

## Election Deadlines for the November 8, 2016 General Election

\*\*\*NOTE: These are a condensed list of election deadlines for the November 8th General Election that pertain to the General Public. A complete list of deadlines can be seen on the Secretary of States web site [www.sos.state.ne.us](http://www.sos.state.ne.us)

- July 11** First day to accept early voting ballot request for the General election
- July 15** Last day for incumbents (any current office holder) not on the primary ballot to file: Public Power District Board Members (grossing less than 40 million); Reclamation Districts; Education Service Unit Board Members; County Weed Boards; Township Officers; Village Board of Trustees; and Class II Schools
- August 1** Last day for non-incumbents (new filers) to file for office: Public Power District Board Members (grossing less than 40 million); Reclamation Districts; Education Service Unit Board Members; County Weed Boards; Township Officers; Village Board of Trustees; and Class II Schools
- August 1** Last day for a candidate to withdraw their name and decline to be a candidate for those whose filing deadlines are July 15th and August 1st
- September 1** Last day a political subdivision may submit a special issue for general ballot
- September 1** Last day for filing for office by petition
- October 3** Deadline to have early voting ballots in office ready to be mailed for delivery to registered voters prior to statewide general election
- October 10** First day for in person Early Voting at the Election Office
- October 21** Postmark deadline for mailed in voter registrations; voter registrations being done by DMV and County Treasurers; and voter registrations be completed at/or returned to State Agencies or Departments.  
This is also the deadline for a voter registration form to be delivered to the election office by someone other than the person registering to vote in the upcoming election.

<b>October 21</b>	First day the Clerks and Election Commissioners may extend their office hours for the purpose of voter registration
<b>October 28</b>	Last day for write-in candidate to file notarized affidavit and filing fee with filing officer
<b>October 28</b>	Last day for in person voter registration - 6:00 p.m.
<b>October 28</b>	<b>Last day to receive an application for Early Voting Ballot(s) to be mailed to a specific address</b> Pursuant to LB874 (2016) the deadline for receiving an early voting request for a ballot to be mailed has changed from 4 pm on the Wednesday before the election (deadline prior to LB874 (2016) would have been November 2, 2016) - <b>to the close of business on the second Friday before election.</b>
<b>November 7</b>	Last day for Early Voting - in person - at the County Clerk's office
<b>November 8</b>	Election Day
<b>November 8</b>	At 7:00 p.m. deadline for agent to pickup Early Voting Ballot(s)
<b>November 8</b>	At 8:00 p.m. deadline for ALL Early Voting Ballots to be returned to the County Clerk's office