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**Special Election Duties and Deadlines
 -- 13th and 25th State House Districts --**

This calendar lists the duties and deadlines associated with the special election called by Governor Whitmer to fill the vacancies in the offices of State Representative, 13th and 25th districts. All deadlines elapse at 5:00 p.m. unless otherwise specified. Any questions about other applicable dates and deadlines may be directed to the Bureau of Elections.

Candidates wishing to file should submit an affidavit of identity and a \$100 filing fee (or nominating petitions) to the appropriate filing official. Candidates seeking nomination in the 13th district should file with the Bureau of Elections. Candidates seeking nomination for the 25th district should file with the Wayne County Clerk's Office.

Date	Event
11/22/2023	Governor Calls Special Election
11/27/2023 by 4:00 pm	Candidate Filing Deadline (200-400 signatures or \$100. Due to the filing official).
11/30/2023 by 4:00 pm	Deadline for partisan candidates to withdraw.
12/16/2023	Deadline for clerks to electronically transmit or mail (as requested) an absent voter ballot to each absent UOCAVA (uniformed services or overseas) voter who applied for an absent voter ballot 45 days or more before the election (MOVE deadline).
	County clerks deliver AV ballots to local clerks.
12/21/2023	AV ballots must be made available for issuance to voters.
12/31/2023	Deadline for notice of days and hours for voter registration at clerk's office to be published in the newspaper. If considered advisable by the township or city clerk, notice may also be posted in at least two conspicuous places in each precinct. Notice must include offices and proposals that will be on the ballot.
1/15/2024	Last day to register in any manner other than in-person with the local clerk.
1/16/2024	In-person registration with local clerk with proof of residency allowed between this date and Election Day.
1/17/2024 by 4:00 pm	Deadline for candidates without political party affiliation to file Affidavits of Identity and qualifying petitions with the filing official.
1/19/2024 by 4:00 pm	Write-in candidates file Declaration of Intent forms.
1/22/2024 by 4:00 pm	Deadline for candidates without political party affiliation to withdraw from the special election.
1/30/2024	SPECIAL PRIMARY ELECTION
1/30/2024	Last day for minor parties to hold county caucuses to nominate candidates for special election. Filing deadline is 1 business day after the conclusion of the county caucus.

2/7/2024 by 9:00 am	County Canvass of primary election begins.
3/2/2024	Deadline for clerks to electronically transmit or mail (as requested) an absent voter ballot to each absent UOCAVA (uniformed services or overseas) voter who applied for an absent voter ballot 45 days or more before the election (MOVE deadline).
3/7/2024	Absent Ballots must be made available for issuance to voters.
3/17/2024	Deadline for notice of days and hours for voter registration at clerk's office to be published in the newspaper. If considered advisable by the township or city clerk, notice may also be posted in at least two conspicuous places in each precinct. Notice must include offices and proposals that will be on the ballot.
4/1/2024	Last day to register in any manner other than in-person with the local clerk.
4/2/2024	In-person registration with local clerk with proof of residency allowed between this date and Election Day.
4/5/2024 by 4:00 pm	Write-in candidates file Declaration of Intent forms.
4/16/2024	SPECIAL GENERAL ELECTION
4/18/2024 by 9:00 am	Deadline for boards of county canvassers to meet to canvass election.
4/30/2024	Deadline for boards of county canvassers to complete canvass of special general election; county clerk forwards results to the Secretary of State within 24 hours