



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

CITY OF VERNON GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION APRIL 9, 2024

DATES	EVENTS
<p>(2023) DEC. 11 (M) E-120</p>	<p>ADOPTION OF ELECTION RESOLUTION (FOR OFFICE CONTESTS) Recommended last day for City Council to adopt resolution calling a General or Special Municipal Election for city elected officials.</p> <p>CITY RESOLUTION — CANDIDATE STATEMENTS Last day for the City Council to adopt resolution determining or amending the word limitation for candidate statements (200 words), and whether advance payment is required. (E. C. § 13307)</p>
<p>DEC. 18 (M) (2024) E-113 JAN. 16 (Tu) E-84 5:30 P.M.</p>	<p>NOMINATION PERIOD First and last day for candidates to file nomination documents with the City Clerk. (E. C. §§ 10220, 10224 and 10407)</p> <p>CANDIDATE STATEMENTS During this period candidates may file with the City Clerk a candidate statement not to exceed the word limitation (200 words) for inclusion in the Vote By Mail material. The statement shall be filed no later than the last day to file nomination documents. (E. C. § 13307)</p>
<p>DEC. 18 (M) E-113</p>	<p>NOTICE OF ELECTION — PUBLICATION On or before this date the City Clerk shall publish a notice of election. (E. C. § 12101 and Govt. Code § 6061)</p>

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JAN. 16 (Tu)
E-84
5:30 P.M.

NOMINATION DOCUMENTS — DEADLINE DATE

Last day for candidates to file nomination documents with the City Clerk.
(E. C. §§ 10220, 10224 and 10407)

CANDIDATE WITHDRAWAL

No candidate whose Declaration of Candidacy has been filed may withdraw after this date.
(E. C. § 10224)

ELECTION REQUESTS

Last day City Clerk can file a resolution with the Board of Supervisors and the Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk requesting services for the election. A resolution placing a measure on the ballot shall contain the ballot wording which cannot exceed **75 words**.
(E. C. §§ 10402 and 13247)

JAN. 17 (W)
E-83

JAN. 22 (M)
E-78
5:30 P.M.

NOMINATION EXTENSION PERIOD (IF INCUMBENT DOES NOT FILE)

If nomination documents for an incumbent are not filed by **5:30 p.m. on January 16, 2024**, the nomination period shall be extended until **January 22, 2024 at 5:30 p.m.**, for persons other than the incumbent.
(E. C. § 10225)

NOTE: The extension does not apply where there is no incumbent eligible to be elected.

JAN. 17 (W)
E-83

JAN. 29 (M)
E-71

PUBLIC EXAMINATION PERIOD

Recommended period for the City Clerk to make available candidate statements, candidate names and ballot designations for public examination. A fee may be charged to any person obtaining a copy of the material. During this period any person may file a writ of mandate or an injunction to require any or all of the data/material in a candidate statement to be amended or deleted.
(E. C. § 13313)

For candidate names and ballot designations, a writ of mandate may be filed pursuant to E.C. § 13314.

NOTE: If the nomination period is extended for a particular office, the examination period for that office shall be adjusted to **January 23 through February 1**.

** January 13, 20 and 27 (Saturdays) and January 21 and 28 (Sundays) - RRCC office will be closed.

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JAN. 17 (W)
E-83

AMENDMENT OR WITHDRAWAL OF MEASURE — DEADLINE

Last day for county elections official to receive a resolution from a legislative body requesting to withdraw or amend any measure previously submitted for placement on the ballot.
(E. C. § 9605)

MEASURE LETTER DESIGNATION

Last day for a City Clerk to request a specific letter designation in writing for a measure appearing on the ballot. An alternate choice should be submitted in case the requested designation has already been assigned.

JAN. 18 (Th)
E-82
11:00 A.M.

RANDOMIZED ALPHABET DRAWING

The Secretary of State shall hold a public drawing to determine the order of candidate names to appear on the ballot by randomly drawing each letter of the alphabet.
(E. C. § 13112)

JAN. 19 (F)
E-81

LIST OF CANDIDATES — COPY OF CANDIDATE STATEMENTS

No later than this date the City Clerk shall deliver to the county elections official a certified list of qualified candidate names, ballot designations and residence addresses.
(E. C. §§ 10402 and 10403)

A legible copy of each candidate statement to be included in the Vote By Mail material shall be delivered to the county elections official by this date.

NOTE: The name on the candidate statement **MUST** match the name on the certified list of qualified candidates.

MEASURES — LETTER DESIGNATION

Scheduled date for the county elections official to notify the City Clerk of letter assigned to ballot measure(s).

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JAN. 19 (F) E-81	<p>IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS — LAST DAY TO SUBMIT TO CITY CLERK Recommended last day for the City Attorney to transmit impartial analysis of measure to the City Clerk. (E. C. § 9280)</p> <p>ARGUMENTS — LAST DAY TO SUBMIT TO CITY CLERK Last day to submit arguments “FOR” or “AGAINST” any city measure to the City Clerk if measure election is called 14 days prior. Arguments may not exceed 300 words in length. (E. C. §§ 9282 and 9286)</p> <p>NOTE: The deadline to submit direct or primary arguments will vary depending on the date the election is called.</p>
JAN. 20 (Sa)** JAN. 29 (M) E-80** E-71	<p>PUBLIC EXAMINATION PERIOD FOR BALLOT MEASURE MATERIALS Recommended period for the City Clerk to make available for public examination, a copy of ballot measure text, impartial analysis and arguments for a measure. A fee may be charged to any candidate/person obtaining a copy of the materials. During this period any person may file a writ of mandate or an injunction to require any or all of the data/material to be amended or deleted. (E. C. § 9295)</p> <p>MEASURE ENCLOSURES No later than January 22, 2024 the City Clerk shall deliver a copy of each argument, ordinance text, analysis and any other ballot data/material to the county elections official for inclusion in the Vote By Mail material.</p>
JAN. 29 (M) E-71	<p>REBUTTALS — LAST DAY TO SUBMIT TO CITY CLERK Last day for authors of arguments “FOR” and “AGAINST” any city measure to submit rebuttals (if permitted) to the City Clerk (based on the direct/primary argument deadline earlier in this timeline. A rebuttal may not exceed 250 words (E. C. § 9285)</p>

** January 20 and 27 (Saturdays) and January 21 and 28 (Sundays) - RR/CC office will be closed.

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<p>JAN. 30 (Tu) E-70</p>	<p>REBUTTALS — LAST DAY TO SUBMIT TO COUNTY Recommended last day for the City Clerk to submit rebuttals to the county elections official for inclusion in the Vote By Mail material.</p>
<p>JAN. 30 (Tu) E-70</p> <p>FEB. 8 (Th) E-61</p>	<p>PUBLIC EXAMINATION PERIOD FOR REBUTTALS Recommended period for the City Clerk to make available rebuttals for public examination. A fee may be charged to any candidate/person obtaining a copy of the data/material. During this period any person may file a writ of mandate or an injunction to require any or all of the data/material to be amended or deleted. (E. C. § 9295)</p>
<p>FEB. 5 (M) E-64</p> <p>FEB. 9 (F) E-60</p>	<p>BALLOT PROOFS Recommended period for the county elections official to deliver copies of official ballot proofs to the City Clerk for approval.</p> <p>NOTE: Corrections to any ballot material must be submitted to the county elections official within 24 hours of receipt.</p>
<p>FEB. 12 (M) E-57</p> <p>MAR. 26 (Tu) E-14</p>	<p>STATEMENT OF WRITE-IN CANDIDACY A name written on a ballot will not be counted unless the person has filed during this period a Statement of Write-In Candidacy and sponsor signatures stating that he or she is a write-in candidate for the election. (E. C. §§ 8600, 8601 and 10103)</p>
<p>MAR. 11 (M) E-29</p>	<p>MAILING OF VOTE BY MAIL BALLOTS No later than 29 days before the day of the election, the county elections official shall begin mailing the materials required by Section 3010. (E. C. § 3001(b) and 3010)</p>
<p>MAR. 25 (M) E-15</p>	<p>CLOSE OF REGISTRATION Last day to transfer or register to vote in the election. (E. C. § 2102)</p>

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APR. 9 (Tu)
8:00 P.M.
ELECTION
DAY

ELECTION DAY

Voting is from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
(E. C. §14212)

VOTE BY MAIL BALLOTS RETURNED — 8:00 P.M.

Last day for Vote By Mail ballots to be received or turned in personally by the voter. An authorized representative may return the voted ballot under specified conditions.
(E. C. §§ 3017 and 3020)

Any Vote By Mail ballot cast under this division shall be timely cast if it is received by the voter's elections official via the United States Postal Service or a bona fide private mail delivery company no later than three days after election day in addition to the provisions set forth in E. C. 3020, Sections 1 and 2.

(E. C. § 3020(b) Section 1 and 2)