

2018 Elections Calendar
May 8th Primary and Orange County School Board Elections
November 6th General Election

Primary Election

- **February 12th, Monday, Noon - Filing for office begins*.**
***Judicial Candidates and Soil and Water District Supervisors begin filing in June.**
- **February 28th, Wednesday, Noon - Filing for office ends.**
- **March 19, Monday - Absentee Ballots by Mail should be available (50 Days before the Primary). Absentee Ballot Requests *must* be submitted using the required Absentee Ballot Request Form, and may be submitted anytime through May 1st, 5:00 p.m.**
- **April 13, Friday, 5:00 p.m. - Registration Books Close.**
- **April 19, Thursday - Early Voting Begins. Same Day Registration is allowed during the Early Voting period. All Same Day Registrants must bring a valid form of id showing their correct name and current address. It does not have to be a photo id.**

Early Voting Schedule
- **May 1, Tuesday, 5:00 p.m. - Last day to request Absentee Ballots by Mail. If there is a medical emergency or an on-going medical issue, contact our office for specifics on requesting an absentee ballot after the deadline.**
- **May 5, Saturday, 1:00 p.m. - Early Voting ends.**
- **May 8, Tuesday, 5:00 p.m. - Absentee Ballot return deadline.**
- **May 8, Tuesday - ELECTION DAY - Polls will be open 6:30 a.m. until 7:30 p.m. on Election Day**

- **June 11, Monday, Noon - Soil and Water District Supervisor Filing begins.**
- **June 18, Monday, Noon - Judicial Candidate Filing begins.**
- **June 29, Friday, Noon - Judicial Candidate Filing ends.**
- **July 6, Friday, Noon - Soil and Water District Supervisor Filing ends.**

Second Primary if required

- **June 26, Tuesday - ELECTION DAY - If NO Federal offices are involved.**
- **July 17, Tuesday - ELECTION DAY - If Federal offices are involved.**

General Election

- **September 7, Friday- Absentee Ballots by Mail should be available (60 Days before the General Election). Absentee Ballot Requests *must* be submitted using the required Absentee Ballot Request Form, and may be submitted anytime through October 30th, 5:00 p.m.**
- **October 12, Friday, 5:00 p.m. - Registration Books Close.**
- **October 18, Thursday - Early Voting Begins. Same Day Registration is allowed during the Early Voting period. All Same Day Registrants must bring a valid form of id showing their correct name and current address. It does not have to be a photo id.**
- **October 30, Tuesday, 5:00 p.m. - Last day to request Absentee Ballots by Mail. If there is a medical emergency or an on-going medical issue, contact our office for requirements to request an absentee ballot after the deadline.**
- **November 3, Saturday, 1:00 p.m. - Early Voting ends.**
- **November 6, Tuesday, 5:00 p.m. - Absentee Ballot return deadline.**
- **November 6, Tuesday - ELECTION DAY - Polls will be open 6:30 a.m. until 7:30 p.m. on Election Day.**