2025 Coordinated Election - Abridged Calendar Key Dates for Coordinating Jurisdictions

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Always refer to the Colorado Constitution, Revised Statutes and Secretary of State rules for applicable provisions.

Find a complete election calendar at:

https://www.sos.state.co.us/pubs/elections/Resources/ElectionCalendars.html

Date	Event	Reference	Accountable			
July 2025						
17-Jul	Deadline for County Clerk to provide Election Plan to the Secretary of State (110 days prior)	1-7.5-105(1) Rule 7.1.1	County Clerk			
25-Jul	Deadline for Jurisdiction to notify County Clerk of intent to coordinate in the election (100 days prior)	1-1-106(5) 1-7-116(5)	Jurisdiction			
25-Jul	Deadline for Jurisdiction to notify County Clerk of intent to conduct a ranked voting election (100 days prior)	1-1-106(5) Rule 26.2	Jurisdiction			
	August 2025					
6-Aug	First day a candidate for the office of school district director may circulate a nomination petition (No sooner than 90 days before the election)	1-4-803(1)(b)	Candidates			
26-Aug	Deadline for Jurisdiction to return Address Library Report acknowledgment form with any necessary revisions to County Clerk (70 days prior)	IGA	Jurisdiction			
26-Aug	Deadline for County Clerk and coordinating jurisdictions to sign intergovernmental agreement (70 days prior)	1-7-116(2) Rule 4.1.2	Jurisdiction, County Clerk			
26-Aug	Deadline for candidates to record their name on a phone voice mail provided by County Clerk for the audio ballot	Rule 4.6.2. IGA	Candidates			
29-Aug	Last day for candidates for the office of school district director to file a nomination petition (No later than 67 days before the election)	1-4-803(2)	Candidates			
29-Aug	Last day to file an affidavit of intent to run as a write-in candidate for a non-partisan coordinated election (64 days prior)	1-4-1102(2) 1-1-106(5)	Candidates			
	September 2025					
5-Sep	Deadline for Jurisdiction to certify ballot content to County Clerk (60 days prior)	IGA, 1-5-203(3) 1-5-905	Jurisdiction			
5-Sep	Deadline for Jurisdiction to order initial property owner list from County Assessor (60 days prior)	IGA	Jurisdiction			
19-Sep	Last day for Jurisdiction to accept pro/con comments pertaining to local ballot issues for the TABOR Notice (by noon the Friday before the 45th day before the election)	1-7-901(4)	Voters, Petition Reps, Jurisdiction			
20-Sep	Deadline to send mail ballots to military and overseas electors. (No later than 45 days before the election)	1-1-106(5) 1-8.3-110(1)	County Clerk			

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22-Sep	Deadline for Jurisdiction to provide initial list to County Clerk of eligible property owners to receive ballots and TABOR notice (43 days prior)	IGA	Jurisdiction		
22-Sep	Deadline for Jurisdiction to deliver full text of TABOR issue notices to County Clerk (43 days prior)	1-7-904	Jurisdiction		
October 2025					
3-Oct	Deadline for County Clerk to mail TABOR Notice to registered voter households on behalf of all coordinating jurisdictions (30 days prior)	Art. X, Sec. 20(3)(b) 1-1-106(5) Rule 4.3.1	County Clerk		
3-Oct	Deadline for Jurisdiction to order supplemental list of property owners from County Assessor (30 days prior)	IGA	Jurisdiction		
10-Oct	Deadline for Jurisdiction to withdraw a ballot issue or question from the ballot (25 days prior)	1-5-208(2)	Jurisdiction		
10-Oct	Deadline for Jurisdiction to provide supplemental list of eligible property owners to County Clerk (25 days prior)	IGA	Jurisdiction		
10-Oct	First day County Clerk can mail ballots to voters, excluding UOCAVA voters (No sooner than 22 days prior), 24-hour ballot drop boxes will be open for ballot return	1-7.5-107(3)(a)(I) Rule 7.2.3	County Clerk		
13-Oct	Deadline to register to vote through a Voter Registration Drive and receive a mail ballot (22 days prior or day after holiday)	1-2-201(3)(b)(l)	Voters		
14-Oct	Deadline for County Clerk to conduct the public Logic and Accuracy Test (21 days prior)	Rule 11.3.2(a)	County Clerk		
15-Oct	Deadline for County Clerk to publish notice of election in newspaper (20 days prior)	1-1-104(34) 1-5-205(1)(a)	County Clerk		
20-Oct	First day that County may count ballots. (15 days prior) No results may be disclosed until 7 p.m., Election Day	1-7.5-107.5	County Clerk		
27-Oct	First day Voter Service & Polling Centers must be open (Beginning at least 8 days before and on election day, except Sundays)	1-5-102.9(2) Rule 7.8.1	County Clerk		
27-Oct	Deadline for voters to register to vote or make updates and still receive a mail ballot (Through the 8th day prior)	1-2-201(3)(b)(III) 1-2-201(4) 1-2-508(3)(a)(1)	Voters		
31-Oct	Deadline to return a completed Certificate of Appointment to County Clerk to appoint watchers observe election activities on Election Day (Friday proceeding Election Day) (earlier if want to observe earlier days)	1-7-107	Candidate, Ballot Issue Proponents or Opponents		

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November 2025						
4-Nov	Coordinated Election (Voter Service and Polling Centers and Ballot Drop-Off locations open 7 a.m 7 p.m.)	1-1-104(17) 1-4-201 Rule 7.9.1(b)	County Clerk, Voters			
12-Nov	Deadline for UOCAVA (military and overseas) ballots to be received by Clerk to be received (8 days after)	1-8.3-111 and 113 Rule 16.1.5	Voters			
12-Nov	Deadline for voters to cure signature discrepancy or missing signature, and/or to provide missing ID for mail and provisional ballots (8 days after)	1-7.5-107(3.5)(d) 1-7.5-107.3 (2)(a) 1-8.5-105(3)(a)	Voters			
25-Nov	Deadline for County Clerk to complete risk-limiting audit (21 days after)	Rule 25.2.3(d)	County Clerk			
26-Nov	Deadline for County Clerk to canvass and certify the election (22 days after)	1-10-102(1) 1-10-103(1) Rule 10	County Clerk			
26-Nov	Last day for Jurisdiction to provide written notice to Clerk to waive an automatic recount of a referred ballot issue or question that failed (Within 23 days after election)	1-10.5-103 1-1-106(5)	Jurisdiction			
26-Nov	Deadline for interested parties to request a recount of election results at their own expense (No sooner than 10 days or later than 22 days after election)	1-10.5-106(2)	Any eligible individual			
December 2025						
5-Dec	Deadline for County Clerk to complete a statutory recount of any race (31 days after)	1-10.5-102(2) 1-10.5-103	County Clerk			
9-Dec	Deadline for County Clerk to complete a requested recount (35 days after)	1-10.5-106(2)	County Clerk			
	Note on Computation of Time					
NOTE	If the last day for any act to be done or the last day of any Sunday, or legal holiday and completion of the act involved during business hours, the period is extended to include the a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday.	1-1-106(4)				
	If a statute or rule requires doing an act in "not less than" or "no later than" or "at least" a certain number of days or "prior to" a certain number of days or a certain number of months before the date of an election, the period is shortened to and ends on the prior business day that is not a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday.					