

# **February 5, 2026 Special Primary Election for U.S. House of Representatives, Congressional District 11**

## **November**

**November 23 – December 6**

Publication of Notice of Requirements to Vote in Special Primary Election by County Commissioner of Registration

## **December**

**December 1 – 4 p.m.**

Nomination Petition Filing Deadline for Special Primary Election

**December 4 – 4 p.m.**

Deadline for Amendments to Defective Petitions for Special Primary Election Candidates

**December 5 – 4 p.m.**

Filing Deadline for Objections to Nominating Petitions for Special Primary Election Candidates

**December 10**

Deadline for Determination of Petition Challenges for Special Primary Election Candidates

**December 11**

Publication of Notice of Mail-in Ballot Availability for Special Primary Election by County Clerks

**December 12**

Deadline for Change of Party Affiliation Declaration Forms for Special Primary Election to be filed with County Commissioners of Registration

**December 13**

Deadline for Superior Court Filing to Protect Special Primary Election Candidate's Rights

**December 15**

Deadline for Filing Certificate to Fill Vacancy of a Special Primary Election Candidate By the Appointed Vacancy Committee

**December 16- 12 p.m.**

Transmittal of Secretary of State Certification of Special Primary Election Candidates to County Clerks

**December 16 – 3 p.m.**

County Clerk Drawings for Ballot Positions for Special Primary Election Candidates

**December 16 – January 14**

Publication of Notice of Special Primary Election by County Boards of Election

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## **December 18**

**Deadline for Preparation of Official Special Primary Election Ballot for Printing**

## **December 22**

**Commencement of Mailing of Mail-In Ballots for Special Primary Election**

## **January**

### **January 15**

**Voter Registration Deadline for Special Primary Election**

### **January 15**

**Mandated Evening Voter Registration Available for Special Primary Election in Offices of County Commissioners of Registration**  
(optional for Municipal Clerk)

### **January 18 – January 24**

**Publication of Notice of Special Primary Election by County Boards of Election**

### **January 20**

**Deadline for Filing of Challenger Appointments for Special Primary Election**

### **January 21**

**Mailing of Sample Ballots for Special Primary Election**

### **January 29**

**Deadline to Apply for a Mail-In Ballot by Mail for Special Primary Election**

### **January 29**

**Publication of Challenge and Complaint Procedures for Special Primary Election by County Boards of Election**

### **January 29**

**Deadline for Unaffiliated Voters to Submit Political Party Affiliation Declaration Forms for Special Primary Election to be Filed With County Commissioner of Registration In Order to Receive A Mail-In Ballot By Mail.**

### **January 29 – February 3**

**Early Voting Period**

### **January 31**

**Last day for Testing of Electronic Scanning Equipment for Tabulation of Paper Ballots for Special Primary Election**

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## **February**

### **February 1**

**Deadline for Application to Receive Special Primary Election Mail-In Ballots by Electronic Means for Qualified Overseas Civilian and Military Voters**

### **February 4 – by 3:00 p.m.**

**Deadline for In-Person Mail-In Ballot Applications for Special Primary Election**

### **February 4**

**Publication of Challenge and Complaint Procedures for Special Primary Election by County Boards of Election**

### **February 5**

**Special Primary Election Day**

### **February 5**

**Nomination Petition Filing Deadline for Independent Candidates for the Special General Election**

### **February 5**

**Deadline for Post Office Receipt of Special Primary Election Mail-In Ballots**

### **February 5**

**Deadline for In-Person Submission of Special Primary Election Mail-In Ballots to County Boards of Election and to Authorized Ballot Drop Boxes**

### **February 7**

**Deadline for Receipt by County Boards of Elections of Mail-In Ballots by Delivery of the United States Postal Service that DO NOT Bear a Postmark of Delivery**

### **February 11**

**Deadline for Receipt of Timely Mailed Postmarked Mail-In Ballots to County Boards of Election**

### **February 17**

**Deadline for Receipt of Cure Form to County Boards of Election**

### **February 19**

**Canvass of Special Primary Election Votes and Transmittal of Results to Secretary of State by County Clerks**

### **February 22**

**Deadline for Recount Applications for Special Primary Election**

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## **February 22**

**Deadline for Preparation of Emergency and Provisional Ballot Reports by Each County Board of Election for the Special Primary Election**

## **February 23**

**Deadline for Filing of Acceptance of Nomination by Successful Special Primary Election Write-in Nominee**