

## Region 9 Election Timeline

**Election Day: April 1, 2025**

Description	Days Before Election	Day of the Week	Deadline
Candidate Filing Period Begins	E-123	Friday	November 29, 2024
Candidate Challenge Period Begins	E-123	Friday	November 29, 2024
Candidate Filing Period Ends	E-70	Tuesday	January 21, 2025 <sup>2</sup>
Documentation Deadline for Candidates	E-67	Friday	January 24, 2025 <sup>2</sup>
Last Day to Submit Candidate Challenges	E-65	Sunday	January 26, 2025
Candidate Withdrawal Deadline	E-65	Sunday	January 26, 2025
Last Day to Resolve Candidate Challenges	E-61	Thursday	January 30, 2025
Deadline to Announce Board Affirmation	E-60	Friday	January 31, 2025
Release of Certified List of Candidates	E-60	Friday	January 31, 2025
Ballot Development Begins	E-60	Friday	January 31, 2025
Vote-By-Mail Application Period Begins	E-60	Friday	January 31, 2025
Candidate Photo/Statement Deadline	E-35	Tuesday	February 25, 2025
Ballot Mailing Period Begins	E-35	Tuesday	February 25, 2025
Ballot Development Deadline	E-25	Friday	March 7, 2025
Vote-By-Mail Application Period Ends	E-8	Monday	March 24, 2025
Mail Ballots/Resends Deadline	E-7	Tuesday	March 25, 2025
<b>Election Day</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>April 1, 2025 <sup>1</sup></b>
Recount/Challenge Filing Period Begins	E+1	Wednesday	April 2, 2025
Unofficial Results Due	E+7	Tuesday	April 8, 2025
Recount/Challenge Filing Period Ends	E+8	Wednesday	April 9, 2025
Deadline to Receive Postmarked Ballots	E+10	Friday	April 11, 2025
Challenge Resolution Deadline	E+14	Tuesday	April 15, 2025
Official Results Due/Certification Deadline	E+15	Wednesday	April 16, 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.

2. Deadline moved to following day due religious or national holiday.