

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
BUREAU OF COMMISSIONS, ELECTIONS AND LEGISLATION

**2009 PENNSYLVANIA ELECTIONS
IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER**

First day to circulate and file nominations petitions	February 17
Last day to circulate and file nomination petitions	March 10
First day to circulate and file nomination papers	March 11
Last day for withdrawal by candidates who filed nomination petitions	March 25
Last day to REGISTER before the primary	April 20
Last day to apply for a civilian absentee ballot	May 12
Last day for County Board of Elections to receive voted civilian..... absentee ballots	May 15
MUNICIPAL PRIMARY	May 19
First day to REGISTER after primary	May 20
Last day for County Board of Elections to receive voted military and..... overseas absentee ballots (must be postmarked no later than May 18)	May 26
Last day to circulate and file nomination papers	August 3
Last day for withdrawal by candidates nominated by nomination papers	August 10
Last day for withdrawal by candidates nominated at the primary	August 10
Last day to REGISTER before the NOVEMBER election	October 5
Last day to apply for a civilian absentee ballot	October 27
Last day for County Boards of Elections to receive voted civilian..... absentee ballots	October 30
MUNICIPAL ELECTION	November 3
First day to REGISTER after November election	November 4
Last day for County Board of Elections to receive voted military and..... overseas absentee ballots (must be postmarked no later than November 2)	November 10

Note: All dates in this calendar are subject to change without notice.