



CITY OF MISSOURI CITY

IMPORTANT ELECTION DATES

GENERAL ELECTION OF CITY OFFICERS

November 5, 2019

July 20, 2019	<p>First day for filing an application for a place on ballot; and, first day for filing declaration of write-in candidacy for the General election.</p> <p><i>City offices are closed on Saturday, July 20. Applications will be accepted the next regular business day at 8:00 a.m.</i></p>
August 19, 2019	<p>Last day to file application for place on ballot in the General election. (Must be received by 5:00 p.m.)</p> <p>Statutory last day for ordering an election.</p>
August 22, 2019	<p>Drawing for place on ballot at 8:30 a.m. at the City of Missouri City, City Hall, Council Chambers, 1522 Texas Parkway, Missouri City, Texas, 77489. (All candidates will be notified if change in date is made.)</p>
August 23, 2019	<p>Last day for a write-in candidate to declare candidacy in the General election. (Must be received by 5:00 p.m.)</p>
August 26, 2019	<p>Last day for a ballot candidate in General election to <u>withdraw</u> and have name removed.</p> <p>Last day for a write-in candidate in General election to <u>withdraw</u> and have name removed from write-in list.</p> <p>(Must receive in writing by 5:00 p.m.)</p>
September 21, 2019	<p>First day candidate political signs may be posted throughout Missouri City.</p>
October 7, 2019	<p>1st report of Candidate/Officeholder Campaign Finance Report due by 5:00 p.m., or midnight if filed electronically, by opposed candidates and specific-purpose committees supporting or opposing candidates. This is the 30-day prior to Election Day report. See NOTE below.</p> <p>Last day for submitting voter registration application in time to vote at the election or for requesting transfer of registration in time to vote in new precinct not in the same county and territory. See NOTE below.</p> <p>NOTE: 30th day is on Sun, Oct 6. These actions are extended to Mon, Oct 7 (29th day).</p>
October 21, 2019	<p>First day for early voting by personal appearance begins.</p>
October 28, 2019	<p>2nd report of Candidate/Officeholder Campaign Finance Report due by 5:00 p.m., or midnight if filed electronically. This is the 8-day prior to Election Day report.</p>
November 1, 2019	<p>Last day of regular early voting by personal appearance.</p>



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<p>November 5, 2019 ELECTION DAY ** 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.</p>	
November 7, 2019	<p>Recommended day to PROVIDE OFFICIAL OATH AND STATEMENT OF ELECTED OFFICIALS to candidates who appear to have won, or may win. These are provided for information only. THE OATHS ARE TAKEN AFTER THE CANVASS.</p>
November 8, 2019	<p>Last day all candidate political signs must be removed throughout Missouri City.</p>
November 8-18, 2019	<p>PERIOD FOR OFFICIAL CANVASS.</p>
November 11, 2019	<p>Deadline for winning candidates to inform the City Secretary whom will be swearing them into office. (Must receive in writing by 5:00 p.m.)</p> <p><i>The City Secretary's Office will confirm eligibly by or before the third business date.</i></p>
November 8-25, 2019	<p>ORDERING OF RUNOFF ELECTION, if necessary, not later than 5th day after canvass. If the 5th day after canvass is Nov 23, a Sat, the deadline is extended to Mon, Nov 25, the 20th day after the election.</p>
November 18, 2019	<p>Official canvass of returns – Special City Council Meeting</p> <p>Oaths of office for newly elected officers – Regular City Council Meeting at 7:00 p.m., unless runoff election is necessary.</p> <p>(Date subject to change; All candidates will be notified if change is made.)</p>
November 28, 2019 – January 2, 2020	<p>POSSIBLE PERIOD FOR RUNOFF ELECTION, depending on date of official canvass, unless a charter provides for a later date.</p> <p>NOTE: NEW LAW (HB 88): The order of the names on the runoff ballot should be in the same order as they appeared on the general election ballot, so no ballot drawing is required for the runoff ballot.</p>
January 15, 2020 & July 15, 2020	<p>Semi-annual statement of campaign contributions and expenditures by candidates and officeholders due.</p>