	June 7	-	No	3
<b>New York</b>	April 7	June 28	-	Yes	26
<b>North Carolina</b>	March 4	May 17	July 26	Yes	14
<b>North Dakota</b>	April 11	June 14	-	Yes	1
<b>N. Mariana Islands</b>	-	-	-		1 Delegate
<b>Ohio</b>	February 2 (U.S. Senate) March 4 (U.S. House)	May 3	-	Yes	15
<b>Oklahoma</b>	April 15	June 28	August 23	Yes	5
<b>Oregon</b>	March 8	May 17	-	Yes	6
<b>Pennsylvania</b>	March 8	May 17	-	Yes	17
<b>Puerto Rico</b>	-	-	-	-	Occurs in Presidential Years
<b>Rhode Island</b>	June 29	September 13	-	No	2
<b>South Carolina</b>	March 30	June 14	June 28	Yes	7
<b>South Dakota</b>	March 29	June 7	-	Yes	1
<b>Tennessee</b>	April 7	August 4	-	No	9
<b>Texas</b>	December 13	March 1	May 24	No	38
<b>Utah</b>	March 4	June 28	-	Yes	4
<b>Vermont</b>	May 26	August 9	-	Yes	1
<b>Virginia</b>	April 7	June 21	-	No	11
<b>Virgin Islands</b>	May 17	August 6	-	-	1 Delegate
<b>Washington</b>	May 20	August 2	-	Yes	10
<b>West Virginia</b>	January 29	May 10	-	No	2
<b>Wisconsin</b>	June 1	August 9	-	Yes	8
<b>Wyoming</b>	May 27	August 16	-	No	1

<sup>3</sup> Extended by the state legislature by HB 172 for the 2022 cycle only.

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