

# 2018 MINNESOTA UNIFORM SPECIAL ELECTION DATES CALENDAR

## NOTES ON THE CALENDAR

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This calendar lists important election dates related to the 2018 Election Cycle. Date entries include citations to Minnesota Statutes or Minnesota Rules. [Minnesota Statutes and Rules](http://www.revisor.leg.state.mn.us) are available at <http://www.revisor.leg.state.mn.us>. In all matters, Minnesota Election Law is the final authority, not this calendar. Changes to Minnesota Election Law enacted by the Minnesota State Legislature in 2018 may alter dates or other information on this calendar. For the most current version of this document please check the Secretary of State's [Election Calendars](http://www.sos.state.mn.us/election-administration-campaigns/election-administration/election-calendars/) webpage at <http://www.sos.state.mn.us/election-administration-campaigns/election-administration/election-calendars/>.

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### Geographic Definitions

- Metro Towns (M.S. 200.02, subd. 24): Towns located in Anoka, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin, Isanti, Ramsey, Scott, Sherburne, Washington, and Wright Counties.
- Metropolitan area (M.S. 473.121, subd. 2): The area over which the Metropolitan Council has jurisdiction, including only the counties of Anoka, Carver, Dakota excluding the cities of Northfield and Cannon Falls; Hennepin excluding the cities of Hanover and Rockford; Ramsey; Scott excluding the city of New Prague; and Washington.

### Calculation of Dates

Dates on the 2018 Minnesota Combined Election Calendar are calculated in the following manner, pursuant to M.S. 331A.08, subds. 1-2; 645.13-.15; & .151: When counting the number of days before an election or other event, the day before the event is the first day counted. When counting the number of days after an election or other event, the day after the event is the first day counted. When the last day falls on a weekend or legal holiday, that day is usually omitted from the computation.

Note: When Minnesota Election Law requires that a jurisdiction's administrative action be taken on or before a date that falls on a weekend, this calendar usually uses the previous Friday date to ensure timely action."

### Relevant law on the calculation of dates

- 645.13 Time; publication for successive weeks.  
When the term "successive weeks" is used in any law providing for the publishing of notices, the word "weeks" shall be construed as calendar weeks. The publication upon any day of such weeks shall be sufficient publication for that week, but at least five days shall elapse between each publication. At least the number of weeks specified in ""successive weeks"" shall elapse between the first publication and the day for the happening of the event for which the publication is made.

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- 645.15 Computation of time.  
Where the performance or doing of any act, duty, matter, payment, or thing is ordered or directed, and the period of time or duration for the performance or doing thereof is prescribed and fixed by law, the time, except as otherwise provided in sections 645.13 and 645.14, shall be computed so as to exclude the first and include the last day of the prescribed or fixed period or duration of time. When the last day of the period falls on Saturday, Sunday or a legal holiday, that day shall be omitted from the computation.
- 645.151 Timely delivery or filing.  
When an application, payment, return, claim, statement or other document is to be delivered to or filed with a department, agency or instrumentality of this state or of a political subdivision on or before a prescribed date and the prescribed date falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, it is timely delivered or filed if it is delivered or filed on the next succeeding day which is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday.
- 331A.08 Computation of time.  
Subd. 1. Time for publication. The time for publication of public notices shall be computed to exclude the first day of publication and include the day on which the act or event, of which notice is given, is to happen or which completes the full period required for publication.  
Subd. 2. Time for act or proceeding. The time within which an act is to be done or proceeding had or taken, as prescribed by the rules of procedure, shall be computed by excluding the first day and including the last. If the last day is Sunday or a legal holiday the party shall have the next secular day in which to do the act or take the proceeding."

### **Special Elections Uniform Election Dates**

- There are now only 5 uniform election dates on which counties, cities, towns & school districts may hold special elections. These dates fall within the months of February, April, May, August and November. Towns with March general elections may hold special elections for vacancies or questions on the March election date as well.
- Timelines for items such as candidate filing notices, candidate filing periods, canvass board meetings & contest/recount periods have been excluded from the February, April & May uniform election dates because there are too many variables; jurisdiction holding the special election, the type of special election & if the election "standalone" or held "in conjunction" with another jurisdiction.
- Timelines that are universal to all jurisdictions, standalone or those held in conjunction & types of special elections are included."

## UNIFORM SPECIAL ELECTION DATES CALENDAR

Begin Date	End Date	Description of Activity	Statute or Rule	Affected Group	Activity Type
November 07, 2017 Tuesday	November 07, 2017 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to designate location for <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> Absentee Ballot voting. Assistive voting device required for all Absentee Ballot voting locations, except towns having a standalone special election that are not required to have an assistive voting device at the election day poll location - 14 weeks before election. M.S. 203B.081, subd. 2	203B.081, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
November 15, 2017 Wednesday	November 15, 2017 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to notify OSS of a county, municipality or school district's use of electronic rosters (e-pollbooks) for the first time in the <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> election. Precincts are to be identified. Valid for those precincts for subsequent elections until revoked. If precincts are added later, a new notification is required - at least 90 days before the <i>first</i> election. M.S. 201.225, subd. 6(a)	201.225, subd. 6(a)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
November 15, 2017 Wednesday	November 15, 2017 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for municipality to authorize mail balloting for local elections by resolution (revocation of resolution has same deadline) before <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> special elections - no later than 90 days prior to the first election at which mail balloting will be used. M.S. 204B.45, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 2	204B.45, subd. 1; 8210.3000, subp. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot

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November 15, 2017 Wednesday	November 15, 2017 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for jurisdiction to call for a <i>mail election</i> for a <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> "question-only" special election. <i>Mail election</i> expires at end of election - 90 days prior to mail election. <i>M.S. 204B.46; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 2</i>	204B.46; 8210.3000, subp. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Election
November 23, 2017 Thursday	November 23, 2017 Thursday	<b>Thanksgiving Holiday:</b> No public business shall be transacted, except in cases of necessity. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday
November 24, 2017 Friday	November 24, 2017 Friday	<b>Day After Thanksgiving Holiday:</b> Political subdivisions have the option of determining whether Friday after Thanksgiving day shall be a holiday. Where it is determined that day after Thanksgiving is not a holiday, public business may be conducted. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday
December 01, 2017 Friday	December 01, 2017 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to provide written notice of <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> special and/or mail elections to auditor (if notice is not provided earlier than this date). Last day to provide notice of special election <i>cancellation</i> . Last day for auditor to notify OSS of special and/or mail elections by scheduling the election in SVRS – at least 74 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.46; 205.10, subd. 6; 205.16, subds. 4 &amp; 5; 205A.05, subd. 3; 205A.07, subds. 3 &amp; 3b; 447.32, subd. 3</i>	204B.46; 205.10, subd. 6; 205.16, subds. 4 & 5; 205A.05, subd. 3; 205A.07, subds. 3 & 3b; 447.32, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice

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December 01, 2017 Friday	December 01, 2017 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for <u>school district</u> to provide written notice to Commissioner of Education of certain types of financial-related ballot questions to be voted on at <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> - at least 74 days before election. <i>M.S. 205A.07, subd. 3a</i>	205A.07, subd. 3a	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
December 05, 2017 Tuesday	December 05, 2017 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> If a municipality or county (unorganized territories) has chosen mail <i>balloting</i> for <u>their</u> elections, last day to provide notice (post) of mail balloting and the special mail procedure for <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> special elections. If 1st mail ballot election, an <i>additional</i> notice must be given by a <i>different</i> method - at least 10 weeks prior to the election. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 3</i>	204B.45, subd. 2; 8210.3000, subp. 3	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
December 15, 2017 Friday	December 15, 2017 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for <u>postsecondary institutions to submit to county</u> a written agreement that they will certify for use accurate updated <i>residential housing lists</i> under M.S. 135A.17. Agreement is effective for <i>all</i> subsequent elections held in <i>that</i> calendar year - no later than 60 days prior to the <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> election. <i>M.S. 135A.17; 201.061, subd. 3(a)(3)(i); M.R. 8200.5100, subp. 3</i>	135A.17; 201.061, subd. 3(a)(3)(i); 8200.5100, subp. 3	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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December 15, 2017 Friday	December 15, 2017 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to send a <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballot application to each person on the list of eligible voters who have applied to automatically receive an Absentee Ballot application – at least 60 days before the election. <i>M.S. 203B.04, subd. 5; 203B.06, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.0200, subp. 4</i>	203B.04, subd. 5; 203B.06, subd. 1; 8210.0200, subp. 4	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
December 15, 2017 Friday	December 15, 2017 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for jurisdictions with <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> special elections to disseminate information to the public about the use of a <i>new</i> voting system – at least 60 days prior to the election. <i>M.S. 206.58, subd. 1</i>	206.58, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
December 25, 2017 Monday	December 25, 2017 Monday	<b>Christmas Day Holiday.</b> No public business shall be transacted, except in cases of necessity. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd.5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday
December 28, 2017 Thursday	December 28, 2017 Thursday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Must appoint <b><u>February Uniform Election absentee, mail and UOCAVA (county auditor appoints) ballot board members</u></b> by the time they are to examine the voted ballot <i>return</i> envelopes and mark them "accepted" or "rejected" - before voted absentee, mail and UOCAVA ballots are returned. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 1; 203B.23, subd. 1; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i>	203B.121, subd. 1; 203B.23, subd. 1; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot

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December 29, 2017 Friday	December 29, 2017 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> The <i>county auditor</i> is to transmit <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> UOCAVA ballots for jurisdiction residents with UOCAVA applications on file for that calendar year. <u>Jurisdiction clerk to provide ballots to auditor's office for transmission</u> - at least 46 days before the election. <i>M.S. 203B.22</i>	203B.22	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
December 29, 2017 Friday	December 29, 2017 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Counties make master lists available for <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballot voting. Suggestion: If SVRS is being used for Absentee Ballot voting, make sure to still have a paper copy of mater list available in the event that internet access or power is not available. Absentee Ballot voting continues regardless of access to the SVRS database - at least 46 days before each election. <i>M.S. 201.091, subd. 2</i>	201.091, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
December 29, 2017 Friday	January 30, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Period of time for <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> mail election (no candidates) ballots (question-only special elections) - not more than 46 nor later than 14 days prior to the special election. <i>M.S. 204B.46</i>	204B.46	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Election

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December 29, 2017 Friday	February 12, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time for Absentee Voting for <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> . Assistive voting device required for all Absentee Ballot voting locations, except towns having a standalone special election that are not required to have an assistive voting device at the election day poll location - at least 46 days before election through day before election. <i>M.S. 203B.04, subs. 1 &amp; 2(a); 203B.081, subd. 2; 204B.35, subd. 4; M.R. 8250.0200; 8250.1810, subp. 1</i>	203B.04, subs. 1 & 2(a); 203B.081, subd. 2; 204B.35, subd. 4; 8250.0200; 8250.1810, subp. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
December 29, 2017 Friday	February 13, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> An agent returning another's Absentee Ballot or Mail Ballot must show ID with name & signature. <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> administrators record agent's name/address, voter's name/address & has agent sign the log. An agent may deliver nor more than three voters in any election. Ballot packets returned by agents are to be reviewed for tampering. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.2200, subp. 3</i>	203B.08, subd. 1; 8210.2200, subp. 3	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
December 29, 2017 Friday	February 13, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> All <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> administrators date, stamp or initial & record returned voted ballot envelopes (if SVRS being used, mark as received in SVRS) & place in secure location for ballot board review. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 3; M.R. 8210.2300; 8210.2400</i>	203B.08, subd. 3; 8210.2300; 8210.2400	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot



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December 29, 2017 Friday	February 14, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: <i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> Absentee Ballot and Mail Election ballot boards review voted returned ballot envelopes for "acceptance" or "rejection." Within 5 days after receipt for voted ballots returned from beginning of Absentee Ballot voting period through the 15th day before the election. Beginning the 14th day before the election, voted ballots must be reviewed within 3 days - beginning of Absentee Ballot and Mail Election voting period (at least 46 days before election) until no later than 24 hours after the end of voting. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 3; 203B.121, subd. 5(c); 204B.46</i>	203B.08, subd. 3; 203B.121, subd. 5(c); 204B.46	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
December 30, 2017 Saturday	February 13, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Municipality must <u>not</u> make a change to the <i>number or name of a street address</i> of an existing residence prior to <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections in a jurisdiction which includes the affected residence - not during the 45 days prior to <b><i>any</i></b> election. <i>M.S. 201.11, subd. 2</i>	201.11, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
January 01, 2018 Monday	January 01, 2018 Monday	<b>New Year's Day Holiday.</b> No public business shall be transacted, except in cases of necessity. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday

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January 02, 2018 Tuesday	January 02, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to designate location for <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballot voting. Assistive voting device required for all Absentee Ballot voting locations, except towns having a standalone special election that are not required to have an assistive voting device at the election day poll location - 14 weeks before election. <i>M.S. 203B.081, subd. 2</i>	203B.081, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
January 02, 2018 Tuesday	February 12, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Municipalities provide for instruction of voters with a demonstration voting system in a public place for the 6 weeks immediately prior to the 1st election at which the new voting system will be used ( <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections). <i>M.S. 206.58, subd. 1</i>	206.58, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment

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January 09, 2018 Tuesday	January 09, 2018 Tuesday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Because of the Annual List Maintenance (ALM) being conducted within an Absentee Ballot voting period, if a jurisdiction with a <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election has sent any Absentee Ballots to registered voters before this date, they should verify that those names are not on the "inactivation" list (auditor has list). If so, the county will need to re-activate the voter's record because they have applied for an Absentee Ballot (completed an election activity that includes signing a certification statement) before the ALM process and, therefore, their record maybe "should have" remained active as there was an absentee ballot administered while "active" and is in the process of being voted. Consult legal advisor for guidance. <i>M.S. 201.171</i></p>	201.171	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
January 10, 2018 Wednesday	January 10, 2018 Wednesday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to notify OSS of a county, municipality or school district's use of electronic rosters (e-pollbooks) for the first time in the <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> election. Precincts are to be identified. Valid for those precincts for subsequent elections until revoked. If precincts are added later, a new notification is required - at least 90 days before the <i>first</i> election. <i>M.S. 201.225, subd. 6(a)</i></p>	201.225, subd. 6(a)	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment

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January 10, 2018 Wednesday	January 10, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for municipality to authorize mail balloting for local elections by resolution (revocation of resolution has same deadline) before <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> special elections - no later than 90 days prior to the first election at which mail balloting will be used. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 2</i>	204B.45, subd. 1; 8210.3000, subp. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
January 10, 2018 Wednesday	January 10, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for jurisdiction to call for a <i>mail election</i> for a <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> "question-only" special election. <i>Mail election</i> expires at end of election - 90 days prior to mail election. <i>M.S. 204B.46; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 2</i>	204B.46; 8210.3000, subp. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Election
January 12, 2018 Friday	January 12, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for county, municipality or school district to certify to OSS that the electronic rosters (e-pollbooks) being used at <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> election <b><i>meet all of the requirements</i></b> of M.S. 201.225 - at least 30 days before <i>each</i> election. <i>M.S. 201.225, subd. 6(b)</i>	201.225, subd. 6(b)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment

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January 14, 2018 Sunday	January 29, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period for school districts to send M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(b) required <i>taxpayer</i> notices of <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> referendum vote. Mailed to "taxpayers" (list is often obtained through county GIS or tax office) - at least 15 days but no more than 30 days before the day of the referendum election. <i>M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(b)</i>	126C.17, subd. 9(b)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
January 14, 2018 Sunday	January 30, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time to send <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> mail ballots to registered voters in mail ballot precincts or mail elections by nonforwardable mail. Send NRMail Ballot notice to Challenged/See ID identified voters - not more than 30 days (not regularly scheduled election) nor later than 14 days. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2</i>	204B.45, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot

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January 14, 2018 Sunday	February 14, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> Mail Ballot ballot boards review voted returned ballot envelopes for "acceptance" or "rejection." Within 5 days after receipt for voted ballots returned from beginning of Mail Ballot voting period through the 15th day before the election. Beginning the 14th day before the election, voted ballots must be reviewed within 3 days - beginning of Mail Ballot voting period (at least 30 days before "not regularly scheduled" election) until no later than 24 hours after the end of voting. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 3; 204B.45, subd. 2; 203B.121, subd. 5(c)</i>	203B.08, subd. 3; 204B.45, subd. 2; 203B.121, subd. 5(c)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
January 15, 2018 Monday	January 15, 2018 Monday	<b>Martin Luther King Jr. Day Holiday</b> - No public business shall be transacted, except in cases of necessity. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday
January 19, 2018 Friday	January 19, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to appoint election judges for <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections – at least 25 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.21, subd. 2</i>	204B.21, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges
January 19, 2018 Friday	January 19, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to notify affected voters of a <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> election polling place change – at least 25 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.16, subd. 1a</i>	204B.16, subd. 1a	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Polling Place

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January 23, 2018 Tuesday	January 23, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to pre-register for <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections. Paper apps received in person or by mail have a 5:00 p.m. deadline. Online voter registrations received through OSS secure website have a 11:59 p.m. deadline – closes 21 days before election. <i>M.S. 201.061, subd. 1</i>	201.061, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
January 24, 2018 Wednesday	January 24, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for the operator of a residential facility to provide a certified list of employees eligible to vouch for residents of the facility to county auditor – no less than 20 days before the <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections. <i>M.S. 201.061, subd. 3(b); M.R. 8200.5100, subp. 1E(1)</i>	201.061, subd. 3(b); 8200.5100, subp. 1E(1)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
January 24, 2018 Wednesday	January 24, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for appointed election judges to provide written notice to employers w/certification (appt., hourly wage, hours of work) to be absent from work for serving on election day – at least 20 days before <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections. <i>M.S. 204B.195</i>	204B.195	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges

Begin Date	End Date	Description of Activity	Statute or Rule	Affected Group	Activity Type
January 24, 2018 Wednesday	February 09, 2018 Friday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Counties produce polling place rosters for <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections after completing all registration-related tasks. <i>Paper</i> VRAs received by OSS by 5:00 p.m. on the 21st day before will be forwarded to appropriate counties as soon as possible. Also all "<i>online</i>" VRAs received up until 11:59 p.m. on the 21st day <u>must be</u> processed. Counties might not receive queued records until a couple days later (security checks). If the OSS is printing rosters, there are deadlines for "locking" the rosters. <i>M.S. 204B.28, subd. 2; 204C.10; M.R. 8200.9115</i></p>	204B.28, subd. 2; 204C.10; 8200.9115	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
January 24, 2018 Wednesday	February 12, 2018 Monday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time during which Election Judges shall deliver <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> absentee ballots only to an eligible voter who is a temporary or permanent resident in a health care facility or hospital located in the municipality in which the voter maintains residence who has applied for Absentee Ballots to the county auditor or municipal clerk – 20 days preceding an election (Health Care Facility Outreach). <i>M.S. 203B.11, subd. 2</i></p>	203B.11, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot



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January 24, 2018 Wednesday	February 12, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Auditor mails late registration letters to those w/ <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections who did not meet the pre-reg. deadline. Some types of <i>returned</i> "mail ballots" have late reg. notice requirements too - begins 20 days before election. <i>M.R. 8200.3110; 8200.5100, subp. 1C; 8210.3000; subps. 7 &amp; 7a</i>	8200.3110; 8200.5100, subp. 1C; 8210.3000; subps. 7 & 7a	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
January 26, 2018 Friday	January 26, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to provide written notice of <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> special and/or mail elections to auditor (if notice is not provided earlier than this date). Last day to provide notice of special election <i>cancellation</i> . Last day for auditor to notify OSS of special and/or mail elections by scheduling the election in SVRS – at least 74 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.46; 205.10, subd. 6; 205.16, subds. 4 &amp; 5; 205A.05, subd. 3; 205A.07, subds. 3 &amp; 3b; 447.32, subd. 3</i>	204B.46; 205.10, subd. 6; 205.16, subds. 4 & 5; 205A.05, subd. 3; 205A.07, subds. 3 & 3b; 447.32, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
January 26, 2018 Friday	January 26, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for <u>school district</u> to provide written notice to Commissioner of Education of certain types of financial-related ballot questions to be voted on at <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> - at least 74 days before election. <i>M.S. 205A.07, subd. 3a</i>	205A.07, subd. 3a	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice

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January 29, 2018 Monday	January 29, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> School district with referendum votes on <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> submit a copy of the M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(b) required taxpayer notice to Commissioner of Education & counties that fall within school district's boundaries. <i>[School district required to notify Commissioner of Education of results within 15 days after certification of results (canvass board)]</i> - at least 15 days before the day of the referendum election. <i>M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(e)</i>	126C.17, subd. 9(e)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
January 30, 2018 Tuesday	January 30, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to designate location for May Uniform Election Day Absentee Ballot voting. Assistive voting device required for all Absentee Ballot voting locations, except towns having a standalone special election that are not required to have an assistive voting device at the election day poll location - 14 weeks before election. <i>M.S. 203B.081, subd. 2</i>	203B.081, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
January 30, 2018 Tuesday	January 30, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> If a municipality or county (unorganized territories) has chosen mail <i>balloting</i> for <u>their</u> elections, last day to provide notice (post) of mail balloting and the special mail procedure for <b><i>April Uniform Election Date</i></b> special elections. If 1st mail ballot election, an <i>additional</i> notice must be given by a <i>different</i> method - at least 10 weeks prior to the election. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 3</i>	204B.45, subd. 2; 8210.3000, subp. 3	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot

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January 30, 2018 Tuesday	January 30, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for municipalities & school districts to publish 1st of 2 notices of special elections being held on the <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> . Optional for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns – 2 weeks' published notice. <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1</i>	205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
January 30, 2018 Tuesday	January 30, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to send an initial or subsequent mailing of Mail Ballot or Mail Election ballots to those voters in a <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> mail ballot precinct who registered to vote before the 20th day before the election - no later than 14 days before the election. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i>	204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
January 30, 2018 Tuesday	January 30, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to publish municipal <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election <i>sample ballot</i> (Optional for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns) – at least 2 weeks before election. <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 2</i>	205.16, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
January 30, 2018 Tuesday	January 30, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> A municipal <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election <i>sample ballot</i> shall be posted and <i>made available for public inspection</i> in the clerk's office (and posted in <i>each</i> polling place on election day) - at least 2 weeks before the election. <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 3</i>	205.16, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice

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January 30, 2018 Tuesday	February 12, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time to do public accuracy test of <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> voting equipment to include tabulator and/or assistive voting devices – within 14 days of election. <b>Publish notice at least two days before test. M.S. 206.83</b>	206.83	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
February 03, 2018 Saturday	February 03, 2018 Saturday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Last day to <u>post</u> notice of <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> municipal & school district special elections – at least 10 days before election. (Optional for 1st, 2nd & 3rd class cities & *metro towns; <i>mandatory</i> for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns that <i>dispensed</i> with published notices) <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1</i>	205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
February 03, 2018 Saturday	February 03, 2018 Saturday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Last day for a <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> election judge to submit written notice to clerk of serving voluntarily without pay – no later than 10 days before the election. <i>M.S. 204B.31, subd. 2</i>	204B.31, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges
February 03, 2018 Saturday	February 03, 2018 Saturday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Campaign finance reports due ( <u>if</u> more than \$750 raised or spent <u>and</u> an initial report has been filed) - 10 days before the <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election or special primary. <i>M.S. 211A.02, subd. 1</i>	211A.02, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Filing

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February 06, 2018 Tuesday	February 06, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Final corrected master list available for <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections - 7 days before election. <i>M.S. 201.091, subd. 2</i>	201.091, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
February 06, 2018 Tuesday	February 06, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for 1st, 2nd & 3rd class city , *metro-town & school district clerk to publish <b><u>2nd of 2 February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections <b><u>Notice of Election</u></b> - 1 week before election. (Optional for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns) <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1</i>	205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
February 06, 2018 Tuesday	February 06, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> After the close of business on the 7th day before the <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections, Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot return envelopes marked as "accepted" may be opened, duplicated as needed, initialed & deposited in ballot box (counted) - begins the 7th day before election. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subds. 2(b)(6), 3(a) &amp; 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46; M.R. 8210.2450, subp. 6</i>	203B.121, subds. 2(b)(6), 3(a) & 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46; 8210.2450, subp. 6	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot

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February 06, 2018 Tuesday	February 12, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time when counties or municipalities can choose to make available a ballot counter & ballot box for the use of <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections "in person" Absentee Ballot voters (direct balloting). If alternate procedure is made available, Absentee Ballot voter must be given choice to use envelopes as per M.S. 203B.08, subd. 1 or place a voted ballot directly into a ballot counter. Absentee Ballot application & signature of a certification statement are still required. The "accepted" Absentee Ballot must be immediately recorded in SVRS. This alternative procedure is not available for mail ballots - during the 7 days before the election. <i>M.S. 203B.081, subd. 3</i>	203B.081, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 06, 2018 Tuesday	February 13, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time for agent delivery of <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballots to a voter who would have difficulty getting to the polls because: 1) of incapacitating health reasons, 2) of disability, 3) is a patient of a health care facility, 4) is a resident of a facility providing assisted living services, 5) is a participant in a residential program for adults or, 6) is a resident of a shelter for battered women. The agent must have a preexisting relationship with the voter - during the 7 days preceding an election & until 2:00 p.m. on Election Day. <i>M.S. 203B.11, subd. 4</i>	203B.11, subd. 4	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

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February 07, 2018 Wednesday	February 07, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to notify OSS of a county, municipality or school district's use of electronic rosters (e-pollbooks) for the first time in the <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> election. Precincts are to be identified. Valid for those precincts for subsequent elections until revoked. If precincts are added later, a new notification is required - at least 90 days before the <i>first</i> election. <i>M.S. 201.225, subd. 6(a)</i>	201.225, subd. 6(a)	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
February 07, 2018 Wednesday	February 07, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for municipality to authorize mail balloting for local elections by resolution (revocation of resolution has same deadline) before <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> special elections - no later than 90 days prior to the first election at which mail balloting will be used. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 2</i>	204B.45, subd. 1; 8210.3000, subp. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
February 07, 2018 Wednesday	February 07, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for jurisdiction to call for a <i>mail election</i> for a <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> "question-only" special election. <i>Mail election</i> expires at end of election - 90 days prior to mail election. <i>M.S. 204B.46; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 2</i>	204B.46; 8210.3000, subp. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Election

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February 08, 2018 Thursday	February 08, 2018 Thursday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> If an Absentee Ballot or Mail Ballot returned ballot envelope is rejected within 5 days of the <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections, the envelopes must remain sealed & the administrator must attempt to contact the voter by telephone or e-mail to notify them of the rejection. Attempts to contact must be documented. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 2(c)(3); 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i>	203B.121, subd. 2(c)(3); 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot
February 09, 2018 Friday	February 09, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for <u>postsecondary institutions to submit to county</u> a written agreement that they will certify for use accurate updated <i>residential housing lists</i> under M.S. 135A.17. Agreement is effective for <i>all</i> subsequent elections held in <i>that</i> calendar year - no later than 60 days prior to the <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> election. <i>M.S. 135A.17; 201.061, subd. 3(a)(3)(i); M.R. 8200.5100, subp. 3</i>	135A.17; 201.061, subd. 3(a)(3)(i); 8200.5100, subp. 3	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
February 09, 2018 Friday	February 09, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to send a <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballot application to each person on the list of eligible voters who have applied to automatically receive an Absentee Ballot application – at least 60 days before the election. <i>M.S. 203B.04, subd. 5; 203B.06, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.0200, subp. 4</i>	203B.04, subd. 5; 203B.06, subd. 1; 8210.0200, subp. 4	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot



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February 09, 2018 Friday	February 09, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for jurisdictions with <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> special elections to disseminate information to the public about the use of a <i>new</i> voting system – at least 60 days prior to the election. <i>M.S. 206.58, subd. 1</i>	206.58, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
February 09, 2018 Friday	February 09, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for <u>school district</u> to <i>post February Uniform Election Date</i> special election <i>sample ballot</i> in administrative offices. Post in each polling place on election day too - at least 4 days before election. <i>M.S. 205A.07, subd. 2</i>	205A.07, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
February 09, 2018 Friday	February 09, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for clerk to secure <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> election materials from auditor – 4 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.28, subd. 2</i>	204B.28, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
February 10, 2018 Saturday	February 10, 2018 Saturday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> County or municipal clerk's office must be open to accept Absentee Ballot applications & for casting of Absentee Ballots at least 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. School districts holding standalone election & administering their own Absentee Ballot voting, need not comply - Saturday before <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections. <i>M.S. 203B.085</i>	203B.085	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

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February 12, 2018 Monday	February 12, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to apply for <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballots. Exceptions for some residents/patients in health care/residential facilities, hospitals & shelters (M.S. 203B.04, subd. 2 & 203B.11, subds. 3 & 4) and Mail Ballot & Mail Election eligible voters not registered at the time ballots were mailed (M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2 & 204B.46) - Absentee Ballot applications may be submitted at any time not less than 1 day before the day of that election. <i>M.S. 203B.04, subds. 1 &amp; 2; 203B.11, subds. 3 &amp; 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i>	203B.04; subds. 1 & 2; 203B.11, subds. 3 & 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 12, 2018 Monday	February 12, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> county & municipal Absentee Ballot voting offices open until 5:00 p.m. for acceptance of Absentee Ballot applications & casting of Absentee Ballots. School districts conducting a standalone election & administering their own Absentee Ballot voting, need not comply - until 5:00 p.m. on the day immediately preceding election. <i>M.S. 203B.085</i>	203B.085	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 12, 2018 Monday	February 12, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to do public accuracy test of <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> voting equipment of tabulator and/or assistive voting devices - within 14 days of election. Publish <i>notice</i> at least 2 days before test. <i>M.S. 206.83</i>	206.83	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment

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February 12, 2018 Monday	February 12, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for election judges to secure <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> election supplies from clerk – no later than 9:00 p.m. the day before the election. <i>M.S. 204B.29, subd. 1</i>	204B.29, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges
February 13, 2018 Tuesday	February 13, 2018 Tuesday	<b>FEBRUARY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: 2nd Tuesday in February.</b> A county, municipal or school district question and/or county commissioner, municipal office or school board vacancy special election <i>may</i> be held this date. <i>M.S. 123A.48, subd. 14; 200.02, subd. 4(2); 205.07, subd. 3; 205.10, subd. 3a; 205A.05, subd. 1a; 375.101, subd. 1; 410.10, subd. 1; 447.32, subd. 2</i>	123A.48, subd. 14; 200.02, subd. 4(2); 205.07, subd. 3; 205.10, subd. 3a; 205A.05, subd. 1a; 375.101, subd. 1; 410.10, subd. 1; 447.32, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
February 13, 2018 Tuesday	February 13, 2018 Tuesday	<b>FEBRUARY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election. Special Note for Towns:</b> Other jurisdictions may <i>also</i> hold special elections on this date. If the town is <i>not</i> holding a <i>standalone</i> election: 1) Assistive voting devices <i>are</i> required and 2) Inclement weather postponement is decided by the jurisdiction with the <u>larger</u> geographic area. <i>M.S. 204B.16, subd. 1; 205.10, subs. 1, 3a &amp; 4; 205.105, subd. 2; 205A.05, subs. 1, 1a &amp; 2; 206.57, subd. 5a(a); 206.90, subd. 6; 373.50, subd. 2</i>	204B.16, subd. 1; 205.10, subs. 1, 3a & 4; 205.105, subd. 2; 205A.05, subs. 1, 1a & 2; 206.57, subd. 5a(a); 206.90, subd. 6; 373.50, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day

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February 13, 2018 Tuesday	February 13, 2018 Tuesday	<p><b>FEBRUARY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: 2nd Tuesday in February.</b>            No special taxing district (M.S. 275.066), school board, county board, city council or town board shall conduct a meeting between 6-8 p.m. on day of <i>an</i> election held within its boundaries. No MN state college or university events can be scheduled between 6-8 p.m. on day of <i>an</i> election held within political subdivision of its location. <i>M.S. 204C.03; subds. 1, 2 &amp; 4</i></p>	204C.03; subds. 1, 2 & 4	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
February 13, 2018 Tuesday	February 13, 2018 Tuesday	<p><b>FEBRUARY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: 2nd Tuesday in February. Metro Area:</b> Minimum voting hours 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. (*Metro Area includes the following Counties: Anoka, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin, Isanti, Ramsey, Scott, Sherburne, Washington &amp; Wright). <i>M.S. 200.02, subd. 24; 205.175; subd. 2; 205A.09, subd. 1</i></p>	200.02, subd. 24; 205.175; subd. 2; 205A.09, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day

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February 13, 2018 Tuesday	February 13, 2018 Tuesday	<p><b>FEBRUARY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>Non-Metro Area:</u></b>            Minimum voting hours 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. (*Metro area includes the following Counties: Anoka, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin, Isanti, Ramsey, Scott, Sherburne, Washington &amp; Wright). Longer hours can be approved by resolution or petition of voters. See M.S. 205.175, subd. 3 for details. <i>M.S. 200.02, subd. 24; 205.175, subds. 1 &amp; 3; 205A.09, subd. 2</i></p>	200.02, subd. 24; 205.175, subds. 1 & 3; 205A.09, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
February 13, 2018 Tuesday	February 13, 2018 Tuesday	<p><b>FEBRUARY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY:</b>            Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: Agent delivery of absentee ballots to a voter who would have difficulty getting to the polls because of incapacitating health reasons, or who is disabled, or who is a patient of a health care facility, a resident of a facility providing assisted living services, a participant in a residential program for adults or a resident of a shelter for battered women. The agent must have a preexisting relationship with the voter - During the 7 days preceding an election and until 2:00 p.m. on Election Day. <i>M.S. 203B.11, subd. 4</i></p>	203B.11, subd. 4	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

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February 13, 2018 Tuesday	February 13, 2018 Tuesday	<b>FEBRUARY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY:</b> Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: Returned Absentee Ballots can be returned by the voter or agent, in person, until 3:00 p.m. If delivered by mail or a package delivery service, ballot must arrive by 8:00 p.m. Absentee Ballots must be returned to county or local clerk's office listed in the return address of the Absentee Ballot return envelope. Absentee Ballots are NOT to be returned to the poll place. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subds. 1 &amp; 3; 203B.11, subd. 4</i>	203B.08, subds. 1 & 3; 203B.11, subd. 4	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 13, 2018 Tuesday	February 14, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Recommended: Jurisdiction faxes or e-mails unofficial <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> election results to auditor.	Administrative	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election

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February 13, 2018 Tuesday	February 14, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> After polls close on <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> Election Day, at least 2 members of the ballot boards must "count" (may "run" tapes/reports) the Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot ballots providing for vote totals for each candidate & question for each precinct. The Absentee Ballot count for a precinct must be recorded on its own summary statement. May have up to 24 hours to complete Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot processing & counting tasks as per M.S. 203B.121, subd. 5(c). In state elections, Absentee Ballot & poll place totals for each precinct shall be combined before reported. In other elections, choice to report together or separately is available. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 5</i>	203B.121, subd. 5	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
February 14, 2018 Wednesday	February 14, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Election Judges <i>must</i> return <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> election materials to clerk's office – within 24 hours of the end of the hours for voting. <i>M.S. 204C.27</i>	204C.27	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges
February 14, 2018 Wednesday	February 14, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> County election offices begin to investigate returned PVCs, to challenge appropriate registration records and to mail notices to those voting in wrong precincts of <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> election day registrants. <i>M.S. 201.016, subd. 1a; 201.12, subd. 4; 201.121, subds. 2 &amp; 3; 201.275</i>	201.016, subd. 1a; 201.12, subd. 4; 201.121, subds. 2 & 3; 201.275	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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February 14, 2018 Wednesday	February 14, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> School district is to certify vote totals of "financial-related" ballot questions (identified in M.S. 205A.07, subd. 3a) on <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election ballot to Commissioner of Education - in a timely manner. <i>M.S. 205A.07, subd. 3a</i>	205A.07, subd. 3a	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
February 14, 2018 Wednesday	March 27, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Counties post voter history from <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections. Give history to late Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot (clerks notify auditor of received late Absentee Ballots & Mail Ballots). Roster history must be done - within 6 weeks after the election. <i>M.S. 201.171</i>	201.171	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
February 14, 2018 Wednesday	March 27, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Counties enter <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> EDRs into SVRS within 42 days, unless the county notifies OSS <i>before</i> deadline. <u>Upon receipt</u> , the OSS must extend deadline by an additional 28 days. OSS must post data about county's compliance and deadline dates on OSS website - 42 days after the election. <i>M.S. 201.121, subd. 1(a)</i>	201.121, subd. 1(a)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration



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February 15, 2018 Thursday	February 15, 2018 Thursday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to return <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> election polling place rosters & completed voter registration cards to county auditor. A county auditor <b><i>MUST</i></b> receive these materials. If not delivered by deadline, county is responsible to coordinate arrangements to <i>gather</i> materials as soon as possible – within 48 hours after voting ends. <i>M.S. 204C.27</i>	204C.27	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
February 15, 2018 Thursday	February 16, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period for county, municipal or school district <b><i>February Uniform Election Date special primary</i></b> ( <i>not</i> special election) <b><i>canvass board</i></b> to meet and certify results - between 2nd & 3rd day after special primary. <i>M.S. 204C.32, subd. 1; 205.065, subd. 5; 205A.03, subd. 4(a)(1)</i>	204C.32, subd. 1; 205.065, subd. 5; 205A.03, subd. 4(a)(1)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
February 16, 2018 Friday	February 23, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period for county, municipal or school district <b><i>February Uniform Election Date special</i></b> election ( <i>not</i> special primary) <b><i>canvass board</i></b> to meet and certify results. Municipality or school district certifies official results to county - between 3rd & 10th day after special election. <i>M.S. 204C.33, subd. 1; 205.185, subd. 3; 205A.185, subd. 3</i>	204C.33, subd. 1; 205.185, subd. 3; 205A.10, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
February 19, 2018 Monday	February 19, 2018 Monday	<b>Presidents' Day Holiday:</b> No public business shall be transacted, except in cases of necessity. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday

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February 20, 2018 Tuesday	February 20, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for all <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> candidates/committees to file <i>Campaign Financial Report Certification of Filing</i> . A jurisdiction clerk who <u>issues</u> a certificate of election to a candidate who <u>has not certified</u> that all reports required have been filed is <u>guilty of a misdemeanor</u> – no later than 7 days after the general or special election. <i>M.S. 211A.05, subd. 1</i>	211A.05, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Filing
February 20, 2018 Tuesday	February 20, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Legislature:</b> Legislative Session Reconvenes. <i>Minn. Const. Article IV; M.S. 3.011</i>	Minn. Const. Article IV; 3.011	Legislature	Legislature
February 22, 2018 Thursday	February 22, 2018 Thursday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Must appoint <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> <i>absentee, mail &amp; UOCAVA (county auditor appoints) ballot board members</i> <u>by</u> the time they are to examine the voted ballot <i>return</i> envelopes and mark them "accepted" or "rejected" - before voted absentee, mail & UOCAVA ballots are returned. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 1; 203B.23, subd. 1; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i>	203B.121, subd. 1; 203B.23, subd. 1; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot

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February 23, 2018 Friday	February 23, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to provide written notice of <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> special and/or mail elections to auditor (if notice is not provided earlier than this date). Last day to provide notice of special election <i>cancellation</i> . Last day for auditor to notify OSS of special and/or mail elections by scheduling the election in SVRS – at least 74 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.46; 205.10, subd. 6; 205.16, subds. 4 &amp; 5; 205A.05, subd. 3; 205A.07, subds. 3 &amp; 3b; 447.32, subd. 3</i>	204B.46; 205.10, subd. 6; 205.16, subds. 4 & 5; 205A.05, subd. 3; 205A.07, subds. 3 & 3b; 447.32, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
February 23, 2018 Friday	February 23, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for <u>school district</u> to provide written notice to Commissioner of Education of certain types of financial-related ballot questions to be voted on at <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> - at least 74 days before election. <i>M.S. 205A.07, subd. 3a</i>	205A.07, subd. 3a	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
February 23, 2018 Friday	February 23, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> County completes entry of a random sampling of 3% of <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> election day registration applications & sends notice of registration to the sampling of applicants (PVCs) - within 10 days after an election. <i>M.S. 201.121, subd. 3(a); M.R. 8200.2700</i>	201.121, subd. 3(a); 8200.2700	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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February 23, 2018 Friday	February 23, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> The <i>county auditor</i> is to transmit <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> UOCAVA ballots for jurisdiction residents with UOCAVA applications on file for that calendar year. <u>Jurisdiction clerk to provide ballots to auditor's office for transmission - at least 46 days before the election. <i>M.S. 203B.22</i></u>	203B.22	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 23, 2018 Friday	February 23, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Counties make master lists available for <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballot voting. Suggestion: If SVRS is being used for Absentee Ballot voting, make sure to still have a paper copy of mater list available in the event that internet access or power is not available. Absentee Ballot voting continues regardless of access to the SVRS database - at least 46 days before each election. <i>M.S. 201.091, subd. 2</i>	201.091, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
February 23, 2018 Friday	March 27, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Period of time for <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> <i>mail election</i> (no candidates) ballots (question-only special elections) - not more than 46 nor later than 14 days prior to the special election. <i>M.S. 204B.46</i>	204B.46	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Election

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February 23, 2018 Friday	April 09, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time for Absentee Voting for <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> . Assistive voting device required for all Absentee Ballot voting locations, except towns having a standalone special election that are not required to have an assistive voting device at the election day poll location - at least 46 days before election through day before election. <i>M.S. 203B.04, subds. 1 &amp; 2(a); 203B.081, subd. 2; 204B.35, subd. 4; M.R. 8250.0200; 8250.1810, subp. 1</i>	203B.04, subds. 1 & 2(a); 203B.081, subd. 2; 204B.35, subd. 4; 8250.0200; 8250.1810, subp. 1	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 23, 2018 Friday	April 10, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> An agent returning another's Absentee Ballot or Mail Ballot must show ID with name & signature. <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> administrators record agent's name/address, voter's name/address & has agent sign the log. An agent may deliver nor more than three voters in any election. Ballot packets returned by agents are to be reviewed for tampering. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.2200, subp. 3</i>	203B.08, subd. 1; 8210.2200, subp. 3	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 23, 2018 Friday	April 10, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> All <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> administrators date, stamp or initial & record returned voted ballot envelopes (if SVRS being used, mark as received in SVRS) & place in secure location for ballot board review. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 3; M.R. 8210.2300; 8210.2400</i>	203B.08, subd. 3; 8210.2300; 8210.2400	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

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February 23, 2018 Friday	April 11, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballot and Mail Election ballot boards review voted returned ballot envelopes for "acceptance" or "rejection." Within 5 days after receipt for voted ballots returned from beginning of Absentee Ballot voting period through the 15th day before the election. Beginning the 14th day before the election, voted ballots must be reviewed within 3 days - beginning of Absentee Ballot and Mail Election voting period (at least 46 days before election) until no later than 24 hours after the end of voting. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 3; 203B.121, subd. 5(c); 204B.46</i>	203B.08, subd. 3; 203B.121, subd. 5(c); 204B.46	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 24, 2018 Saturday	April 10, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Municipality must <u>not</u> make a change to the <i>number or name of a street address</i> of an existing residence prior to <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections in a jurisdiction which includes the affected residence - not during the 45 days prior to <b><u>any</u></b> election. <i>M.S. 201.11, subd. 2</i>	201.11, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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February 27, 2018 Tuesday	February 27, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> If a municipality or county (unorganized territories) has chosen mail <i>balloting</i> for <u>their</u> elections, last day to provide notice (post) of mail balloting and the special mail procedure for <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> special elections. If 1st mail ballot election, an <i>additional</i> notice must be given by a <i>different</i> method - at least 10 weeks prior to the election. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 3</i>	204B.45, subd. 2; 8210.3000, subp. 3	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
February 27, 2018 Tuesday	April 09, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Municipalities provide for instruction of voters with a demonstration voting system in a public place for the 6 weeks immediately prior to the 1st election at which the new voting system will be used ( <b><i>April Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections). <i>M.S. 206.58, subd. 1</i>	206.58, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
March 09, 2018 Friday	March 09, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for <u>postsecondary</u> institutions to submit to county a written agreement that they will certify for use accurate updated <i>residential housing lists</i> under M.S. 135A.17. Agreement is effective for <i>all</i> subsequent elections held in <i>that</i> calendar year - no later than 60 days prior to the <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> election. <i>M.S. 135A.17; 201.061, subd. 3(a)(3)(i); M.R. 8200.5100, subp. 3</i>	135A.17; 201.061, subd. 3(a)(3)(i); 8200.5100, subp. 3	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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March 09, 2018 Friday	March 09, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to send a <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballot application to each person on the list of eligible voters who have applied to automatically receive an Absentee Ballot application – at least 60 days before the election. <i>M.S. 203B.04, subd. 5; 203B.06, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.0200, subp. 4</i>	203B.04, subd. 5; 203B.06, subd. 1; 8210.0200, subp. 4	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
March 09, 2018 Friday	March 09, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for jurisdictions with <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> special elections to disseminate information to the public about the use of a <i>new</i> voting system – at least 60 days prior to the election. <i>M.S. 206.58, subd. 1</i>	206.58, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
March 09, 2018 Friday	March 09, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for county, municipality or school district to certify to OSS that the electronic rosters (e-pollbooks) being used at <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> election <b><i>meet all of the requirements</i></b> of M.S. 201.225 - at least 30 days before <i>each</i> election. <i>M.S. 201.225, subd. 6(b)</i>	201.225, subd. 6(b)	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment



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March 11, 2018 Sunday	March 26, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period for school districts to send M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(b) required <i>taxpayer</i> notices of <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> referendum vote. Mailed to "taxpayers" (list is often obtained through county GIS or tax office) - at least 15 days but no more than 30 days before the day of the referendum election. <i>M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(b)</i>	126C.17, subd. 9(b)	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
March 11, 2018 Sunday	March 27, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time to send <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> mail ballots to registered voters in mail ballot precincts or mail elections by nonforwardable mail. Send NRMail Ballot notice to Challenged/See ID identified voters - not more than 30 days (not regularly scheduled election) nor later than 14 days. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2</i>	204B.45, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot

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March 11, 2018 Sunday	April 11, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> Mail Ballot ballot boards review voted returned ballot envelopes for "acceptance" or "rejection." Within 5 days after receipt for voted ballots returned from beginning of Mail Ballot voting period through the 15th day before the election. Beginning the 14th day before the election, voted ballots must be reviewed within 3 days - beginning of Mail Ballot voting period (at least 30 days before "not regularly scheduled" election) until no later than 24 hours after the end of voting. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 3; 204B.45, subd. 2; 203B.121, subd. 5(c)</i>	203B.08, subd. 3; 204B.45, subd. 2; 203B.121, subd. 5(c)	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
March 15, 2018 Thursday	March 15, 2018 Thursday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Campaign Finance Report due - 30 days after the <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election (not special primary) (IF initial report filed & final report not filed). If a required subsequent report is not filed by its due date, the filing officer <i>shall</i> immediately notify the candidate/committee of the failure to file. If report is not filed within 10 days after the notification is mailed, the filing officer <i>shall</i> file a complaint with OAH as per M.S. 211B.32. <i>M.S. 211A.02, subd. 1; 211A.05; 211B.32</i>	211A.02, subd. 1; 211A.05; 211B.32	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Filing

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March 16, 2018 Friday	March 16, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to appoint election judges for <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections – at least 25 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.21, subd. 2</i>	204B.21, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges
March 16, 2018 Friday	March 16, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to notify affected voters of a <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> election polling place change – at least 25 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.16, subd. 1a</i>	204B.16, subd. 1a	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Polling Place
March 20, 2018 Tuesday	March 20, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to pre-register for <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections. Paper applications received in person or by mail have a 5:00 p.m. deadline. Online voter registrations received through OSS secure website have a 11:59 p.m. deadline – closes 21 days before election. <i>M.S. 201.061, subd. 1</i>	201.061, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
March 21, 2018 Wednesday	March 21, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for the operator of a residential facility to provide a certified list of employees eligible to vouch for residents of the facility to county auditor – no less than 20 days before the <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections. <i>M.S. 201.061, subd. 3(b); M.R. 8200.5100, subp. 1E(1)</i>	201.061, subd. 3(b); 8200.5100, subp. 1E(1)	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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March 21, 2018 Wednesday	March 21, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for appointed election judges to provide written notice to employers w/certification (appt., hourly wage, hours of work) to be absent from work for serving on election day – at least 20 days before <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections. <i>M.S. 204B.195</i>	204B.195	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges
March 21, 2018 Wednesday	April 06, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Counties produce polling place rosters for <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections after completing all registration-related tasks. <i>Paper</i> VRAs received by OSS by 5:00 p.m. on the 21st day before will be forwarded to appropriate counties as soon as possible. Also all " <i>online</i> " VRAs received up until 11:59 p.m. on the 21st day <u>must be</u> processed. Counties might not receive queued records until a couple days later (security checks). If the OSS is printing rosters, there are deadlines for "locking" the rosters. <i>M.S. 204B.28, subd. 2; 204C.10; M.R. 8200.9115</i>	204B.28, subd. 2; 204C.10; 8200.9115	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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March 21, 2018 Wednesday	April 09, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time during which Election Judges shall deliver <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> absentee ballots only to an eligible voter who is a temporary or permanent resident in a health care facility or hospital located in the municipality in which the voter maintains residence who has applied for Absentee Ballots to the county auditor or municipal clerk – 20 days preceding an election (Health Care Facility Outreach). <i>M.S. 203B.11, subd. 2</i>	203B.11, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
March 21, 2018 Wednesday	April 09, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Auditor mails late registration letters to those w/ <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections who did not meet the pre-reg. deadline. Some types of <i>returned</i> "mail ballots" have late reg. notice requirements too - begins 20 days before election. <i>M.R. 8200.3110; 8200.5100, subp. 1C; 8210.3000; subps. 7 &amp; 7a</i>	8200.3110; 8200.5100, subp. 1C; 8210.3000; subps. 7 & 7a	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
March 22, 2018 Thursday	March 22, 2018 Thursday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Must appoint <b><u>May Uniform Election absentee, mail and UOCAVA (county appoints) ballot board members</u></b> by the time they are to examine the voted ballot <i>return</i> envelopes and mark them "accepted" or "rejected" - before voted absentee, mail and UOCAVA ballots are returned. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 1; 203B.23, subd. 1; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i>	203B.121, subd. 1; 203B.23, subd. 1; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot

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March 23, 2018 Friday	March 23, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> The <i>county auditor</i> is to transmit <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> UOCAVA ballots for jurisdiction residents with UOCAVA applications on file for that calendar year. <u>Jurisdiction clerk to provide ballots to auditor's office for transmission - at least 46 days before the election. <i>M.S. 203B.22</i></u>	203B.22	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
March 23, 2018 Friday	March 23, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Counties make master lists available for <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> Absentee Ballot voting. Suggestion: If SVRS is being used for Absentee Ballot voting, make sure to still have a paper copy of mater list available in the event that internet access or power is not available. Absentee Ballot voting continues regardless of access to the SVRS database - at least 46 days before each election. <i>M.S. 201.091, subd. 2</i>	201.091, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
March 23, 2018 Friday	April 24, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Period of time for <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> <i>mail election</i> (no candidates) ballots (question-only special elections) - not more than 46 nor later than 14 days prior to the special election. <i>M.S. 204B.46</i>	204B.46	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Election

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March 23, 2018 Friday	May 07, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time for Absentee Voting for <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> . Assistive voting device required for all Absentee Ballot voting locations, except towns having a standalone special election that are not required to have an assistive voting device at the election day poll location - at least 46 days before election through day before election. <i>M.S. 203B.04, subds. 1 &amp; 2(a); 203B.081, subd. 2; 204B.35, subd. 4; M.R. 8250.0200; 8250.1810, subp. 1</i>	203B.04, subds. 1 & 2(a); 203B.081, subd. 2; 204B.35, subd. 4; 8250.0200; 8250.1810, subp. 1	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
March 23, 2018 Friday	May 08, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> An agent returning another's Absentee Ballot or Mail Ballot must show ID with name & signature. <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> administrators record agent's name/address, voter's name/address & has agent sign the log. An agent may deliver nor more than three voters in any election. Ballot packets returned by agents are to be reviewed for tampering. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.2200, subp. 3</i>	203B.08, subd. 1; 8210.2200, subp. 3	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
March 23, 2018 Friday	May 08, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> All <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> administrators date, stamp or initial & record returned voted ballot envelopes (if SVRS being used, mark as received in SVRS) & place in secure location for ballot board review. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 3; M.R. 8210.2300; 8210.2400</i>	203B.08, subd. 3; 8210.2300; 8210.2400	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

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March 23, 2018 Friday	May 09, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballot and Mail Election ballot boards review voted returned ballot envelopes for "acceptance" or "rejection." Within 5 days after receipt for voted ballots returned from beginning of Absentee Ballot voting period through the 15th day before the election. Beginning the 14th day before the election, voted ballots must be reviewed within 3 days - beginning of Absentee Ballot and Mail Election voting period (at least 46 days before election) until no later than 24 hours after the end of voting. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 3; 203B.121, subd. 5(c); 204B.46</i>	203B.08, subd. 3; 203B.121, subd. 5(c); 204B.46	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
March 24, 2018 Saturday	May 08, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Municipality must <u>not</u> make a change to the <i>number or name of a street address</i> of an existing residence prior to <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections in a jurisdiction which includes the affected residence - not during the 45 days prior to <b><u>any</u></b> election. <i>M.S. 201.11, subd. 2</i>	201.11, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration



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March 26, 2018 Monday	March 26, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> School district with referendum votes on <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> submit a copy of the M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(b) required taxpayer notice to Commissioner of Education & counties that fall within school district's boundaries. <i>[School district required to notify Commissioner of Education of results within 15 days after certification of results (canvass board)]</i> - at least 15 days before the day of the referendum election. <i>M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(e)</i>	126C.17, subd. 9(e)	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
March 27, 2018 Tuesday	March 27, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for municipalities & school districts to publish <i>1st</i> of 2 notices of special elections being held on the <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> . Optional for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns – 2 weeks' published notice. <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1</i>	205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
March 27, 2018 Tuesday	March 27, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to publish municipal <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election <i>sample ballot</i> (Optional for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns) – at least 2 weeks before election. <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 2</i>	205.16, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice

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March 27, 2018 Tuesday	March 27, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to send an initial or subsequent mailing of Mail Ballot or Mail Election ballots to those voters in a <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> mail ballot precinct who registered to vote before the 20th day before the election - no later than 14 days before the election. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i>	204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
March 27, 2018 Tuesday	March 27, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> A <b><u>municipal April Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election <i>sample ballot</i> shall be posted and <i>made available for public inspection</i> in the clerk's office (and posted in <i>each</i> polling place on election day) - at least 2 weeks before the election. <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 3</i>	205.16, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
March 27, 2018 Tuesday	April 09, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time to do public accuracy test of <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> voting equipment to include tabulator and/or assistive voting devices – within 14 days of election. <b>Publish notice at least two days before test.</b> <i>M.S. 206.83</i>	206.83	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment

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March 27, 2018 Tuesday	March 27, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for counties to enter <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> roster voting history (including "received too late" Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot ballots) & EDRs into SVRS. EDR data entry can be extended if county notifies OSS before deadline. Upon receipt of extension request, the OSS must extend deadline by an additional 28 days - within 42 days of election. <i>M.S. 201.121, subd. 1(a); 201.171</i>	201.121, subd. 1(a); 201.171	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
March 27, 2018 Tuesday	April 24, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period to send notice of Absentee Ballot rejection if the voter did not otherwise vote in the <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> special election (not if it was a special primary) - 6-10 weeks after election. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 2(d)</i>	203B.121, subd. 2(d)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
March 27, 2018 Tuesday	May 07, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Municipalities provide for instruction of voters with a demonstration voting system in a public place for the 6 weeks immediately prior to the 1st election at which the new voting system will be used ( <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections). <i>M.S. 206.58, subd. 1</i>	206.58, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment

Begin Date	End Date	Description of Activity	Statute or Rule	Affected Group	Activity Type
March 30, 2018 Friday	March 30, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Last day to <u>post</u> notice of <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> municipal & school district special elections – at least 10 days before election. (Optional for 1st, 2nd & 3rd class cities & *metro towns; <i>mandatory</i> for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns that <i>dispensed</i> with published notices) <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1</i>	205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
March 31, 2018 Saturday	March 31, 2018 Saturday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Last day for a <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> election judge to submit written notice to clerk of serving voluntarily without pay – no later than 10 days before the election. <i>M.S. 204B.31, subd. 2</i>	204B.31, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges
March 31, 2018 Saturday	March 31, 2018 Saturday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Campaign finance reports due (If more than \$750 raised or spent <u>and</u> an initial report has been filed) - 10 days before the <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election or special primary. <i>M.S. 211A.02, subd. 1</i>	211A.02, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Filing
April 03, 2018 Tuesday	April 03, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Final corrected master list available for <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections - 7 days before election. <i>M.S. 201.091, subd. 2</i>	201.091, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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April 03, 2018 Tuesday	April 03, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for 1st, 2nd & 3rd class city , *metro-town & school district clerk to publish <i>2nd</i> of 2 <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections <u>Notice of Election</u> - 1 week before election. (Optional for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns) <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1</i>	205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
April 03, 2018 Tuesday	April 03, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> After the close of business on the 7th day before the <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections, Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot return envelopes marked as "accepted" may be opened, duplicated as needed, initialed & deposited in ballot box (counted) - begins the 7th day before election. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subds. 2(b)(6), 3(a) &amp; 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46; M.R. 8210.2450, subp. 6</i>	203B.121, subds. 2(b)(6), 3(a) & 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46; 8210.2450, subp. 6	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot

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April 03, 2018 Tuesday	April 09, 2018 Monday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Date Special Election:</b> Period of time when counties or municipalities can choose to make available a ballot counter &amp; ballot box for the use of <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections "in person" Absentee Ballot voters (direct balloting). If alternate procedure is made available, Absentee Ballot voter must be given choice to use envelopes as per M.S. 203B.08, subd. 1 or place a voted ballot directly into a ballot counter. Absentee Ballot application &amp; signature of a certification statement are still required. The "accepted" Absentee Ballot must be immediately recorded in SVRS. This alternative procedure is not available for mail ballots - during the 7 days before the election. <i>M.S. 203B.081, subd. 3</i></p>	203B.081, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
April 03, 2018 Tuesday	April 10, 2018 Tuesday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time for agent delivery of <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballots to a voter who would have difficulty getting to the polls because: 1) of incapacitating health reasons, 2) of disability, 3) is a patient of a health care facility, 4) is a resident of a facility providing assisted living services, 5) is a participant in a residential program for adults or, 6) is a resident of a shelter for battered women. The agent must have a preexisting relationship with the voter - during the 7 days preceding an election &amp; until 2:00 p.m. on Election Day. <i>M.S. 203B.11, subd. 4</i></p>	203B.11, subd. 4	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

Begin Date	End Date	Description of Activity	Statute or Rule	Affected Group	Activity Type
April 05, 2018 Thursday	April 05, 2018 Thursday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> If an Absentee Ballot or Mail Ballot returned ballot envelope is rejected within 5 days of the <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections, the envelopes must remain sealed & the administrator must attempt to contact the voter by telephone or e-mail to notify them of the rejection. Attempts to contact must be documented. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 2(c)(3); 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i>	203B.121, subd. 2(c)(3); 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot
April 06, 2018 Friday	April 06, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for <u>school district</u> to <i>post April Uniform Election Date</i> special election <i>sample ballot</i> in administrative offices. Post in each polling place on election day too - at least 4 days before election. <i>M.S. 205A.07, subd. 2</i>	205A.07, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
April 06, 2018 Friday	April 06, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for clerk to secure <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> election materials from auditor – 4 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.28, subd. 2</i>	204B.28, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
April 06, 2018 Friday	April 06, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for county, municipality or school district to certify to OSS that the electronic rosters (e-pollbooks) being used at <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> election <b><u>meet all of the requirements</u></b> of M.S. 201.225 - at least 30 days before <i>each</i> election. <i>M.S. 201.225, subd. 6(b)</i>	201.225, subd. 6(b)	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment

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April 07, 2018 Saturday	April 07, 2018 Saturday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> County or municipal clerk's office must be open to accept Absentee Ballot applications & for casting of Absentee Ballots at least 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. School districts holding standalone election & administering their own Absentee Ballot voting, need not comply - Saturday before <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections. <i>M.S. 203B.085</i>	203B.085	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
April 08, 2018 Sunday	April 23, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period for school districts to send M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(b) required <i>taxpayer</i> notices of <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> referendum vote. Mailed to "taxpayers" (list is often obtained through county GIS or tax office) - at least 15 days but no more than 30 days before the day of the referendum election. <i>M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(b)</i>	126C.17, subd. 9(b)	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
April 08, 2018 Sunday	April 24, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time to send <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> mail ballots to registered voters in mail ballot precincts or mail elections by nonforwardable mail. Send NRMail Ballot notice to Challenged/See ID identified voters - not more than 30 days (not regularly scheduled election) nor later than 14 days. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2</i>	204B.45, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot



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April 08, 2018 Sunday	May 12, 2018 Saturday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> Mail Ballot ballot boards review voted returned ballot envelopes for "acceptance" or "rejection." Within 5 days after receipt for voted ballots returned from beginning of Mail Ballot voting period through the 15th day before the election. Beginning the 14th day before the election, voted ballots must be reviewed within 3 days - beginning of Mail Ballot voting period (at least 30 days before "not regularly scheduled" election) until no later than 24 hours after the end of voting. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 3; 204B.45, subd. 2; 203B.121, subd. 5(c)</i></p>	203B.08, subd. 3; 204B.45, subd. 2; 203B.121, subd. 5(c)	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
April 09, 2018 Monday	April 09, 2018 Monday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to apply for <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballots. Exceptions for some residents/patients in health care/residential facilities, hospitals &amp; shelters (M.S. 203B.04, subd. 2 &amp; 203B.11, subds. 3 &amp; 4) and Mail Ballot &amp; Mail Election eligible voters not registered at the time ballots were mailed (M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2 &amp; 204B.46) - Absentee Ballot applications may be submitted at any time not less than 1 day before the day of that election. <i>M.S. 203B.04, subds. 1 &amp; 2; 203B.11, subds. 3 &amp; 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i></p>	203B.04; subds. 1 & 2; 203B.11, subds. 3 & 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

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April 09, 2018 Monday	April 09, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> county & municipal Absentee Ballot voting offices open until 5:00 p.m. for acceptance of Absentee Ballot applications & casting of Absentee Ballots. School districts conducting a standalone election & administering their own Absentee Ballot voting, need not comply - until 5:00 p.m. on the day immediately preceding election. <i>M.S. 203B.085</i>	203B.085	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
April 09, 2018 Monday	April 09, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to do public accuracy test of <u>April Uniform Election Date</u> voting equipment of tabulator and/or assistive voting devices - within 14 days of election. Publish <i>notice</i> at least 2 days before test. <i>M.S. 206.83</i>	206.83	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
April 09, 2018 Monday	April 09, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for election judges to secure <u>April Uniform Election Date</u> election supplies from clerk – no later than 9:00 p.m. the day before the election. <i>M.S. 204B.29, subd. 1</i>	204B.29, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges

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April 10, 2018 Tuesday	April 10, 2018 Tuesday	<b>APRIL UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election: 2nd Tuesday in April.</b> A county, municipal or school district question and/or county commissioner, municipal office or school board vacancy special election <i>may</i> be held this date. <i>M.S. 123A.48, subd. 14; 200.02, subd. 4(2); 205.07, subd. 3; 205.10, subd. 3a; 205A.05, subd. 1a; 375.101, subd. 1; 410.10, subd. 1; 447.32, subd. 2</i>	123A.48, subd. 14; 200.02, subd. 4(2); 205.07, subd. 3; 205.10, subd. 3a; 205A.05, subd. 1a; 375.101, subd. 1; 410.10, subd. 1; 447.32, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
April 10, 2018 Tuesday	April 10, 2018 Tuesday	<b>APRIL UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election: 2nd Tuesday in April.</b> No special taxing district (M.S. 275.066), school board, county board, city council or town board shall conduct a meeting between 6-8 p.m. on day of <i>an</i> election held within its boundaries. No MN state college or university events can be scheduled between 6-8 p.m. on day of <i>an</i> election held within political subdivision of its location. <i>M.S. 204C.03; subds. 1, 2 &amp; 4</i>	204C.03; subds. 1, 2 & 4	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
April 10, 2018 Tuesday	April 10, 2018 Tuesday	<b>APRIL UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election: 2nd Tuesday in April. Metro Area:</b> Minimum voting hours 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. (*Metro Area includes the following Counties: Anoka, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin, Isanti, Ramsey, Scott, Sherburne, Washington & Wright). <i>M.S. 200.02, subd. 24; 205.175; subd. 2; 205A.09, subd. 1</i>	200.02, subd. 24; 205.175; subd. 2; 205A.09, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day

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April 10, 2018 Tuesday	April 10, 2018 Tuesday	<p><b>APRIL UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>Non-Metro Area</u>:</b> Minimum voting hours 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. (*Metro area includes the following Counties: Anoka, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin, Isanti, Ramsey, Scott, Sherburne, Washington &amp; Wright). Longer hours can be approved by resolution or petition of voters. See M.S. 205.175, subd. 3 for details. <i>M.S. 200.02, subd. 24; 205.175, subds. 1 &amp; 3; 205A.09, subd. 2</i></p>	200.02, subd. 24; 205.175, subds. 1 & 3; 205A.09, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
April 10, 2018 Tuesday	April 10, 2018 Tuesday	<p><b>APRIL UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Agent delivery of absentee ballots <u>to</u> a voter who would have difficulty getting to the polls because of incapacitating health reasons, or who is disabled, or who is a patient of a health care facility, a resident of a facility providing assisted living services, a participant in a residential program for adults or a resident of a shelter for battered women. The agent must have a preexisting relationship with the voter - During the 7 days preceding an election and until 2:00 p.m. on Election Day. <i>M.S. 203B.11, subd. 4</i></p>	203B.11, subd. 4	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

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April 10, 2018 Tuesday	April 10, 2018 Tuesday	<b>APRIL UNIFORM ELECTION DAY:</b> Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election. Returned Absentee Ballots can be returned by the voter or agent, in person, until 3:00 p.m. If delivered by mail or a package delivery service, ballot must arrive by 8:00 p.m. Absentee Ballots must be returned to county or local clerk's office listed in the return address of the Absentee Ballot return envelope. Absentee Ballots are NOT to be returned to the poll place. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subds. 1 &amp; 3; 203B.11, subd. 4</i>	203B.08, subds. 1 & 3; 203B.11, subd. 4	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
April 10, 2018 Tuesday	April 10, 2018 Tuesday	<b>APRIL UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election. Special Note for Towns:</b> Other jurisdictions may <i>also</i> hold special elections on this date. If the town is <i>not</i> holding a <i>standalone</i> election: 1) Assistive voting devices <i>are</i> required and 2) Inclement weather postponement is decided by the jurisdiction with the <u>larger</u> geographic area. <i>M.S. 204B.16, subd. 1; 205.10, subds. 1, 3a &amp; 4; 205.105, subd. 2; 205A.05, subds. 1, 1a &amp; 2; 206.57, subd. 5a(a); 206.90, subd. 6; 373.50, subd. 2</i>	204B.16, subd. 1; 205.10, subds. 1, 3a & 4; 205.105, subd. 2; 205A.05, subds. 1, 1a & 2; 206.57, subd. 5a(a); 206.90, subd. 6; 373.50, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
April 10, 2018 Tuesday	April 11, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Recommended: Jurisdiction faxes or e-mails unofficial <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> election results to auditor.	Administrative	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election

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April 10, 2018 Tuesday	April 11, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> After polls close on <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> Election Day, at least 2 members of the ballot boards must "count" (may "run" tapes/reports) the Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot ballots providing for vote totals for each candidate & question for each precinct. The Absentee Ballot count for a precinct must be recorded on its own summary statement. May have up to 24 hours to complete Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot processing & counting tasks as per M.S. 203B.121, subd. 5(c). In state elections, Absentee Ballot & poll place totals for each precinct shall be combined before reported. In other elections, choice to report together or separately is available. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 5</i>	203B.121, subd. 5	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
April 11, 2018 Wednesday	April 11, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Election Judges <i>must</i> return <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> election materials to clerk's office – within 24 hours of the end of the hours for voting. <i>M.S. 204C.27</i>	204C.27	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges
April 11, 2018 Wednesday	April 11, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> County election offices begin to investigate returned PVCs, to challenge appropriate registration records and to mail notices to those voting in wrong precincts of <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> election day registrants. <i>M.S. 201.016, subd. 1a; 201.12, subd. 4; 201.121, subds. 2 &amp; 3; 201.275</i>	201.016, subd. 1a; 201.12, subd. 4; 201.121, subds. 2 & 3; 201.275	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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April 11, 2018 Wednesday	April 11, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> School district is to certify vote totals of "financial-related" ballot questions (identified in M.S. 205A.07, subd. 3a) on <b><i>April Uniform Election Date</i></b> special election ballot to Commissioner of Education - in a timely manner. <i>M.S. 205A.07, subd. 3a</i>	205A.07, subd. 3a	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
April 11, 2018 Wednesday	May 22, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Counties post voter history from <b><i>April Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections. Give history to late Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot (clerks notify auditor of received late Absentee Ballots & Mail Ballots). Roster history must be done - within 6 weeks after the election. <i>M.S. 201.171</i>	201.171	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
April 11, 2018 Wednesday	May 22, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Counties enter <b><i>April Uniform Election Date EDRs</i></b> into SVRS within 42 days, unless the county notifies OSS <i>before</i> deadline. <u>Upon receipt</u> , the OSS must extend deadline by an additional 28 days. OSS must post data about county's compliance and deadline dates on OSS website - 42 days after the election. <i>M.S. 201.121, subd. 1(a)</i>	201.121, subd. 1(a)	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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April 12, 2018 Thursday	April 12, 2018 Thursday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to return <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> election polling place rosters & completed voter registration cards to county auditor. A county auditor <b><u>MUST</u></b> receive these materials. If not delivered by deadline, county is responsible to coordinate arrangements to <i>gather</i> materials as soon as possible – within 48 hours after voting ends. <i>M.S. 204C.27</i>	204C.27	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
April 12, 2018 Thursday	April 13, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period for county, municipal or school district <b><u>April Uniform Election Date special primary</u></b> (not special election) <b><u>canvass board</u></b> to meet and certify results - between 2nd & 3rd day after special primary. <i>M.S. 204C.32, subd. 1; 205.065, subd. 5; 205A.03, subd. 4(a)(1)</i>	204C.32, subd. 1; 205.065, subd. 5; 205A.03, subd. 4(a)(1)	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
April 13, 2018 Friday	April 13, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to appoint election judges for <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections – at least 25 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.21, subd. 2</i>	204B.21, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges
April 13, 2018 Friday	April 13, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to notify affected voters of a <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> election polling place change – at least 25 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.16, subd. 1a</i>	204B.16, subd. 1a	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Polling Place



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April 13, 2018 Friday	April 20, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period for county, municipal or school district <b><i>April Uniform Election Date</i></b> special election ( <i>not</i> special primary) <u>canvass board</u> to meet and certify results. Municipality or school district certifies official results to county - between 3rd & 10th day after special election. <i>M.S. 204C.33, subd. 1; 205.185, subd. 3; 205A.185, subd. 3</i>	204C.33, subd. 1; 205.185, subd. 3; 205A.10, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
April 17, 2018 Tuesday	April 17, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for all <b><i>April Uniform Election Date</i></b> candidates/committees to file <i>Campaign Financial Report Certification of Filing</i> . A jurisdiction clerk who <u>issues</u> a certificate of election to a candidate who <u>has not certified</u> that all reports required have been filed is <u>guilty of a misdemeanor</u> – no later than 7 days after the general or special election. <i>M.S. 211A.05, subd. 1</i>	211A.05, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Filing
April 17, 2018 Tuesday	April 17, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to pre-register for <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections. Paper applications received in person or by mail have a 5:00 p.m. deadline. Online voter registrations received through OSS secure website have a 11:59 p.m. deadline – closes 21 days before election. <i>M.S. 201.061, subd. 1</i>	201.061, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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April 18, 2018 Wednesday	April 18, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for appointed election judges to provide written notice to employers w/certification (appt., hourly wage, hours of work) to be absent from work for serving on election day – at least 20 days before <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections. <i>M.S. 204B.195</i>	204B.195	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges
April 18, 2018 Wednesday	April 18, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for the operator of a residential facility to provide a certified list of employees eligible to vouch for residents of the facility to county auditor – no less than 20 days before the <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections. <i>M.S. 201.061, subd. 3(b); M.R. 8200.5100, subp. 1E(1)</i>	201.061, subd. 3(b); 8200.5100, subp. 1E(1)	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
April 18, 2018 Wednesday	May 04, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Counties produce polling place rosters for <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections after completing all registration-related tasks. <i>Paper</i> VRAs received by OSS by 5:00 p.m. on the 21st day before will be forwarded to appropriate counties as soon as possible. Also all " <i>online</i> " VRAs received up until 11:59 p.m. on the 21st day <b>must be</b> processed. Counties might not receive queued records until a couple days later (security checks). If the OSS is printing rosters, there are deadlines for "locking" the rosters. <i>M.S. 204B.28, subd. 2; 204C.10; M.R. 8200.9115</i>	204B.28, subd. 2; 204C.10; 8200.9115	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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April 18, 2018 Wednesday	May 07, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time during which Election Judges shall deliver <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> absentee ballots only to an eligible voter who is a temporary or permanent resident in a health care facility or hospital located in the municipality in which the voter maintains residence who has applied for Absentee Ballots to the county auditor or municipal clerk – 20 days preceding an election (Health Care Facility Outreach). <i>M.S. 203B.11, subd. 2</i>	203B.11, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
April 18, 2018 Wednesday	May 07, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Auditor mails late registration letters to those w/ <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections who did not meet the pre-reg. deadline. Some types of <i>returned</i> "mail ballots" have late reg. notice requirements too - begins 20 days before election. <i>M.R. 8200.3110; 8200.5100, subp. 1C; 8210.3000; subps. 7 &amp; 7a</i>	8200.3110; 8200.5100, subp. 1C; 8210.3000; subps. 7 & 7a	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
April 20, 2018 Friday	April 20, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> County completes entry of a random sampling of 3% of <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> election day registration applications & sends notice of registration to the sampling of applicants (PVCs) - within 10 days after an election. <i>M.S. 201.121, subd. 3(a); M.R. 8200.2700</i>	201.121, subd. 3(a); 8200.2700	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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April 23, 2018 Monday	April 23, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> School district with referendum votes on <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> submit a copy of the M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(b) required taxpayer notice to Commissioner of Education & counties that fall within school district's boundaries. <i>[School district required to notify Commissioner of Education of results within 15 days after certification of results (canvass board)]</i> - at least 15 days before the day of the referendum election. <i>M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(e)</i>	126C.17, subd. 9(e)	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
April 24, 2018 Tuesday	April 24, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for municipalities & school districts to publish <i>1st</i> of 2 notices of special elections being held on the <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> . Optional for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns – 2 weeks' published notice. <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1</i>	205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
April 24, 2018 Tuesday	April 24, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to publish municipal <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> <i>special election sample ballot</i> (Optional for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns) – at least 2 weeks before election. <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 2</i>	205.16, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice

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April 24, 2018 Tuesday	April 24, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to send an initial or subsequent mailing of Mail Ballot or Mail Election ballots to those voters in a <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> mail ballot precinct who registered to vote before the 20th day before the election - no later than 14 days before the election. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i>	204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
April 24, 2018 Tuesday	April 24, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> A <b><u>municipal May Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election <i>sample ballot</i> shall be posted and <i>made available for public inspection</i> in the clerk's office (and posted in <i>each</i> polling place on election day) - at least 2 weeks before the election. <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 3</i>	205.16, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
April 24, 2018 Tuesday	May 07, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time to do public accuracy test of <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> voting equipment to include tabulator and/or assistive voting devices – within 14 days of election. <b>Publish notice at least two days before test.</b> <i>M.S. 206.83</i>	206.83	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
April 27, 2018 Friday	April 27, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Last day to <u>post</u> notice of <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> municipal & school district special elections – at least 10 days before election. (Optional for 1st, 2nd & 3rd class cities & *metro towns; <i>mandatory</i> for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns that <i>dispensed</i> with published notices) <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1</i>	205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice

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April 28, 2018 Saturday	April 28, 2018 Saturday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Last day for a <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> election judge to submit written notice to clerk of serving voluntarily without pay – no later than 10 days before the election. <i>M.S. 204B.31, subd. 2</i>	204B.31, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges
April 28, 2018 Saturday	April 28, 2018 Saturday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Campaign finance reports due (If more than \$750 raised or spent and an initial report has been filed) - 10 days before the <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election or special primary. <i>M.S. 211A.02, subd. 1</i>	211A.02, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Filing
May 01, 2018 Tuesday	May 01, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Final corrected master list available for <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections - 7 days before election. <i>M.S. 201.091, subd. 2</i>	201.091, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
May 01, 2018 Tuesday	May 01, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for 1st, 2nd & 3rd class city , *metro-town & school district clerk to publish <b><u>2nd of 2 May Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections <b><u>Notice of Election</u></b> - 1 week before election. (Optional for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns) <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1</i>	205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice

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May 01, 2018 Tuesday	May 01, 2018 Tuesday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> After the close of business on the 7th day before the <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections, Absentee Ballot &amp; Mail Ballot return envelopes marked as "accepted" may be opened, duplicated as needed, initialed &amp; deposited in ballot box (counted) - begins the 7th day before election. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subds. 2(b)(6), 3(a) &amp; 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46; M.R. 8210.2450, subp. 6</i></p>	203B.121, subds. 2(b)(6), 3(a) & 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46; 8210.2450, subp. 6	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot
May 01, 2018 Tuesday	May 07, 2018 Monday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Date Special Election:</b> Period of time when counties or municipalities can choose to make available a ballot counter &amp; ballot box for the use of <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections "in person" Absentee Ballot voters (direct balloting). If alternate procedure is made available, Absentee Ballot voter must be given choice to use envelopes as per M.S. 203B.08, subd. 1 or place a voted ballot directly into a ballot counter. Absentee Ballot application &amp; signature of a certification statement are still required. The "accepted" Absentee Ballot must be immediately recorded in SVRS. This alternative procedure is not available for mail ballots - during the 7 days before the election. <i>M.S. 203B.081, subd. 3</i></p>	203B.081, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

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May 01, 2018 Tuesday	May 08, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time for agent delivery of <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> Absentee Ballots to a voter who would have difficulty getting to the polls because: 1) of incapacitating health reasons, 2) of disability, 3) is a patient of a health care facility, 4) is a resident of a facility providing assisted living services, 5) is a participant in a residential program for adults or, 6) is a resident of a shelter for battered women. The agent must have a preexisting relationship with the voter - during the 7 days preceding an election & until 2:00 p.m. on Election Day. <i>M.S. 203B.11, subd. 4</i>	203B.11, subd. 4	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
May 03, 2018 Thursday	May 03, 2018 Thursday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> If an Absentee Ballot or Mail Ballot returned ballot envelope is rejected within 5 days of the <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections, the envelopes must remain sealed & the administrator must attempt to contact the voter by telephone or e-mail to notify them of the rejection. Attempts to contact must be documented. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 2(c)(3); 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i>	203B.121, subd. 2(c)(3); 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot
May 04, 2018 Friday	May 04, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for <u>school district</u> to <i>post</i> <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> special election <i>sample ballot</i> in administrative offices. Post in each polling place on election day too - at least 4 days before election. <i>M.S. 205A.07, subd. 2</i>	205A.07, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice



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May 04, 2018 Friday	May 04, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for clerk to secure <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> election materials from auditor – 4 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.28, subd. 2</i>	204B.28, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
May 05, 2018 Saturday	May 05, 2018 Saturday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> County or municipal clerk's office must be open to accept Absentee Ballot applications & for casting of Absentee Ballots at least 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. School districts holding standalone election & administering their own Absentee Ballot voting, need not comply - Saturday before <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections. <i>M.S. 203B.085</i>	203B.085	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
May 07, 2018 Monday	May 07, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to apply for <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballots. Exceptions for some residents/patients in health care/residential facilities, hospitals & shelters ( <i>M.S. 203B.04, subd. 2 &amp; 203B.11, subds. 3 &amp; 4</i> ) and Mail Ballot & Mail Election eligible voters not registered at the time ballots were mailed ( <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2 &amp; 204B.46</i> ) - Absentee Ballot applications may be submitted at any time not less than 1 day before the day of that election. <i>M.S. 203B.04, subds. 1 &amp; 2; 203B.11, subds. 3 &amp; 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i>	203B.04; subds. 1 & 2; 203B.11, subds. 3 & 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

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May 07, 2018 Monday	May 07, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> county & municipal Absentee Ballot voting offices open until 5:00 p.m. for acceptance of Absentee Ballot applications & casting of Absentee Ballots. School districts conducting a standalone election & administering their own Absentee Ballot voting, need not comply - until 5:00 p.m. on the day immediately preceding election. <i>M.S. 203B.085</i>	203B.085	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
May 07, 2018 Monday	May 07, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to do public accuracy test of <u>May Uniform Election Date</u> voting equipment of tabulator and/or assistive voting devices - within 14 days of election. Publish <i>notice</i> at least 2 days before test. <i>M.S. 206.83</i>	206.83	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
May 07, 2018 Monday	May 07, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for election judges to secure <u>May Uniform Election Date</u> election supplies from clerk – no later than 9:00 p.m. the day before the election. <i>M.S. 204B.29, subd. 1</i>	204B.29, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges

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May 08, 2018 Tuesday	May 08, 2018 Tuesday	<b>MAY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election: 2nd Tuesday in May.</b> A county, municipal or school district question and/or county commissioner, municipal office or school board vacancy special election <i>may</i> be held this date. <i>M.S. 123A.48, subd. 14; 200.02, subd. 4(2); 205.07, subd. 3; 205.10, subd. 3a; 205A.05, subd. 1a; 375.101, subd. 1; 410.10, subd. 1; 447.32, subd. 2</i>	123A.48, subd. 14; 200.02, subd. 4(2); 205.07, subd. 3; 205.10, subd. 3a; 205A.05, subd. 1a; 375.101, subd. 1; 410.10, subd. 1; 447.32, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
May 08, 2018 Tuesday	May 08, 2018 Tuesday	<b>MAY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election: 2nd Tuesday in May.</b> No special taxing district (M.S. 275.066), school board, county board, city council or town board shall conduct a meeting between 6-8 p.m. on day of <i>an</i> election held within its boundaries. No MN state college or university events can be scheduled between 6-8 p.m. on day of <i>an</i> election held within political subdivision of its location. <i>M.S. 204C.03; subds. 1, 2 &amp; 4</i>	204C.03; subds. 1, 2 & 4	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
May 08, 2018 Tuesday	May 08, 2018 Tuesday	<b>MAY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election: 2nd Tuesday in May. Metro Area:</b> Minimum voting hours 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. (*Metro Area includes the following Counties: Anoka, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin, Isanti, Ramsey, Scott, Sherburne, Washington & Wright). <i>M.S. 200.02, subd. 24; 205.175; subd. 2; 205A.09, subd. 1</i>	200.02, subd. 24; 205.175; subd. 2; 205A.09, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day

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<p>May 08, 2018 Tuesday</p>	<p>May 08, 2018 Tuesday</p>	<p><b>MAY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>Non-Metro Area</u>:</b> Minimum voting hours 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. (*Metro area includes the following Counties: Anoka, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin, Isanti, Ramsey, Scott, Sherburne, Washington &amp; Wright). Longer hours can be approved by resolution or petition of voters. See M.S. 205.175, subd. 3 for details. <i>M.S. 200.02, subd. 24; 205.175, subds. 1 &amp; 3; 205A.09, subd. 2</i></p>	<p>200.02, subd. 24; 205.175, subds. 1 &amp; 3; 205A.09, subd. 2</p>	<p>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election</p>	<p>Election Day</p>
<p>May 08, 2018 Tuesday</p>	<p>May 08, 2018 Tuesday</p>	<p><b>MAY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY:</b> Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election: Agent delivery of absentee ballots <u>to</u> a voter who would have difficulty getting to the polls because of incapacitating health reasons, or who is disabled, or who is a patient of a health care facility, a resident of a facility providing assisted living services, a participant in a residential program for adults or a resident of a shelter for battered women. The agent must have a preexisting relationship with the voter - During the 7 days preceding an election and until 2:00 p.m. on Election Day. <i>M.S. 203B.11, subd. 4</i></p>	<p>203B.11, subd. 4</p>	<p>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election</p>	<p>Absentee Ballot</p>

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May 08, 2018 Tuesday	May 08, 2018 Tuesday	<b>MAY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY:</b> Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election. Returned Absentee Ballots can be returned by the voter or agent, in person, until 3:00 p.m. If delivered by mail or a package delivery service, ballot must arrive by 8:00 p.m. Absentee Ballots must be returned to county or local clerk's office listed in the return address of the Absentee Ballot return envelope. Absentee Ballots are NOT to be returned to the poll place. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subds. 1 &amp; 3; 203B.11, subd. 4</i>	203B.08, subds. 1 & 3; 203B.11, subd. 4	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
May 08, 2018 Tuesday	May 08, 2018 Tuesday	<b>MAY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election. Special Note for Towns:</b> Other jurisdictions may <i>also</i> hold special elections on this date. If the town is <i>not</i> holding a <i>standalone</i> election: 1) Assistive voting devices <i>are</i> required and 2) Inclement weather postponement is decided by the jurisdiction with the <u>larger</u> geographic area. <i>M.S. 204B.16, subd. 1; 205.10, subds. 1, 3a &amp; 4; 205.105, subd. 2; 205A.05, subds. 1, 1a &amp; 2; 206.57, subd. 5a(a); 206.90, subd. 6; 373.50, subd. 2</i>	204B.16, subd. 1; 205.10, subds. 1, 3a & 4; 205.105, subd. 2; 205A.05, subds. 1, 1a & 2; 206.57, subd. 5a(a); 206.90, subd. 6; 373.50, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
May 08, 2018 Tuesday	May 09, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Recommended: Jurisdiction faxes or e-mails unofficial <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> election results to auditor.	Administrative	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election

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May 08, 2018 Tuesday	May 09, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> After polls close on <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> Election Day, at least 2 members of the ballot boards must "count" (may "run" tapes/reports) the Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot ballots providing for vote totals for each candidate & question for each precinct. The Absentee Ballot count for a precinct must be recorded on its own summary statement. May have up to 24 hours to complete Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot processing & counting tasks as per M.S. 203B.121, subd. 5(c). In state elections, Absentee Ballot & poll place totals for each precinct shall be combined before reported. In other elections, choice to report together or separately is available. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 5</i>	203B.121, subd. 5	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
May 09, 2018 Wednesday	May 09, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Election Judges <i>must</i> return <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> election materials to clerk's office – within 24 hours of the end of the hours for voting. <i>M.S. 204C.27</i>	204C.27	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges
May 09, 2018 Wednesday	May 09, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> County election offices begin to investigate returned PVCs, to challenge appropriate registration records and to mail notices to those voting in wrong precincts of <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> election day registrants. <i>M.S. 201.016, subd. 1a; 201.12, subd. 4; 201.121, subds. 2 &amp; 3; 201.275</i>	201.016, subd. 1a; 201.12, subd. 4; 201.121, subds. 2 & 3; 201.275	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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May 09, 2018 Wednesday	May 09, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> School district is to certify vote totals of "financial-related" ballot questions (identified in M.S. 205A.07, subd. 3a) on <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> special election ballot to Commissioner of Education - in a timely manner. <i>M.S. 205A.07, subd. 3a</i>	205A.07, subd. 3a	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
May 09, 2018 Wednesday	June 19, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Counties post voter history from <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections. Give history to late Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot (clerks notify auditor of received late Absentee Ballots & Mail Ballots). Roster history must be done - within 6 weeks after the election. <i>M.S. 201.171</i>	201.171	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
May 09, 2018 Wednesday	June 19, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Counties enter <b><i>May Uniform Election Date EDRs</i></b> into SVRS within 42 days, unless the county notifies OSS <i>before</i> deadline. <u>Upon receipt</u> , the OSS must extend deadline by an additional 28 days. OSS must post data about county's compliance and deadline dates on OSS website - 42 days after the election. <i>M.S. 201.121, subd. 1(a)</i>	201.121, subd. 1(a)	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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May 10, 2018 Thursday	May 10, 2018 Thursday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Campaign Finance Report due - 30 days after the <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election (not special <i>primary</i> ) (IF initial report filed & final report not filed). If a required subsequent report is not filed by its due date, the filing officer <i>shall</i> immediately notify the candidate/committee of the failure to file. If report is not filed within 10 days after the notification is mailed, the filing officer <i>shall</i> file a complaint with OAH as per M.S. 211B.32. <i>M.S. 211A.02, subd. 1; 211A.05; 211B.32</i>	211A.02, subd. 1; 211A.05; 211B.32	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Filing
May 10, 2018 Thursday	May 10, 2018 Thursday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to return <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> election polling place rosters & completed voter registration cards to county auditor. A county auditor <b><i>MUST</i></b> receive these materials. If not delivered by deadline, county is responsible to coordinate arrangements to <i>gather</i> materials as soon as possible – within 48 hours after voting ends. <i>M.S. 204C.27</i>	204C.27	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
May 10, 2018 Thursday	May 11, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period for county, municipal or school district <b><u>May Uniform Election Date special primary</u></b> (not special election) <b><u>canvass board</u></b> to meet and certify results - between 2nd & 3rd day after special primary. <i>M.S. 204C.32, subd. 1; 205.065, subd. 5; 205A.03, subd. 4(a)(1)</i>	204C.32, subd. 1; 205.065, subd. 5; 205A.03, subd. 4(a)(1)	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election



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May 11, 2018 Friday	May 18, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period for county, municipal or school district <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> special election ( <i>not</i> special primary) <u>canvass board</u> to meet and certify results. Municipality or school district certifies official results to county - between 3rd & 10th day after special election. <i>M.S. 204C.33, subd. 1; 205.185, subd. 3; 205A.10, subd. 3</i>	204C.33, subd. 1; 205.185, subd. 3; 205A.10, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
May 15, 2018 Tuesday	May 15, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for all <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> candidates/committees to file <i>Campaign Financial Report Certification of Filing</i> . A jurisdiction clerk who <u>issues</u> a certificate of election to a candidate who <u>has not certified</u> that all reports required have been filed is <u>guilty of a misdemeanor</u> – no later than 7 days after the general or special election. <i>M.S. 211A.05, subd. 1</i>	211A.05, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Filing
May 18, 2018 Friday	May 18, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> County completes entry of a random sampling of 3% of <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> election day registration applications & sends notice of registration to the sampling of applicants (PVCs) - within 10 days after an election. <i>M.S. 201.121, subd. 3(a); M.R. 8200.2700</i>	201.121, subd. 3(a); 8200.2700	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
May 21, 2018 Monday	May 21, 2018 Monday	<b>Legislature:</b> Last day for 2018 Legislature to meet in regular session - first Monday following the 3rd Saturday in May of any year. <i>Minnesota Constitution, Article IV, Section 12</i>	Minn. Const. Article IV, Section 12	Legislature	Legislature

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May 22, 2018 Tuesday	May 22, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for counties to enter <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> roster voting history (including "received too late" Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot ballots) & EDRs into SVRS. EDR data entry can be extended if county notifies OSS before deadline. Upon receipt of extension request, the OSS must extend deadline by an additional 28 days - within 42 days of election. <i>M.S. 201.121, subd. 1(a); 201.171</i>	201.121, subd. 1(a); 201.171	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
May 22, 2018 Tuesday	June 19, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period to send notice of Absentee Ballot rejection if the voter did not otherwise vote in the <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election (not if it was a special primary) - 6-10 weeks after election. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 2(d)</i>	203B.121, subd. 2(d)	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
May 28, 2018 Monday	May 28, 2018 Monday	<b>Memorial Day Holiday:</b> No public business shall be transacted except in cases of necessity. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday

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June 07, 2018 Thursday	June 07, 2018 Thursday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Campaign Finance Report due - 30 days after the <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election (not special <i>primary</i> ) (IF initial report filed & final report not filed). If a required subsequent report is not filed by its due date, the filing officer <i>shall</i> immediately notify the candidate/committee of the failure to file. If report is not filed within 10 days after the notification is mailed, the filing officer <i>shall</i> file a complaint with OAH as per M.S. 211B.32. <i>M.S. 211A.02, subd. 1; 211A.05; 211B.32</i>	211A.02, subd. 1; 211A.05; 211B.32	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Filing
June 19, 2018 Tuesday	June 19, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for counties to enter <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> roster voting history (including "received too late" Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot ballots) & EDRs into SVRS. EDR data entry can be extended if county notifies OSS before deadline. Upon receipt of extension request, the OSS must extend deadline by an additional 28 days - within 42 days of election. <i>M.S. 201.121, subd. 1(a); 201.171</i>	201.121, subd. 1(a); 201.171	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
June 19, 2018 Tuesday	July 17, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period to send notice of Absentee Ballot rejection if the voter did not otherwise vote in the <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election (not if it was a special primary) - 6-10 weeks after election. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 2(d)</i>	203B.121, subd. 2(d)	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

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July 04, 2018 Wednesday	July 04, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Independence Day Holiday:</b> No public business shall be transacted, except in cases of necessity. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday
September 03, 2018 Monday	September 03, 2018 Monday	<b>Labor Day Holiday:</b> No public business shall be transacted, except in cases of necessity. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday
October 08, 2018 Monday	October 08, 2018 Monday	<b>Columbus Day Holiday:</b> Political subdivisions have the option of determining whether Columbus Day shall be a holiday on which no business shall be transacted. Where it is determined that Columbus Day is not a holiday, public business may be conducted. This day affects federal mail services. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday
November 06, 2018 Tuesday	November 06, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to designate location for <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> Absentee Ballot voting. Assistive voting device required for all Absentee Ballot voting locations, except towns having a standalone special election that are not required to have an assistive voting device at the election day poll location - 14 weeks before election. <i>M.S. 203B.081, subd. 2</i>	203B.081, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
November 12, 2018 Monday	November 12, 2018 Monday	<b>Veterans Day Holiday:</b> No public business shall be transacted, except in cases of necessity. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday

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November 14, 2018 Wednesday	November 14, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to notify OSS of a municipal use of electronic rosters (e-pollbooks) for the first time in the <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> election. Precincts are to be identified. Valid for those precincts for subsequent elections until revoked. If precincts are added later, a new notification is required - at least 90 days before the <i>first</i> election. <i>M.S. 201.225, subd. 6(a)</i>	201.225, subd. 6(a)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
November 14, 2018 Wednesday	November 14, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for municipality to authorize mail balloting for local elections by resolution (revocation of resolution has same deadline) before <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> special elections - no later than 90 days prior to the first election at which mail balloting will be used. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 2</i>	204B.45, subd. 1; 8210.3000, subp. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
November 14, 2018 Wednesday	November 14, 2018 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for jurisdiction to call for a <i>mail election</i> for a <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> "question-only" special election. <i>Mail election</i> expires at end of election - 90 days prior to mail election. <i>M.S. 204B.46; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 2</i>	204B.46; 8210.3000, subp. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Election
November 22, 2018 Thursday	November 22, 2018 Thursday	<b>Thanksgiving Holiday:</b> No public business shall be transacted, except in cases of necessity. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday

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November 23, 2018 Friday	November 23, 2018 Friday	<b>Day After Thanksgiving Holiday:</b> Political subdivisions have the option of determining whether Friday after Thanksgiving day shall be a holiday. Where it is determined that day after Thanksgiving is <i>not</i> a holiday, public business may be conducted. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday
November 30, 2018 Friday	November 30, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to provide written notice of <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> special and/or mail elections to auditor (if notice is not provided earlier than this date). Last day to provide notice of special election <b><i>cancellation</i></b> . Last day for auditor to notify OSS of special and/or mail elections by scheduling the election in SVRS – at least 74 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.46; 205.10, subd. 6; 205.16, subds. 4 &amp; 5; 205A.05, subd. 3; 205A.07, subds. 3 &amp; 3b; 447.32, subd. 3</i>	204B.46; 205.10, subd. 6; 205.16, subds. 4 & 5; 205A.05, subd. 3; 205A.07, subds. 3 & 3b; 447.32, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
November 30, 2018 Friday	November 30, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for <u>school district</u> to provide written notice to Commissioner of Education of certain types of financial-related ballot questions to be voted on at <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> - at least 74 days before election. <i>M.S. 205A.07, subd. 3a</i>	205A.07, subd. 3a	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice

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December 04, 2018 Tuesday	December 04, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> If a municipality or county (unorganized territories) has chosen mail <i>balloting</i> for <u>their</u> elections, last day to provide notice (post) of mail balloting and the special mail procedure for <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> special elections. If 1st mail ballot election, an <i>additional</i> notice must be given by a <i>different</i> method - at least 10 weeks prior to the election. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 3</i>	204B.45, subd. 2; 8210.3000, subp. 3	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
December 04, 2018 Tuesday	December 04, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to change precinct boundary prior to <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections - at least 10 weeks before the date of the next election (2019 is not a state election year). <i>M.S. 204B.14, subd. 4</i>	204B.14, subd. 4	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Boundaries
December 14, 2018 Friday	December 14, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for <u>postsecondary institutions to submit to county</u> a written agreement that they will certify for use accurate updated <i>residential housing lists</i> under M.S. 135A.17. Agreement is effective for <i>all</i> subsequent elections held in <i>that</i> calendar year - no later than 60 days prior to the <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> election. <i>M.S. 135A.17; 201.061, subd. 3(a)(3)(i); M.R. 8200.5100, subp. 3</i>	135A.17; 201.061, subd. 3(a)(3)(i); 8200.5100, subp. 3	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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December 14, 2018 Friday	December 14, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to send a <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballot application to each person on the list of eligible voters who have applied to automatically receive an Absentee Ballot application – at least 60 days before the election. <i>M.S. 203B.04, subd. 5; 203B.06, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.0200, subp. 4</i>	203B.04, subd. 5; 203B.06, subd. 1; 8210.0200, subp. 4	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
December 14, 2018 Friday	December 14, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for jurisdictions with <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections to disseminate information to the public about the use of a <i>new</i> voting system – at least 60 days prior to the election. <i>M.S. 206.58, subd. 1</i>	206.58, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
December 25, 2018 Tuesday	December 25, 2018 Tuesday	<b>Christmas Day Holiday:</b> No public business shall be transacted, except in cases of necessity. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday
December 27, 2018 Thursday	December 27, 2018 Thursday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Must appoint <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> <i>absentee, mail and UOCAVA (county auditor appoints) ballot board members</i> by the time they are to examine the voted ballot <i>return</i> envelopes and mark them "accepted" or "rejected" - before voted absentee, mail and UOCAVA ballots are returned. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 1; 203B.23, subd. 1; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i>	203B.121, subd. 1; 203B.23, subd. 1; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot



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December 28, 2018 Friday	December 28, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> The <i>county auditor</i> is to transmit <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> UOCAVA ballots for jurisdiction residents with UOCAVA applications on file for that calendar year. <u>Jurisdiction clerk to provide ballots to auditor's office for transmission</u> - at least 46 days before the election. <i>M.S. 203B.22</i>	203B.22	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
December 28, 2018 Friday	December 28, 2018 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Counties make master lists available for <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> Absentee Ballot voting. Suggestion: Even if SVRS is being used for Absentee Ballot voting, make sure to still have a paper copy of mater list available in the event that internet access or power is not available. Absentee Ballot voting continues regardless of access to the SVRS database - at least 46 days before each election. <i>M.S. 201.091, subd. 2</i>	201.091, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
December 28, 2018 Friday	January 29, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Period of time for <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> mail election (no candidates) ballots (question-only special elections) - not more than 46 nor later than 14 days prior to the special election. <i>M.S. 204B.46</i>	204B.46	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Election

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December 28, 2018 Friday	February 11, 2019 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time for Absentee Voting for <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> . Assistive voting device required for all Absentee Ballot voting locations, except towns having a standalone special election that are not required to have an assistive voting device at the election day poll location - at least 46 days before election through day before election. <i>M.S. 203B.04, subds. 1 &amp; 2(a); 203B.081, subd. 2; 204B.35, subd. 4; M.R. 8250.0200; 8250.1810, subp. 1</i>	203B.04, subds. 1 & 2(a); 203B.081, subd. 2; 204B.35, subd. 4; 8250.0200; 8250.1810, subp. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
December 28, 2018 Friday	February 12, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> An agent returning another's Absentee Ballot or Mail Ballot must show ID with name & signature. <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> administrators record agent's name/address, voter's name/address & has agent sign the log. An agent may deliver nor more than three voters in any election. Ballot packets returned by agents are to be reviewed for tampering. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.2200, subp. 3</i>	203B.08, subd. 1; 8210.2200, subp. 3	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
December 28, 2018 Friday	February 12, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> All <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> administrators date, stamp or initial & record returned voted ballot envelopes (if SVRS being used, mark as received in SVRS) & place in secure location for ballot board review. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 3; M.R. 8210.2300; 8210.2400</i>	203B.08, subd. 3; 8210.2300; 8210.2400	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

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December 28, 2018 Friday	February 13, 2019 Wednesday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: <i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> Absentee Ballot and Mail Election ballot boards review voted returned ballot envelopes for "acceptance" or "rejection." Within 5 days after receipt for voted ballots returned from beginning of Absentee Ballot voting period through the 15th day before the election. Beginning the 14th day before the election, voted ballots must be reviewed within 3 days - beginning of Absentee Ballot and Mail Election voting period (at least 46 days before election) until no later than 24 hours after the end of voting. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 3; 203B.121, subd. 5(c); 204B.46</i></p>	203B.08, subd. 3; 203B.121, subd. 5(c); 204B.46	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
December 29, 2018 Saturday	February 12, 2019 Tuesday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Municipality must <u>not</u> make a change to the <i>number or name of a street address</i> of an existing residence prior to <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections in a jurisdiction which includes the affected residence - not during the 45 days prior to <b><i>any</i></b> election. <i>M.S. 201.11, subd. 2</i></p>	201.11, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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December 31, 2018 Monday	December 31, 2018 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to designate location for <b><i>April Uniform Election Date</i></b> Absentee Ballot voting. Assistive voting device required for all Absentee Ballot voting locations, except towns having a standalone special election that are not required to have an assistive voting device at the election day poll location - 14 weeks before election (1/1/2019 is a Holiday). M.S. 203B.081, subd. 2	203B.081, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
January 01, 2019 Tuesday	January 01, 2019 Tuesday	<b>New Year's Day Holiday:</b> No public business shall be transacted, except in cases of necessity. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday
January 01, 2019 Tuesday	February 11, 2019 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Municipalities provide for instruction of voters with a demonstration voting system in a public place for the 6 weeks immediately prior to the 1st election at which the new voting system will be used ( <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> ). <i>M.S. 206.58, subd. 1</i>	206.58, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment

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<p>January 08, 2019 Tuesday</p>	<p>January 08, 2019 Tuesday</p>	<p><b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Because of the Annual List Maintenance (ALM), if a jurisdiction with <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections has sent any Absentee Ballot ballots for the March Town elections to registered voters before this date, they should contact the county elections office and verify that those names are not on the "inactivation" list. If so, the county will need to re-activate the voter's record because they have applied for an Absentee Ballot ballot (completed an election activity that includes signing a certification statement) before the ALM process and, therefore, their record should remain active. <i>M.S. 201.171</i></p>	<p>201.171</p>	<p>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election</p>	<p>Administrative</p>
<p>January 09, 2019 Wednesday</p>	<p>January 09, 2019 Wednesday</p>	<p><b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to notify OSS of a county, municipality or school district use of electronic rosters (e-pollbooks) for the first time in the <b><i>April Uniform Election Date</i></b> election. Precincts are to be identified. Valid for those precincts for subsequent elections until revoked. If precincts are added later, a new notification is required - at least 90 days before the <i>first</i> election. <i>M.S. 201.225, subd. 6(a)</i></p>	<p>201.225, subd. 6(a)</p>	<p>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election</p>	<p>Equipment</p>

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January 09, 2019 Wednesday	January 09, 2019 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for municipality to authorize mail balloting for local elections by resolution (revocation of resolution has same deadline) before <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> special elections - no later than 90 days prior to the first election at which mail balloting will be used. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 2</i>	204B.45, subd. 1; 8210.3000, subp. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
January 09, 2019 Wednesday	January 09, 2019 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for jurisdiction to call for a <i>mail election</i> for a <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> "question-only" special election. <i>Mail election</i> expires at end of election - 90 days prior to mail election. <i>M.S. 204B.46; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 2</i>	204B.46; 8210.3000, subp. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Election
January 11, 2019 Friday	January 11, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day county, municipality or school district to certify to OSS that the electronic rosters (e-pollbooks) being used at <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> election <b><i>meet all of the requirements</i></b> of M.S. 201.225 - at least 30 days before <i>each</i> election. <i>M.S. 201.225, subd. 6(b)</i>	201.225, subd. 6(b)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment

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January 13, 2019 Sunday	January 28, 2019 Monday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period for school districts to send M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(b) required <i>taxpayer</i> notices of <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections referendum vote. Mailed to "taxpayers" (list is often obtained through county GIS or tax office) - at least 15 days but no more than 30 days before the day of the referendum election. <i>M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(b)</i></p>	126C.17, subd. 9(b)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
January 13, 2019 Sunday	January 29, 2019 Tuesday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time to send <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> mail ballots to registered voters in mail ballot precincts or mail elections by nonforwardable mail. Send NRMail Ballot notice to Challenged/See ID identified voters - not more than 30 days (not regularly scheduled election) nor later than 14 days. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2</i></p>	204B.45, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot

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January 13, 2019 Sunday	February 13, 2019 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> Mail Ballot ballot boards review voted returned ballot envelopes for "acceptance" or "rejection." Within 5 days after receipt for voted ballots returned from beginning of Mail Ballot voting period through the 15th day before the election. Beginning the 14th day before the election, voted ballots must be reviewed within 3 days - beginning of Mail Ballot voting period (at least 30 days before "not regularly scheduled" election) until no later than 24 hours after the end of voting. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 3; 204B.45, subd. 2; 203B.121, subd. 5(c)</i>	203B.08, subd. 3; 204B.45, subd. 2; 203B.121, subd. 5(c)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
January 15, 2019 Tuesday	January 15, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Legislature:</b> OSS provides to the chair and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with jurisdiction over elections a statistical report related to Absentee Ballot voting in the most recent State Elections Cycle - by January 15 of every odd-numbered year. <i>M.S. 203B.28</i>	203B.28	Legislature	Absentee Ballot
January 18, 2019 Friday	January 18, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to appoint election judges for <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections – at least 25 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.21, subd. 2</i>	204B.21, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges



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January 18, 2019 Friday	January 18, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to notify affected voters of a <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> election polling place change – at least 25 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.16, subd. 1a</i>	204B.16, subd. 1a	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Polling Place
January 21, 2019 Monday	January 21, 2019 Monday	<b>Martin Luther King Jr. Day Holiday:</b> No public business shall be transacted, except in cases of necessity. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday
January 22, 2019 Tuesday	January 22, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Last day to pre-register for <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections. Paper applications received in person or by mail have a 5:00 p.m. deadline. Online voter registrations received through OSS secure website have a 11:59 p.m. deadline – closes 21 days before election. <i>M.S. 201.061, subd. 1</i>	201.061, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
January 23, 2019 Wednesday	January 23, 2019 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for the operator of a residential facility to provide a certified list of employees eligible to vouch for residents of the facility to county auditor – no less than 20 days before the <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections. <i>M.S. 201.061, subd. 3(b); M.R. 8200.5100, subp. 1E(1)</i>	201.061, subd. 3(b); 8200.5100, subp. 1E(1)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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January 23, 2019 Wednesday	February 08, 2019 Friday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Counties produce polling place rosters for <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections after completing all registration-related tasks. <i>Paper</i> VRAs received by OSS by 5:00 p.m. on the 21st day before will be forwarded to appropriate counties as soon as possible. Also all "<i>online</i>" VRAs received up until 11:59 p.m. on the 21st day <u>must be</u> processed. Counties might not receive queued records until a couple days later (security checks). If the OSS is printing rosters, there are deadlines for "locking" the rosters. <i>M.S. 204B.28, subd. 2; 204C.10; M.R. 8200.9115</i></p>	204B.28, subd. 2; 204C.10; 8200.9115	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
January 23, 2019 Wednesday	February 11, 2019 Monday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time during which Election Judges shall deliver <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> absentee ballots only to an eligible voter who is a temporary or permanent resident in a health care facility or hospital located in the municipality in which the voter maintains residence who has applied for Absentee Ballots to the county auditor or municipal clerk – 20 days preceding an election (Health Care Facility Outreach). <i>M.S. 203B.11, subd. 2</i></p>	203B.11, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

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January 23, 2019 Wednesday	February 11, 2019 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Auditor mails late registration letters to those w/ <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections who did not meet the pre-reg. deadline. Some types of <i>returned</i> "mail ballots" have late reg. notice requirements too - begins 20 days before election. <i>M.R. 8200.3110; 8200.5100, subp. 1C; 8210.3000; subps. 7 &amp; 7a</i>	8200.3110; 8200.5100, subp. 1C; 8210.3000; subps. 7 & 7a	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
January 25, 2019 Friday	January 25, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to provide written notice of <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> special and/or mail elections to auditor (if notice is not provided earlier than this date). Last day to provide notice of special election <i>cancellation</i> . Last day for auditor to notify OSS of special and/or mail elections by scheduling the election in SVRS – at least 74 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.46; 205.10, subd. 6; 205.16, subds. 4 &amp; 5; 205A.05, subd. 3; 205A.07, subds. 3 &amp; 3b; 447.32, subd. 3</i>	204B.46; 205.10, subd. 6; 205.16, subds. 4 & 5; 205A.05, subd. 3; 205A.07, subds. 3 & 3b; 447.32, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
January 25, 2019 Friday	January 25, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for <u>school district</u> to provide written notice to Commissioner of Education of certain types of financial-related ballot questions to be voted on at <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> - at least 74 days before election. <i>M.S. 205A.07, subd. 3a</i>	205A.07, subd. 3a	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice

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January 28, 2019 Monday	January 28, 2019 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> School district with referendum votes on <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> ballots submit a copy of the M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(b) required taxpayer notice to Commissioner of Education & counties that fall within school district's boundaries. <i>[School district required to notify Commissioner of Education of results within 15 days after certification of results (canvass board)]</i> - at least 15 days before the day of the referendum election. <i>M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(e)</i>	126C.17, subd. 9(e)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
January 29, 2019 Tuesday	January 29, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> If a municipality or county (unorganized territories) has chosen mail <i>balloting</i> for <u>their</u> elections, last day to provide notice (post) of mail balloting and the special mail procedure for <b><i>April Uniform Election Date</i></b> special elections. If 1st mail ballot election, an <i>additional</i> notice must be given by a <i>different</i> method - at least 10 weeks prior to the election. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 3</i>	204B.45, subd. 2; 8210.3000, subp. 3	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
January 29, 2019 Tuesday	January 29, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to change precinct boundary prior to <b><i>April Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections - at least 10 weeks before the date of the next election (2019 is not a state election year). <i>M.S. 204B.14, subd. 4</i>	204B.14, subd. 4	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Boundaries

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January 29, 2019 Tuesday	January 29, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for municipalities & school districts to publish 1st of 2 notices of special elections being held on the <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> . Optional for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns – 2 weeks' published notice. <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1</i>	205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
January 29, 2019 Tuesday	January 29, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to publish municipal <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> special election <i>sample ballot</i> (Optional for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns) – at least 2 weeks before election. <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 2</i>	205.16, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
January 29, 2019 Tuesday	January 29, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to send an initial or subsequent mailing of Mail Ballot or Mail Election ballots to those voters in a <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> mail ballot precinct who registered to vote before the 20th day before the election - no later than 14 days before the election. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i>	204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
January 29, 2019 Tuesday	January 29, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> A municipal <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> special election <i>sample ballot</i> shall be posted and <i>made available for public inspection</i> in the clerk's office (and posted in <i>each</i> polling place on election day) - at least 2 weeks before the election. <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 3</i>	205.16, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice

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January 29, 2019 Tuesday	February 11, 2019 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time to do public accuracy test of <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> voting equipment to include tabulator and/or assistive voting devices – within 14 days of election. <b>Publish notice at least two days before test. M.S. 206.83</b>	206.83	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
February 02, 2019 Saturday	February 02, 2019 Saturday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Last day to <u>post</u> notice of <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> municipal & school district special elections – at least 10 days before election. (Optional for 1st, 2nd & 3rd class cities & *metro towns; <i>mandatory</i> for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns that <i>dispensed</i> with published notices) <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1</i>	205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
February 02, 2019 Saturday	February 02, 2019 Saturday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Last day for a <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> election judge to submit written notice to clerk of serving voluntarily without pay – no later than 10 days before the election. <i>M.S. 204B.31, subd. 2</i>	204B.31, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges
February 02, 2019 Saturday	February 02, 2019 Saturday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Campaign finance reports due ( <u>if</u> more than \$750 raised or spent <u>and</u> an initial report has been filed) - 10 days before the <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election or special primary. <i>M.S. 211A.02, subd. 1</i>	211A.02, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Filing

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February 05, 2019 Tuesday	February 05, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to designate location for <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballot voting. Assistive voting device required for all Absentee Ballot voting locations, except towns having a standalone special election that are not required to have an assistive voting device at the election day poll location - 14 weeks before election. <i>M.S. 203B.081, subd. 2</i>	203B.081, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 05, 2019 Tuesday	February 05, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Final corrected master list available for <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections - 7 days before election. <i>M.S. 201.091, subd. 2</i>	201.091, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
February 05, 2019 Tuesday	February 05, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for 1st, 2nd & 3rd class city , *metro-town & school district clerk to publish 2nd of 2 <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections <b><u>Notice of Election</u></b> - 1 week before election. (Optional for 4th class cities & *non-metro towns) <i>M.S. 205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1</i>	205.16, subd. 1; 205A.07, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice

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February 05, 2019 Tuesday	February 05, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> After the close of business on the 7th day before the <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections, Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot return envelopes marked as "accepted" may be opened, duplicated as needed, initialed & deposited in ballot box (counted) - begins the 7th day before election. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subds. 2(b)(6), 3(a) &amp; 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46; M.R. 8210.2450, subp. 6</i>	203B.121, subds. 2(b)(6), 3(a) & 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46; 8210.2450, subp. 6	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot
February 05, 2019 Tuesday	February 11, 2019 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Period of time when counties or municipalities can choose to make available a ballot counter & ballot box for the use of <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections "in person" Absentee Ballot voters (direct balloting). If alternate procedure is made available, Absentee Ballot voter must be given choice to use envelopes as per M.S. 203B.08, subd. 1 or place a voted ballot directly into a ballot counter. Absentee Ballot application & signature of a certification statement are still required. The "accepted" Absentee Ballot must be immediately recorded in SVRS. This alternative procedure is not available for mail ballots - during the 7 days before the election. <i>M.S. 203B.081, subd. 3</i>	203B.081, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot



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February 05, 2019 Tuesday	February 12, 2019 Tuesday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time for agent delivery of <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballots to a voter who would have difficulty getting to the polls because: 1) of incapacitating health reasons, 2) of disability, 3) is a patient of a health care facility, 4) is a resident of a facility providing assisted living services, 5) is a participant in a residential program for adults or, 6) is a resident of a shelter for battered women. The agent must have a preexisting relationship with the voter - during the 7 days preceding an election &amp; until 2:00 p.m. on Election Day. <i>M.S. 203B.11, subd. 4</i></p>	203B.11, subd. 4	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 07, 2019 Thursday	February 07, 2019 Thursday	<p><b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> If an Absentee Ballot or Mail Ballot returned ballot envelope is rejected within 5 days of the <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections, the envelopes must remain sealed &amp; the administrator must attempt to contact the voter by telephone or e-mail to notify them of the rejection. Attempts to contact must be documented. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 2(c)(3); 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i></p>	203B.121, subd. 2(c)(3); 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot

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February 08, 2019 Friday	February 08, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Date Special Election:</b> Last day to send a <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballot application to each person on the list of eligible voters who have applied to automatically receive an Absentee Ballot application – at least 60 days before the election. <i>M.S. 203B.04, subd. 5; 203B.06, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.0200, subp. 4</i>	203B.04, subd. 5; 203B.06, subd. 1; 8210.0200, subp. 4	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 08, 2019 Friday	February 08, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for jurisdiction with <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections to disseminate information to the public about the use of a <i>new</i> voting system – at least 60 days prior to the election. <i>M.S. 206.58, subd. 1</i>	206.58, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
February 08, 2019 Friday	February 08, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for <u>school district</u> to <b><u>post February Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election <i>sample ballot</i> in administrative offices. Post in each polling place on election day too - at least 4 days before election. <i>M.S. 205A.07, subd. 2</i>	205A.07, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
February 08, 2019 Friday	February 08, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for clerk to secure <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> election materials from auditor – 4 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.28, subd. 2</i>	204B.28, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day

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February 09, 2019 Saturday	February 09, 2019 Saturday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> County or municipal clerk's office must be open to accept Absentee Ballot applications & for casting of Absentee Ballots at least 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. School districts holding standalone election & administering their own Absentee Ballot voting, need not comply - Saturday before <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> elections. <i>M.S. 203B.085</i>	203B.085	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 11, 2019 Monday	February 11, 2019 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to apply for <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> Absentee Ballots. Exceptions for some residents/patients in health care/residential facilities, hospitals & shelters (M.S. 203B.04, subd. 2 & 203B.11, subds. 3 & 4) and Mail Ballot & Mail Election eligible voters not registered at the time ballots were mailed (M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2 & 204B.46) - Absentee Ballot applications may be submitted at any time not less than 1 day before the day of that election. <i>M.S. 203B.04, subds. 1 &amp; 2; 203B.11, subds. 3 &amp; 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i>	203B.04; subds. 1 & 2; 203B.11, subds. 3 & 4; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

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February 11, 2019 Monday	February 11, 2019 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> county & municipal Absentee Ballot voting offices open until 5:00 p.m. for acceptance of Absentee Ballot applications & casting of Absentee Ballots. School districts conducting a standalone election & administering their own Absentee Ballot voting, need not comply - until 5:00 p.m. on the day immediately preceding election. <i>M.S. 203B.085</i>	203B.085	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 11, 2019 Monday	February 11, 2019 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to do public accuracy test of <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> voting equipment of tabulator and/or assistive voting devices - within 14 days of election. Publish <i>notice</i> at least 2 days before test. <i>M.S. 206.83</i>	206.83	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
February 11, 2019 Monday	February 11, 2019 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for election judges to secure <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> election supplies from clerk – no later than 9:00 p.m. the day before the election. <i>M.S. 204B.29, subd. 1</i>	204B.29, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges

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February 12, 2019 Tuesday	February 12, 2019 Tuesday	<b>FEBRUARY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: 2nd Tuesday in February.</b> A county, municipal or school district question and/or county commissioner, municipal office or school board vacancy special election <i>may</i> be held this date. <i>M.S. 123A.48, subd. 14; 200.02, subd. 4(2); 205.07, subd. 3; 205.10, subd. 3a; 205A.05, subd. 1a; 375.101, subd. 1; 410.10, subd. 1; 447.32, subd. 2</i>	123A.48, subd. 14; 200.02, subd. 4(2); 205.07, subd. 3; 205.10, subd. 3a; 205A.05, subd. 1a; 375.101, subd. 1; 410.10, subd. 1; 447.32, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
February 12, 2019 Tuesday	February 12, 2019 Tuesday	<b>FEBRUARY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: 2nd Tuesday in February.</b> No special taxing district (M.S. 275.066), school board, county board, city council or town board shall conduct a meeting between 6-8 p.m. on day of <i>an</i> election held within its boundaries. No MN state college or university events can be scheduled between 6-8 p.m. on day of <i>an</i> election held within political subdivision of its location. <i>M.S. 204C.03; subds. 1, 2 &amp; 4</i>	204C.03; subds. 1, 2 & 4	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
February 12, 2019 Tuesday	February 12, 2019 Tuesday	<b>FEBRUARY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: 2nd Tuesday in February.</b> <b>Metro Area:</b> Minimum voting hours 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. (*Metro Area includes the following Counties: Anoka, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin, Isanti, Ramsey, Scott, Sherburne, Washington & Wright). <i>M.S. 200.02, subd. 24; 205.175; subd. 2; 205A.09, subd. 1</i>	200.02, subd. 24; 205.175; subd. 2; 205A.09, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day

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February 12, 2019 Tuesday	February 12, 2019 Tuesday	<p><b>FEBRUARY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>Non-Metro Area:</u></b>            Minimum voting hours 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. (*Metro area includes the following Counties: Anoka, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin, Isanti, Ramsey, Scott, Sherburne, Washington &amp; Wright). Longer hours can be approved by resolution or petition of voters. See M.S. 205.175, subd. 3 for details. <i>M.S. 200.02, subd. 24; 205.175, subds. 1 &amp; 3; 205A.09, subd. 2</i></p>	200.02, subd. 24; 205.175, subds. 1 & 3; 205A.09, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
February 12, 2019 Tuesday	February 12, 2019 Tuesday	<p><b>FEBRUARY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY:</b>            Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: Agent delivery of absentee ballots to a voter who would have difficulty getting to the polls because of incapacitating health reasons, or who is disabled, or who is a patient of a health care facility, a resident of a facility providing assisted living services, a participant in a residential program for adults or a resident of a shelter for battered women. The agent must have a preexisting relationship with the voter - During the 7 days preceding an election and until 2:00 p.m. on Election Day. <i>M.S. 203B.11, subd. 4</i></p>	203B.11, subd. 4	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

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February 12, 2019 Tuesday	February 12, 2019 Tuesday	<b>FEBRUARY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY:</b> Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election. Returned Absentee Ballots can be returned by the voter or agent, in person, until 3:00 p.m. If delivered by mail or a package delivery service, ballot must arrive by 8:00 p.m. Absentee Ballots must be returned to county or local clerk's office listed in the return address of the Absentee Ballot return envelope. Absentee Ballots are NOT to be returned to the poll place. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subds. 1 &amp; 3; 203B.11, subd. 4</i>	203B.08, subds. 1 & 3; 203B.11, subd. 4	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 12, 2019 Tuesday	February 12, 2019 Tuesday	<b>FEBRUARY UNIFORM ELECTION DAY: Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election. Special Note for Towns:</b> Other jurisdictions may <i>also</i> hold special elections on this date. If the town is <i>not</i> holding a <i>standalone</i> election: 1) Assistive voting devices <i>are</i> required and 2) Inclement weather postponement is decided by the jurisdiction with the <u>larger</u> geographic area. <i>M.S. 204B.16, subd. 1; 205.10, subds. 1, 3a &amp; 4; 205.105, subd. 2; 205A.05, subds. 1, 1a &amp; 2; 206.57, subd. 5a(a); 206.90, subd. 6; 373.50, subd. 2</i>	204B.16, subd. 1; 205.10, subds. 1, 3a & 4; 205.105, subd. 2; 205A.05, subds. 1, 1a & 2; 206.57, subd. 5a(a); 206.90, subd. 6; 373.50, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Day
February 12, 2019 Tuesday	February 13, 2019 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election: Recommended:</b> Jurisdiction faxes or e-mails unofficial <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> election results to auditor.	Administrative	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election

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February 12, 2019 Tuesday	February 13, 2019 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> After polls close on <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> ballot boards must "count" (may "run" tapes/reports) the Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot ballots providing for vote totals for each candidate & question for each precinct. The Absentee Ballot count for a precinct must be recorded on its own summary statement. May have up to 24 hours to complete Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot processing & counting tasks as per M.S. 203B.121, subd. 5(c). In state elections, Absentee Ballot & poll place totals for each precinct shall be combined before reported. In other elections, choice to report together or separately is available. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 5</i>	203B.121, subd. 5	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
February 13, 2019 Wednesday	February 13, 2019 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Election Judges <i>must</i> return <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> election materials to clerk's office – within 24 hours of the end of the hours for voting. <i>M.S. 204C.27</i>	204C.27	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Election Judges
February 13, 2019 Wednesday	February 13, 2019 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> County election offices begin to investigate returned PVCs, to challenge appropriate registration records and to mail notices to those voting in wrong precincts of <b><i>February Uniform Election Date</i></b> election day registrants. <i>M.S. 201.016, subd. 1a; 201.12, subd. 4; 201.121, subds. 2 &amp; 3; 201.275</i>	201.016, subd. 1a; 201.12, subd. 4; 201.121, subds. 2 & 3; 201.275	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration



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February 13, 2019 Wednesday	February 13, 2019 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to notify OSS of a county, municipal or school district use of electronic rosters (e-pollbooks) for the first time in the <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> election. Precincts are to be identified. Valid for those precincts for subsequent elections until revoked. If precincts are added later, a new notification is required - at least 90 days before the <i>first</i> election. <i>M.S. 201.225, subd. 6(a)</i>	201.225, subd. 6(a)	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
February 13, 2019 Wednesday	February 13, 2019 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for municipality to authorize mail balloting for local elections by resolution (revocation of resolution has same deadline) before <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> special elections - no later than 90 days prior to the first election at which mail balloting will be used. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 2</i>	204B.45, subd. 1; 8210.3000, subp. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot
February 13, 2019 Wednesday	February 13, 2019 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for jurisdiction to call for a <i>mail election</i> for a <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> "question-only" special election. Mail <i>election</i> expires at end of election - 90 days prior to mail election. <i>M.S. 204B.46; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 2</i>	204B.46; 8210.3000, subp. 2	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Election

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February 13, 2019 Wednesday	March 26, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> School district is to certify vote totals of "financial-related" ballot questions (identified in M.S. 205A.07, subd. 3a) on <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> special election ballot to Commissioner of Education - in a timely manner. <i>M.S. 205A.07, subd. 3a</i>	205A.07, subd. 3a	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
February 13, 2019 Wednesday	March 26, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Counties post voter history from <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections. Give history to late Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot (clerks notify auditor of received late Absentee Ballots & Mail Ballots). Roster history must be done - within 6 weeks after the election. <i>M.S. 201.171</i>	201.171	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
February 13, 2019 Wednesday	March 26, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Counties enter <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> EDRs into SVRS within 42 days, unless the county notifies OSS <i>before</i> deadline. <u>Upon receipt</u> , the OSS must extend deadline by an additional 28 days. OSS must post data about county's compliance and deadline dates on OSS website - 42 days after the election. <i>M.S. 201.121, subd. 1(a)</i>	201.121, subd. 1(a)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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February 14, 2019 Thursday	February 14, 2019 Thursday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to return <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> election polling place rosters & completed voter registration cards to county auditor. A county auditor <b><i>MUST</i></b> receive these materials. If not delivered by deadline, county is responsible to coordinate arrangements to <i>gather</i> materials as soon as possible – within 48 hours after voting ends. <i>M.S. 204C.27</i>	204C.27	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
February 14, 2019 Thursday	February 15, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period for county, municipal or school district <b><u>February Uniform Election Date special primary</u></b> ( <i>not</i> special election) <b><u>canvass board</u></b> to meet and certify results - between 2nd & 3rd day after special primary. <i>M.S. 204C.32, subd. 1; 205.065, subd. 5; 205A.03, subd. 4(a)(1)</i>	204C.32, subd. 1; 205.065, subd. 5; 205A.03, subd. 4(a)(1)	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
February 15, 2019 Friday	February 22, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period for county, municipal or school district <b><u>February Uniform Election Date special election</u></b> ( <i>not</i> special primary) <b><u>canvass board</u></b> to meet and certify results. Municipality or school district certifies official results to county - between 3rd & 10th day after special election. <i>M.S. 204C.33, subd. 1; 205.185, subd. 3; 205A.10, subd. 3</i>	204C.33, subd. 1; 205.185, subd. 3; 205A.10, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	After the Election
February 18, 2019 Monday	February 18, 2019 Monday	<b>Presidents' Day Holiday:</b> No public business shall be transacted, except in cases of necessity. <i>M.S. 645.44, subd. 5</i>	645.44, subd. 5	Holiday	Holiday

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February 19, 2019 Tuesday	February 19, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for all <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> candidates/committees to file <i>Campaign Financial Report Certification of Filing</i> . A jurisdiction clerk who <u>issues</u> a certificate of election to a candidate who <u>has not certified</u> that all reports required have been filed is <u>guilty of a misdemeanor</u> – no later than 7 days after the general or special election. <i>M.S. 211A.05, subd. 1</i>	211A.05, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Filing
February 21, 2019 Thursday	February 21, 2019 Thursday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Must appoint <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> <i>absentee, mail and UOCAVA (county auditor appoints) ballot board members</i> <u>by</u> the time they are to examine the voted ballot <i>return</i> envelopes and mark them "accepted" or "rejected" - before voted absentee, mail and UOCAVA ballots are returned. <i>M.S. 203B.121, subd. 1; 203B.23, subd. 1; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46</i>	203B.121, subd. 1; 203B.23, subd. 1; 204B.45, subd. 2; 204B.46	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot & Mail Ballot
February 22, 2019 Friday	February 22, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> County completes entry of a random sampling of 3% of <b><u>February Uniform Election Date</u></b> election day registration applications & sends notice of registration to the sampling of applicants (PVCs) - within 10 days after an election. <i>M.S. 201.121, subd. 3(a); M.R. 8200.2700</i>	201.121, subd. 3(a); 8200.2700	Jurisdiction with February Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration

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February 22, 2019 Friday	February 22, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> The <i>county auditor</i> is to transmit <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> UOCAVA ballots for jurisdiction residents with UOCAVA applications on file for that calendar year. <u>Jurisdiction clerk to provide ballots to auditor's office for transmission - at least 46 days before the election. <i>M.S. 203B.22</i></u>	203B.22	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 22, 2019 Friday	February 22, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Counties make master lists available for <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballot voting. Suggestion: Even if SVRS is being used for Absentee Ballot voting, make sure to still have a paper copy of mater list available in the event that internet access or power is not available. Absentee Ballot voting continues regardless of access to the SVRS database - at least 46 days before each election. <i>M.S. 201.091, subd. 2</i>	201.091, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
February 22, 2019 Friday	March 26, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Elections:</b> Period of time for <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> <i>mail election</i> (no candidates) ballots (question-only special elections) - not more than 46 nor later than 14 days prior to the special election. <i>M.S. 204B.46</i>	204B.46	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Election

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February 22, 2019 Friday	April 08, 2019 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time for Absentee Voting for <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> . Assistive voting device required for all Absentee Ballot voting locations, except towns having a standalone special election that are not required to have an assistive voting device at the election day poll location - at least 46 days before election through day before election. <i>M.S. 203B.04, subds. 1 &amp; 2(a); 203B.081, subd. 2; 204B.35, subd. 4; M.R. 8250.0200; 8250.1810, subp. 1</i>	203B.04, subds. 1 & 2(a); 203B.081, subd. 2; 204B.35, subd. 4; 8250.0200; 8250.1810, subp. 1	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 22, 2019 Friday	April 09, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> An agent returning another's Absentee Ballot or Mail Ballot must show ID with name & signature. <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> administrators record agent's name/address, voter's name/address & has agent sign the log. An agent may deliver nor more than three voters in any election. Ballot packets returned by agents are to be reviewed for tampering. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 1; M.R. 8210.2200, subp. 3</i>	203B.08, subd. 1; 8210.2200, subp. 3	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 22, 2019 Friday	April 09, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> All <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> administrators date, stamp or initial & record returned voted ballot envelopes (if SVRS being used, mark as received in SVRS) & place in secure location for ballot board review. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 3; M.R. 8210.2300; 8210.2400</i>	203B.08, subd. 3; 8210.2300; 8210.2400	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot

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February 22, 2019 Friday	April 10, 2019 Wednesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> Absentee Ballot and Mail Election ballot boards review voted returned ballot envelopes for "acceptance" or "rejection." Within 5 days after receipt for voted ballots returned from beginning of Absentee Ballot voting period through the 15th day before the election. Beginning the 14th day before the election, voted ballots must be reviewed within 3 days - beginning of Absentee Ballot and Mail Election voting period (at least 46 days before election) until no later than 24 hours after the end of voting. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 3; 203B.121, subd. 5(c); 204B.46</i>	203B.08, subd. 3; 203B.121, subd. 5(c); 204B.46	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Absentee Ballot
February 23, 2019 Saturday	April 09, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Municipality must <u>not</u> make a change to the <i>number or name of a street address</i> of an existing residence prior to <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections in a jurisdiction which includes the affected residence - not during the 45 days prior to <b><u>any</u></b> election. <i>M.S. 201.11, subd. 2</i>	201.11, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Voter Registration
February 26, 2019 Tuesday	April 08, 2019 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Municipalities provide for instruction of voters with a demonstration voting system in a public place for the 6 weeks immediately prior to the 1st election at which the new voting system will be used ( <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> ). <i>M.S. 206.58, subd. 1</i>	206.58, subd. 1	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment

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March 01, 2019 Friday	March 01, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to provide written notice of <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> special and/or mail elections to auditor (if notice is not provided earlier than this date). Last day to provide notice of special election <i>cancellation</i> . Last day for auditor to notify OSS of special and/or mail elections by scheduling the election in SVRS – at least 74 days before election. <i>M.S. 204B.46; 205.10, subd. 6; 205.16, subds. 4 &amp; 5; 205A.05, subd. 3; 205A.07, subds. 3 &amp; 3b; 447.32, subd. 3</i>	204B.46; 205.10, subd. 6; 205.16, subds. 4 & 5; 205A.05, subd. 3; 205A.07, subds. 3 & 3b; 447.32, subd. 3	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
March 01, 2019 Friday	March 01, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day for <u>school district</u> to provide written notice to Commissioner of Education of certain types of financial-related ballot questions to be voted on at <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> - at least 74 days before election. <i>M.S. 205A.07, subd. 3a</i>	205A.07, subd. 3a	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
March 05, 2019 Tuesday	March 05, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> If a municipality or county (unorganized territories) has chosen mail <i>balloting</i> for <u>their</u> elections, last day to provide notice (post) of mail balloting and the special mail procedure for <b><i>May Uniform Election Date</i></b> special elections. If 1st mail ballot election, an <i>additional</i> notice must be given by a <i>different</i> method - at least 10 weeks prior to the election. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2; M.R. 8210.3000, subp. 3</i>	204B.45, subd. 2; 8210.3000, subp. 3	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot



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March 05, 2019 Tuesday	March 05, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day to change precinct boundary prior to <b><u>May Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections - at least 10 weeks before the date of the next election (2019 is not a state election year). <i>M.S. 204B.14, subd. 4</i>	204B.14, subd. 4	Jurisdiction with May Uniform Election Day Special Election	Boundaries
March 08, 2019 Friday	March 08, 2019 Friday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Last day county, municipality or school district to certify to OSS that the electronic rosters (e-pollbooks) being used at <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> election <b><u>meet all of the requirements</u></b> of M.S. 201.225 - at least 30 days before <i>each</i> election. <i>M.S. 201.225, subd. 6(b)</i>	201.225, subd. 6(b)	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Equipment
March 10, 2019 Sunday	March 25, 2019 Monday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Time period for school districts to send M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(b) required <i>taxpayer</i> notices of <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> elections referendum vote. Mailed to "taxpayers" (list is often obtained through county GIS or tax office) - at least 15 days but no more than 30 days before the day of the referendum election. <i>M.S. 126C.17, subd. 9(b)</i>	126C.17, subd. 9(b)	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Notice
March 10, 2019 Sunday	March 26, 2019 Tuesday	<b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election:</b> Period of time to send <b><u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> mail ballots to registered voters in mail ballot precincts or mail elections by nonforwardable mail - not more than 30 days (not regularly scheduled election) nor later than 14 days. <i>M.S. 204B.45, subd. 2</i>	204B.45, subd. 2	Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election	Mail Ballot

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<p>March 10, 2019 Sunday</p>	<p>April 10, 2019 Wednesday</p>	<p><b>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election: <u>April Uniform Election Date</u></b> Mail Ballot ballot boards review voted returned ballot envelopes for "acceptance" or "rejection." Within 5 days after receipt for voted ballots returned from beginning of Mail Ballot voting period through the 15th day before the election. Beginning the 14th day before the election, voted ballots must be reviewed within 3 days - beginning of Mail Ballot voting period (at least 30 days before "not regularly scheduled" election) until no later than 24 hours after the end of voting. <i>M.S. 203B.08, subd. 3; 204B.45, subd. 2; 203B.121, subd. 5(c)</i></p>	<p>203B.08, subd. 3; 204B.45, subd. 2; 203B.121, subd. 5(c)</p>	<p>Jurisdiction with April Uniform Election Day Special Election</p>	<p>Mail Ballot</p>