



# CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

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## 2009 Municipal Election Calendar

- July 1:** Municipal Election Nomination Papers available at Election Commission office, 8:30am – 5:00pm.
- July 31:** 5 p.m. deadline to submit nomination papers & statements of financial interest for candidates.
- August 14:** 5 p.m. deadline for Election Commission to certify signatures on nomination papers.
- August 18:** 5pm deadline for municipal candidates to file withdrawal of nomination.
- October 14:** 8pm deadline to register to vote in municipal election. In person registration hours are 8:30am to 8pm Election Commission office only. (Mail in registration must be postmarked by October 14).
- October 26:** 5pm deadline for **School Committee** candidates and **Political Committees** to file Municipal Campaign & Political Finance Reports. (**City Council** candidates should consult their OCPF packets regarding depository-filing requirements).
- October 30:** **Friday.** Election Commission will be open 8:30 am to 5 pm for over-the-counter absentee voting.
- October 31:** **Saturday.** Election Commission office will be open 9am to 5pm for over-the-counter absentee voting.
- November 2:** Noontime deadline to apply for absentee ballot, either for mail-in or over-the-counter voting.
- November 3:** **Municipal Election. Polls are open 7am until 8pm.**  
All absentee ballots (except Overseas Absentee Ballots) must arrive at the Election Commission **office** by 8pm to be counted. Overseas Absentee Ballots are due by 5 p.m. on Friday, November 13<sup>th</sup>, but must be postmarked by November 3<sup>rd</sup>.
- Ballot count begins at Senior Center, 806 Massachusetts Avenue, Central Square after the polls close. However, Overseas Absentee Ballots and Provisional Ballots will be counted on Friday, November 13<sup>th</sup> at 5 p.m.**
- November 4:** 9am – 5pm. Ballot count resumes at Senior Center, 806 Massachusetts Avenue, Central Square.

### Office hours:

Mondays: 8:30am to 8pm

Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays: 8:30am to 5pm

Fridays: 8:30am to Noon

**Holidays:** The Election Commission will be closed for the following holidays:  
(Friday) July 3<sup>rd</sup> and (Monday) July 6<sup>th</sup> (Fourth of July); (Monday) September 7<sup>th</sup> (Labor Day); and (Monday) October 12<sup>th</sup> (Columbus Day ).