

**State of Iowa  
Election Calendar**

**2016**

<b>Election</b>	<b>Election Date</b>	<b>Candidate Filing Period</b>	<b>Voter Pre-Registration Deadline</b>
Primary	June 7	<b>State &amp; Federal Offices:</b> February 29 – March 18  <b>County Offices:</b> March 7 – March 30	Friday, May 27
General	November 8	<b>State &amp; Federal Offices:</b> August 1 – August 19  <b>County Offices:</b> August 8 – August 31	Saturday, October 29

**2017**

<b>Election</b>	<b>Election Date</b>	<b>Candidate Filing Period</b>	<b>Voter Pre-Registration Deadline</b>
School	September 12	July 10 – August 3	Friday, September 1
City Primary	October 10	August 14 – August 31 (for cities with primary provisions)	Friday, September 29
Regular City	November 7	August 28 – September 21 (for all other cities)	Friday, October 27
City Runoff	December 5	N/A	Monday, November 27 <i>Deadline moved to Monday due to Thanksgiving holiday.</i>

**2018**

<b>Election</b>	<b>Election Date</b>	<b>Candidate Filing Period</b>	<b>Voter Pre-Registration Deadline</b>
Primary	June 5	<b>State &amp; Federal Offices:</b> February 26 – March 16  <b>County Offices:</b> March 5 – March 28	Friday, May 25
General	November 6	<b>State &amp; Federal Offices:</b> July 30 – August 17  <b>County Offices:</b> August 6 – August 29	Saturday, October 27

**Important Note:** *The deadline to file papers or register to vote is at 5 p.m. on the day indicated.*