

2017 ELECTION CALENDAR

That the Preliminary Election be held on Tuesday, September 19, 2017 and the Municipal Election be held on Tuesday, November 7, 2017 for the purpose of nominating candidates and electing Councillors-At-Large, Ward Councillors, and members of the School Committee. Fifty (50) certified signatures needed on Nomination Papers. The polls will be open at 7:00 A.M. and close at 8:00 P.M. In addition, the following dates, times and purposes shall apply:

Date	Time	Day	Purpose
MAY 1, 2017	---	MONDAY	NOMINATION PAPERS AVAILABLE
JUNE 30, 2017	5:00 PM	FRIDAY	LAST DAY & HOUR TO FILE NOMINATION PAPERS FOR ALL OFFICES WITH THE REGISTRARS.
JULY 13, 2017	5:00 PM	THURSDAY	LAST DAY & HOUR TO FILE A STATEMENT OF CANDIDACY WITH THE CITY CLERK (ON NOMINATION PAPERS)
JULY 14, 2017	9:00 AM	FRIDAY	POST LIST OF CANDIDATES
JULY 19, 2017	5:00 PM	WEDNESDAY	LAST DAY & HOUR FOR FILING WITHDRAWALS OF/OR OBJECTIONS TO, NOMINATION PAPERS FOR ALL OFFICES DRAWING FOR BALLOT POSITION
JULY 24, 2017	10:00 AM	MONDAY	
AUGUST 30, 2017	8:00 PM	WEDNESDAY	LAST DAY & HOUR TO REGISTER TO VOTE FOR THE PRELIMINARY ELECTION
SEPTEMBER 12, 2017	9:00 AM	TUESDAY	POST WARRANT
SEPTEMBER 19, 2017	7:00 AM	TUESDAY	PRELIMINARY ELECTION
	8:00 PM		POLLS OPEN 7:00 AM TO 8:00 PM
SEPTEMBER 25, 2017	5:00 PM	MONDAY	LAST DAY AND HOUR FOR FILING WITHDRAWALS OF OR OBJECTIONS TO NOMINATIONS MADE AT THE PRELIMINARY AND FILING WRITTEN ACCEPTANCES BY WRITE-IN OR STICKER CANDIDATES WHO WON IN THE PRELIMINARY WITH THE CITY CLERK
OCTOBER 18, 2017	8:00 PM	WEDNESDAY	LAST DAY & HOUR TO REGISTER TO VOTE FOR THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION
OCTOBER 30, 2017	5:00 PM	MONDAY	LAST DAY & HOUR FOR ALL CANDIDATES AND POLITICAL COMMITTEES TO FILE CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTS WITH THE CITY CLERK
OCTOBER 31, 2017	9:00 AM	TUESDAY	POST WARRANT
NOVEMBER 7, 2017	7:00 AM	TUESDAY	MUNICIPAL ELECTION
	8:00 PM		
NOVEMBER 17, 2017	5:00 PM	FRIDAY	LAST DAY TO FILE RECOUNT PETITION
JANUARY 22, 2018	5:00 PM	MONDAY	LAST DAY & HOUR FOR ALL CANDIDATES & POLITICAL COMMITTEES TO FILE CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTS WITH THE CITY CLERK

INAUGURATION DAY – SUNDAY, JANUARY 7, 2018

READ AND ADOPTED: _____

ATTEST: _____

**Rosario C. Malone, CMC
City Clerk**

APPROVED: _____

**Jeannette A. McCarthy
Mayor**