

# 2018 Pennsylvania Election Calendar

## General Primary - May 15, 2018

First day to obtain signatures for candidates' nomination petitions.	February 13
County Board of Elections shall publish Primary Election Proclamation.	February 20
Last day to circulate and file petitions.	March 6
First legal date for Political Bodies & Minor Political Parties to obtain signatures to candidates' nomination papers.	March 7
Last day candidate who has filed nomination petition may withdraw.	March 21
Last day to register to vote for the Primary.	April 16
As soon as possible after ballots are printed and in no event later than this day, County Boards of Elections must begin to deliver or mail all absentee ballots for the Primary Election.	May 1
Last day before the Primary absentee ballot applications for civilian absentee ballots shall be received in the office of the County Board of Elections at any time prior to 5:00 pm from certain persons.	May 8
All civilian absentee ballots must be received by the County Board of Elections no later than 5:00 pm of this date to be valid.	May 11
General Primary - Polls to remain open continuously between the hours of 7:00 am to 8:00 pm.	May 15

### Resources

Allegheny County Election Department  
542 Forbes Ave # 604  
Pittsburgh, PA 15219

<https://alleghenycounty.us/elections/index.aspx>  
412-350-4500

Allegheny County Democratic Committee  
22 Wabash Street, Suite 205  
Pittsburgh, PA 15220

[www.alleghenydems.com/committee-resources/](http://www.alleghenydems.com/committee-resources/)  
(412) 481-5646

Committee of 70 [www.seventy.org/uploads/files/604607927785660588-committeeperson-manual-c70-11-13-16.pdf](http://www.seventy.org/uploads/files/604607927785660588-committeeperson-manual-c70-11-13-16.pdf)

Pennsylvania Election Department <http://www.dos.pa.gov/votingelections/pages/default.aspx>

Pennsylvania State Democratic Party <http://www.padems.com/>

The 14<sup>th</sup> Ward Independent Democratic Club [pgh14widc.org/](http://pgh14widc.org/)