

May 19, 2026 Primary Election

Important dates for the May 19, 2026 Primary Election

- [For Candidates](#)

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- **01/19/26** First day to file candidate statements for county voters' pamphlet.
- **01/29/26** First day for district candidate to file declaration of candidacy or nominating petition.
- **03/03/26** Last day for **incumbent** candidates to file for office (*excluding PCP's*)
- **03/10/26** Last day for **non-incumbent** candidate to file for office'
- **03/10/26** Last day for **district** candidate to withdraw
- **03/12/26** Last day for candidate's statement to be filed for inclusion in **County voters' pamphlet (County, City, District)**
- **03/13/26** Last day for **candidate**, other than district candidate, to withdraw
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- [For Districts & Jurisdictions](#)

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- **02/27/26** Last day for governing body to file ballot title for publication of notice OR Referral text for drafting of ballot title (SEL 805)
- **03/19/26** Last day for a Measure and Explanatory Statement to be filed
 - (SEL 801) County
 - (SEL 802) City
 - (SEL 803) District
- **03/23/26** Last day for measure arguments to be filed for inclusion in voters' pamphlet

- [For Voters](#)

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- **04/04/26** Last day to print and mail ballots to military/overseas voters
- **04/06/26** First day to provide in person or by mail a ballot to voter who will be away during an election
- **04/09/26** Lincoln County drop boxes open
- **04/20/26** First day to mail Ballots to out of state voters
- **04/22/26** Voters Pamphlets Delivered to Oregon Residents
- **04/28/26** Last day to register to vote or change party affiliation
- **04/29/26** First day to mail Ballots to voters
- **05/05/26** Last day to mail Ballots
- **05/14/26** Last day Election Official to mail replacement ballots to voters

- **05/19/26 Election Day**

- **05/26/26 Last Day to Receive Valid Postmarked Ballots by Mail**