

2015
ELECTION CONSOLIDATION CALENDAR

This edition of the 2015 Election Calendar has been updated due to amendatory change during the 2015 session of the Idaho Legislature. Last updated June 2015.

December 2014	County Clerk publishes the election calendar for 2015. (Sec. 34-1405, Idaho Code)
January 19 (Holiday)	Last day to certify the wording to the County Clerk for a bond or levy election by a school district or a recall election by any political subdivision which is ordered for the March 10 election. (Sec. 34-106, Idaho Code)
January 23	Last day for the County Clerk to submit a request to the Secretary of State for a modification of election procedures for joint districts for the March 10 election. (Sec. 34-1413, Idaho Code)
January 29	Last day for the Secretary of State to approve requested modification of election procedures for joint districts for the March 10 election. (Sec. 34-1413, Idaho Code)
February 6	Last day for County Commissioners to designate polling places prior to March 10 election. (Sec. 34-302, Idaho Code)
February 6	County Clerk to appoint election personnel for the March 10 election.
February 6	County Clerk to mail absentee ballots for the March 10 election to voters who requested absentee ballots.
February 13	Last day to pre-register to vote with the County Clerk until 5:00 p.m. for the March 10 election. Registration closes in those districts holding a March 10 election. Election Day Registration is available. (Sec. 34-408, Idaho Code)
February 14-24	County Clerk to mail ballots for the March 10 election to voters in designated Mail Ballot Precincts. (Sec. 34-308, Idaho Code)
February 23	Last day to begin Early Voting at the Early Voting Polling Place for the March 10 election for those counties who elect to conduct Early Voting. (Sec. 34-1012, Idaho Code)
February 26	First notice of election is published for the March 10 election by the County Clerk in the official newspaper(s) of the county. (Sec. 34-602 and 34-1406, Idaho Code)
February 26	Last day for the County Clerk to receive written requests for the purpose of authorizing persons to act as challengers at the polling place for the March 10 election. (Sec. 34-304, Idaho Code)
March 4	Last day for an application for a mail-in absentee ballot to be received by the County Clerk not later than 5:00 p.m. for the March 10 election. (Sec. 34-1002, Idaho Code)

- March 5 Second notice of election for the March 10 election is published by the County Clerk in the official newspaper(s) of the county. Facsimile sample ballot published at this time. Published in at least two newspapers within the county, if possible. (Sec. 34-602, 34-1406, and 34-2425, Idaho Code and Secretary of State Directive)
- March 6 Last day for in-person absentee voting until 5:00 p.m. for the March 10 election at the absent elector's polling place. (Sec. 34-1002, Idaho Code)
- March 6 Last day for Early Voting until 5:00 p.m. for the March 10 election at the Early Voting polling place. (Sec. 34-1012, Idaho Code)
- March 6-13 County Clerk publishes the notice of candidate filing deadline for the May 19 election during this week in the official newspaper(s) of the political subdivision. (Sec. 34-1405, Idaho Code)
- March 10 Last day to return absentee ballots to the County Clerk's Elections Office by 8:00 p.m. for the March 10 election. (Sec. 34-1005, Idaho Code)
- March 10 Election 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. (*) At Clerk's option, polling places may be opened at 7:00 a.m. (Sec. 34-106 and 34-1101, Idaho Code)
- March 10 County Clerk's office to remain open 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., if the county is holding an election. (Sec. 34-211, Idaho Code)
- March 11 Registration reopens. (Sec. 34-408, Idaho Code)
- March 20 Last day for the Board of County Commissioners to meet and canvass the vote for the March 10 election. (Sec. 34-1410, Idaho Code)
- March 20 County Clerk to certify election results to the political subdivisions for the March 10 election. This date depends upon the date the County Board of Canvassers meets. The results should be certified to the political subdivision(s) immediately after the County Canvassers meet. (Sec. 34-1410, Idaho Code)
- March 20 Last day for filing declarations of candidacy until 5:00 p.m. for candidates for the May 19 election with the clerk of the political subdivision. This filing is for political subdivision candidates. (Sec. 34-1404, Idaho Code)
- March 27 Last day for the clerk of the political subdivision to certify the nominees and any special questions placed by action of the governing board of the political subdivision for the May 19 election. (Sec. 34-1404, Idaho Code)
- March 30 Last day for a political subdivision to certify the wording to the County Clerk for a bond, levy, initiative, referendum, recall or any other ballot question ordered for the May 19 election. (Sec. 34-106, Idaho Code)
- April 3 Last day declaration of intent to be filed by a write-in candidate with the clerk of the district for the May 19 election. This filing is for political subdivision candidates. (Sec.

34-1407, Idaho Code)

- April 3 Last day a candidate for the May 19 election to withdraw before the May 19 election. (Sec. 34-1405A, Idaho Code)
- April 3 Last day for the County Clerk to submit a request to the Secretary of State for a modification of election procedures for joint districts for the May 19 election. (Sec. 34-1413, Idaho Code)
- April 9** Last day for a supporter or opponent of a ballot measure which appeared on the March 10 election to request a recount with the County Clerk. This date is dependent upon when the County canvasses the election results (i.e. 20 days from canvass). (Sec. 34-2301, Idaho Code)
- April 9** Last day for an elector to contest the March 10 election by filing in the proper court. This date is dependent upon when the County canvasses the election results (i.e. 20 days from canvass). (Sec. 34-2008, Idaho Code)
- April 9 Last day for the Secretary of State to approve requested modification of election procedures for joint districts for the May 19 election. (Sec. 34-1413, Idaho Code)
- April 17 County Clerk to mail absentee ballots for the May 19 election to voters who requested absentee ballots.
- April 17 Last day for County Commissioners to designate polling places prior to the May 19 election. (Sec. 34-302, Idaho Code)
- April 17 County Clerk to appoint election personnel for the May 19 election.
- April 24 Last day to pre-register to vote with the County Clerk until 5:00 p.m. for the May 19 election. Registration closes in those districts holding a May 19 election. Election Day Registration is available. (Sec. 34-408, Idaho Code)
- April 25-May 5 County Clerk to mail ballots for the May 19 election to voters in designated Mail Ballot Precincts. (Sec. 34-308, Idaho Code)
- May 4 Last day to begin Early Voting at the Early Voting Polling Place for the May 19 election for those counties who elect to conduct Early Voting. (Sec. 34-1012, Idaho Code)
- May 7 First notice of election is published for the May 19 election by the County Clerk in the official newspaper(s) of the county. Published in at least two newspapers within the county, if possible. (Sec. 34-602 and 34-1406, Idaho Code)
- May 7 Last day for the County Clerk to receive written requests for the purpose of authorizing persons to act as watchers and challengers at the polling place for the May 19 election. (Sec. 34-304, Idaho Code)
- May 8 Last day for the County Clerk to examine election register and note challenges from the March 10 election. (Sec. 34-432, Idaho Code)

- May 13 Last day for an application for a mail-in absentee ballot to be received by the County Clerk not later than 5:00 p.m. for the May 19 election. (Sec. 34-1002, Idaho Code)
- May 14 Second notice of election for the May 19 election is published by the County Clerk in the official newspaper(s) of the county. Facsimile sample ballot published at this time. Published in at least two newspapers within the county, if possible. (Sec. 34-602, 34-1406, and 34-2425, Idaho Code and Secretary of State Directive)
- May 15 Last day for in-person absentee voting until 5:00 p.m. for the May 19 election at the absent elector's polling place. (Sec. 34-1002, Idaho Code)
- May 15 Last day for Early Voting until 5:00 p.m. for the May 19 election at the Early Voting polling place. (Sec. 34-1012, Idaho Code)
- May 19 Last day to return absentee ballots to the County Clerk's Elections Office by 8:00 p.m. for the May 19 election. (Sec. 34-1005, Idaho Code)
- May 19 Election 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. (*) At Clerk's option, polling places may be opened at 7:00 a.m. (Sec. 34-106 and 34-1101, Idaho Code)
- May 19 County Clerk's office to remain open 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., if the county is holding an election. (Sec. 34-211, Idaho Code)
- May 20 Registration reopens. (Sec. 34-408, Idaho Code)
- May 29 Last day for the Board of County Commissioners to meet and canvass the vote for the May 19 election. (Sec. 34-1410, Idaho Code)
- May 29 County Clerk to certify election results to the political subdivisions for the May 19 election. This date depends upon the date the County Board of Canvassers meets. The results should be certified to the political subdivision(s) immediately after the County Canvassers meet. (Sec. 34-1410, Idaho Code)
- June 1 Clerk of the political subdivision issues certificates of election for the May 19 election. (Sec. 34-1410, Idaho Code)
- June 18** Last day for a candidate or a supporter or opponent of a ballot measure which appeared on the May 19 election to request a recount with the County Clerk. This date is dependent upon when the County canvasses the election results (i.e. 20 days from canvass). (Sec. 34-2301, Idaho Code)
- June 18** Last day for an elector to contest the May 19 election by filing in the proper court. This date is dependent upon when the County canvasses the election results (i.e. 20 days from canvass). (Sec. 34-2008, Idaho Code)
- July 6 Last day to certify the wording to the County Clerk for a bond or levy election by a school district or a recall election by any political subdivision which is ordered for the August 25 election. (Sec. 34-106, Idaho Code)

- July 10 Last day for the County Clerk to submit a request to the Secretary of State for a modification of election procedures for joint districts for the August 25 election. (Sec. 34-1413, Idaho Code)
- July 16 Last day for the Secretary of State to approve requested modification of election procedures for joint districts for the August 25 election. (Sec. 34-1413, Idaho Code)
- July 17 Last day for the County Clerk to examine election register and note challenges from the May 19 election. (Sec. 34-432, Idaho Code)
- July 24 Last day for County Commissioners to designate polling places prior to the August 25 election. (Sec. 34-302, Idaho Code)
- July 24 County Clerk to appoint election personnel for the August 25 election.
- July 24 County Clerk to mail absentee ballots for the August 25 election to voters who requested absentee ballots.
- July 31 Last day to pre-register to vote with the County Clerk until 5:00 p.m. for the August 25 election. Registration closes in those districts holding an August 25 election. Election Day Registration is available. (Sec. 34-408, Idaho Code)
- August 1-11 County Clerk to mail ballots for the August 25 election to voters in designated Mail Ballot Precincts. (Sec. 34-308, Idaho Code)
- August 10 Last day to begin Early Voting at the Early Voting Polling Place for the August 25 election for those counties who elect to conduct Early Voting. (Sec. 34-1012, Idaho Code)
- August 13 First notice of election is published for the August 25 election by the County Clerk in the official newspaper(s) of the county. (Sec. 34-602 and 34-1406, Idaho Code)
- August 13 Last day for the County Clerk to receive written requests for the purpose of authorizing persons to act as challengers at the polling place for the August 25 election. (Sec. 34-304, Idaho Code)
- August 19 Last day for an application for a mail-in absentee ballot to be received by the County Clerk not later than 5:00 p.m. for the August 25 election. (Sec. 34-1002, Idaho Code)
- August 20 Second notice of election for the August 25 election is published by the County Clerk in the official newspaper(s) of the county. Facsimile sample ballot published at this time. Published in at least two newspapers within the county, if possible. (Sec. 34-602, 34-1406, and 34-2425, Idaho Code and Secretary of State Directive)
- August 21 Last day for in-person absentee voting until 5:00 p.m. for the August 25 election at the absent elector's polling place. (Sec. 34-1002, Idaho Code)
- August 21 Last day for Early Voting until 5:00 p.m. for the August 25 election at the Early Voting polling place. (Sec. 34-1012, Idaho Code)

- August 21-28 COUNTY CLERK publishes notice of candidate filing deadline for the November 3 election during this week in the official newspaper(s) of the political subdivision. (Sec. 34-1405, Idaho Code)
- August 21-28 CITY CLERK to publish notice of candidate filing deadline for the November 3 election during this week in the official newspaper(s) of the city. (Sec. 50-411, Idaho Code)
- August 24 First day to file beginning at 8 a.m. as a candidate for the CITY ELECTION to be held on November 3. Filing is with the CITY CLERK. (Sec. 50-410, Idaho Code)
- August 25 Last day to return absentee ballots to the County Clerk's Elections Office by 8:00 p.m. for the August 25 election. (Sec. 34-1005, Idaho Code)
- August 25 Election 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. (*) At Clerk's option, polling places may be opened at 7:00 a.m. (Sec. 34-106 and 34-1101, Idaho Code)
- August 25 County Clerk's office to remain open 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., if county is holding an election. (Sec. 34-211, Idaho Code)
- August 26 Registration reopens. (Sec. 34-408, Idaho Code)
- September 4 Last day for the Board of County Commissioners to meet and canvass the vote for the August 25 election. (Sec. 34-1410, Idaho Code)
- September 4 County Clerk to certify election results to the political subdivisions for the August 25 election. This date depends upon the date the County Board of Canvassers meets. The results should be certified to the political subdivision(s) immediately after the County Canvassers meet. (Sec. 34-1410, Idaho Code)
- September 4 Last day to file until 5:00 p.m. as a candidate for the CITY ELECTION to be held on November 3. Filing is with the CITY CLERK. (Sec. 50-410, Idaho Code)
- September 4 Last day for filing declarations of candidacy until 5:00 p.m. for candidates for the November 3 election with the clerk of the political subdivision. This filing is for political subdivision candidates. (Sec. 34-1404, Idaho Code)
- September 11 Last day for the clerk of the political subdivision to certify the nominees and any special questions placed by action of the governing board of the political subdivision for the November 3 election. (Sec. 34-1404, Idaho Code)
- September 14 Last day for a political subdivision to certify the wording to the County Clerk for a bond, levy, initiative, referendum, recall or any other ballot question ordered for the November 3 election. (Sec. 34-106, Idaho Code)
- September 18 Last day declaration of intent to be filed by a write-in candidate with the clerk of the political subdivision for the November 3 election. This filing is for political subdivision candidates. (Sec. 34-1407, Idaho Code)

September 18	Last day a candidate for the November 3 election to withdraw before the November 3 election. (Sec. 34-1405A, Idaho Code)
September 18	Last day for the County Clerk to submit a request to the Secretary of State for a modification of election procedures for joint districts for the November 3 election. (Sec. 34-1413, Idaho Code)
September 24	Last day for the Secretary of State to approve requested modification of election procedures for joint districts for the November 3 election. (Sec. 34-1413, Idaho Code)
September 24	Last day for a supporter or opponent of a ballot measure which appeared on the August 25 election to request a recount with the County Clerk. This date is dependent upon when the County canvasses the election results (i.e. 20 days from canvass). (Sec. 34-2301, Idaho Code)
September 24	Last day for an elector to contest the August 25 election by filing in the proper court. This date is dependent upon when the County canvasses the election results (i.e. 20 days from canvass). (Sec. 34-2008, Idaho Code)
October 2	Last day for County Commissioners to designate polling places prior to the November 3 election. (Sec. 34-302, Idaho Code)
October 2	County Clerk to appoint election personnel for the November 3 election.
October 2	County Clerk to mail absentee ballots for the November 3 election to voters who requested absentee ballots.
October 6	Last day declaration of intent to be filed by a write-in candidate with the CITY CLERK for the November 3 city election. (Sec. 50-410, Idaho Code)
October 9	Last day to pre-register to vote with the County Clerk until 5:00 p.m. for the November 3 election. Registration closes in those districts holding a November 3 election. Election Day Registration is available. (Sec. 34-408, Idaho Code)
October 10-20	County Clerk to mail ballots for the November 3 election to voters in designated Mail Ballot Precincts. (Sec. 34-308, Idaho Code)
October 19	Last day to begin Early Voting at the Early Voting Polling Place for the November 3 election for those counties who elect to conduct Early Voting. (Sec. 34-1012, Idaho Code)
October 22	First notice of election is published for the November 3 election by the County Clerk in the official newspaper(s) of the county. Published in at least two newspapers within the county, if possible. (Sec. 34-602 and 34-1406, Idaho Code)
October 22	Last day for the County Clerk to receive written requests for the purpose of authorizing

persons to act as watchers and challengers at the polling place for the November 3 election. (Sec. 34-304, Idaho Code)

- October 23 Last day for the County Clerk to examine election register and note challenges from the August 25 election. (Sec. 34-432, Idaho Code)
- October 28 Last day for an application for a mail-in absentee ballot to be received by the County Clerk not later than 5:00 p.m. for the November 3 election. (Sec. 34-1002, Idaho Code)
- October 29 Second notice of election for the November 3 election is published by the County Clerk in the official newspaper(s) of the county. Facsimile sample ballot published at this time. Published in at least two newspapers within the county, if possible. (Sec. 34-602, 34-1406, and 34-2425, Idaho Code and Secretary of State Directive)
- October 30 Last day for in-person absentee voting until 5:00 p.m. for the November 3 election at the absent elector's polling place. (Sec. 34-1002, Idaho Code)
- October 30 Last day for Early Voting until 5:00 p.m. for the November 3 election at the Early Voting polling place. (Sec. 34-1012, Idaho Code)
- November 3 Last day to return absentee ballots to the County Clerk's Elections Office by 8:00 p.m. for the November 3 election. (Sec. 34-1005, Idaho Code)
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- November 4 Registration reopens. (Sec. 34-408, Idaho Code)
- November 13 Last day for the Board of County Commissioners to meet and canvass the vote for the November 3 election. (Sec. 34-1410, Idaho Code)
- November 13 County Clerk to certify election results to the political subdivisions for the November 3 election. (Sec. 34-1410, Idaho Code)
- November 16 Clerk of the political subdivision issues certificates of election for the November 3 election. (Sec. 34-1410, Idaho Code)
- December 3** Last day for a candidate or a supporter or opponent of a ballot measure which appeared on the November 3 election to request a recount with the County Clerk. This date is dependent upon when the County canvasses the election results (i.e. 20 days from canvass). (Sec. 34-2301, Idaho Code)
- December 3** Last day for an elector to contest the November 3 election by filing in the proper court. This date is dependent upon when the County canvasses the election results (i.e. 20 days from canvass). (Sec. 34-2008, Idaho Code)
- December 3 If authorized by City ordinance pursuant to 50-612 and 50-707B, Idaho Code, last day

for a run-off city election between the two candidates receiving the highest number of votes cast if no candidate receives a majority of the votes cast. (Sec. 50-612 and Sec. 50-707B, Idaho Code)

January 1, 2016 Last day for the County Clerk to examine election register and note challenges from the November 3 election. (Sec. 34-432, Idaho Code)