Region 3 Election Timeline

Election Day: June 3, 2025

Description	Days Before Election	Day of the Week	Deadline
Candidate Filing Period Begins	E-123	Friday	January 31, 2025
Candidate Challenge Period Begins	E-123	Friday	January 31, 2025
Candidate Filing Period Ends	E-78	Monday	March 17, 2025
Documentation Deadline for Candidates	E-75	Thursday	March 20, 2025
Last Day to Submit Candidate Challenges	E-70	Tuesday	March 25, 2025
Candidate Withdrawal Deadline	E-65	Sunday	March 30, 2025
Last Day to Resolve Candidate Challenges	E-61	Thursday	April 3, 2025
Deadline to Announce Board Affirmation	E-60	Friday	April 4, 2025
Release of Certified List of Candidates	E-60	Friday	April 4, 2025
Ballot Development Begins	E-60	Friday	April 4, 2025
Vote-By-Mail Application Period Begins	E-60	Friday	April 4, 2025
Candidate Photo/Statement Deadline	E-35	Tuesday	April 29, 2025
Ballot Mailing Period Begins	E-35	Tuesday	April 29, 2025
Ballot Development Deadline	E-25	Friday	May 9, 2025
Vote-By-Mail Application Period Ends	E-7	Tuesday	May 27, 2025
Mail Ballots/Resends Deadline	E-7	Tuesday	May 27, 2025
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Recount/Challenge Filing Period Begins	E+1	Wednesday	June 4, 2025
Unofficial Results Due	E+7	Tuesday	June 10, 2025
Recount/Challenge Filing Period Ends	E+8	Wednesday	June 11, 2025
Deadline to Receive Postmarked Ballots	E+10	Friday	June 13, 2025
Challenge Resolution Deadline	E+14	Tuesday	June 17, 2025
Official Results Due/Certification Deadline	E+15	Wednesday	June 18, 2025
Retention of NC Materials	E+60 of Region 4 Election Day	Monday	August 25, 2025

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