

2023 Key Dates for Jurisdictions

February 14, 2023 Special Election

December 16	Last day to file a resolution Explanatory statement and committee appointments due
December 20	Pro/con statements due
December 22	Pro/con rebuttal statements due
December 27	Voters' pamphlet proofs sent
December 29	Voters' pamphlet proof response due
January 13	Overseas, service, and out of state ballots mailed
January 25	Ballots and voters' pamphlets mailed Vote Center at King County Elections opens
January 26	Ballot drop boxes open
February 6	Deadline to register or update your registration online or by mail
February 14 Election Day	Last day to register in person and vote Ballots must be postmarked by today or returned to a ballot drop box by 8 p.m.
February 24	Election certification

April 25, 2023 Special Election

February 24	Last day to file a resolution Explanatory statement and committee appointments due
February 28	Pro/con statements due
March 2	Pro/con rebuttal statements due
March 10	Voters' pamphlet proofs sent
March 13	Voters' pamphlet proof response due
March 24	Overseas, service and out of state ballots mailed
April 5	Ballots and voters' pamphlets mailed Vote Center at King County Elections opens
April 6	Ballot drop boxes open
April 17	Deadline to register or update your registration online or by mail
April 25 Election Day	Last day to register in person and vote Ballots must be postmarked by today or returned to a ballot drop box by 8 p.m.
May 5	Election certification

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August 1, 2023 Primary Election

May 12	Last day to file a resolution Committee appointments due
May 14	Last day that a vacancy will cause an office to file during regular filing (RCW 29A.24.171)
May 15 - 19	Candidate filing
May 16	Explanatory statements due
May 22	Last day for candidates to withdraw
May 23	Pro/con statements due
May 25	Pro/con rebuttal statements due
May 26	Candidate statements and photos due
June 9	Voters' pamphlet proofs sent
June 12	Voters' pamphlet proof response due
June 16	Overseas, service and out of state ballots mailed
July 11	Local voters' pamphlets mailed to all residential households in King County
July 12	Ballots mailed Vote Center at King County Elections opens
July 13	Ballot drop boxes open
July 24	Deadline to register or update your registration online or by mail
July 29	Additional vote centers open
August 1 Election Day	Last day to register in person and vote Ballots must be postmarked by today or returned to a ballot drop box by 8 p.m.
August 15	Election certification

November 7, 2023 General Election

August 1	Last day to file a resolution Committee appointments due
August 4	Explanatory statements due Candidate statements and photos due
August 8	Pro/con statements due
August 10	Pro/con rebuttal statements due
September 8	Voters' pamphlet proofs sent
September 11	Voters' pamphlet proof response due
September 22	Overseas, service and out of state ballots mailed
October 17	Local voters' pamphlets mailed to all residential households in King County
October 18	Ballots mailed Vote Center at King County Elections opens
October 19	Ballot drop boxes open
October 30	Deadline to register or update your registration online or by mail
November 4	Additional vote centers open
November 7 Election Day	Last day to register in person and vote Ballots must be postmarked by today or returned to a ballot drop box by 8 p.m.
November 28	Election certification