

2023

STATE OF DELAWARE ELECTION CALENDAR

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DATE All times are Eastern (local) time	EVENT	Delaware Code, Title 15 Section reference(s) (unless otherwise noted)
December 31, 2022	Campaign Finance Year-End Report period ends for all political committees (which includes candidate committees, political committees, and political action committees).	§ 8030(b)(1)
January 20, 2023 by 11:59 p.m.	DEADLINE for all political committees (which includes candidate committees, political committees, and political action committees) to file the 2022 Year-End Campaign Finance report (must be filed electronically using the online Delaware Campaign Finance Reporting System).	§ 8030(c)(1)
March 3, 2023 4:30 p.m.	DEADLINE for candidates for school board elections to file notice of candidacy, and to file proof that their background check has been requested under § 309 of Title 31 of the Delaware Code.	Title 14 § 1075(a)(1)
May 5, 2023	DEADLINE for the Department of Elections Offices to mail absentee ballots for School Board Elections, provided the request for such ballot was received by noon on May 5, 2023.	Title 14 § 1086(b)(2)
May 8, 2023 by 12:00 noon	DEADLINE for the Department of Elections Offices to issue absentee ballots for School Board Elections to those individuals who have lawfully entitled to them.	Title 14 § 1086(b)(3)
May 9, 2023	School Board Elections Polls open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Title 14 § 1072(c)
May 9, 2023 by 8:00 p.m.	DEADLINE for voters to return voted School Board Election absentee ballots to the Department of Elections County Office conducting the election.	Title 14 § 1086(b)(4)

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May 11, 2023 [tentative] [but, in no event, later than May 24, 2023]	Certification of the School Board Election results by each of the Department of Elections County Offices conducting the election.	Title 14 § 1083(a)
Within 48 hours of the certification of the School Board Election results	Department of Elections conducts public audit of the School Board Election results from randomly selected voting machines using the selection criteria in § 5012A(b) of Title 15 of the Delaware Code.	§ 5012A(b)&(d)
Within 96 hours of the certification of the School Board Election results	DEADLINE for 25 or more persons who voted in a School Board Election to request, in accordance with 14 <i>Del. C.</i> § 1083(e), a recompilation of the results.	Title 14 § 1083(e)
Within 60 days of the certification of the School Board Election results	Department of Elections conducts public audits of the School Board Election results from randomly selected voting machines using the selection criteria in § 5012A(c) of Title 15 of the Delaware Code.	§ 5012A(c)&(d)
Within 60 days of each of the audits of the School Board Election results	Department of Elections publishes report of School Board Election audit results and posts the report on the Department’s website.	§ 5012A(e)
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