



City of Medford
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2026 MEDFORD ELECTION CALENDAR

Nomination Papers available	Tues., February 10, 2026	Nominations papers are available in the Secretary of Commonwealth Office – 1 Ashburton Place Rm 1705 Boston, MA
Last Day for candidates to change your party enrollment for district and county offices	Tues., February 24, 2026	You must be a registered member of a Party if you wish to run in that specific primary election
Nomination Papers returned to the election commission for district and county offices for partisan candidates	Tues., April 28, 2026, 5:00pm	Nomination papers are then due to the Secretary of the Commonwealth Office by Tues., May 26, 2026, 5:00pm
Nomination Papers returned to the election commission for federal or statewide offices for non-party candidates	Tues. July 28, 2026, 5:00pm	Nomination papers are then due to the Secretary of the Commonwealth Office by Tues., August 25, 2026, 5:00pm
Last day to register to vote for September Primary Election	Sat. August 22, 2026 8:30am – 5:00pm	Election Commission Office Rm 102 City Hall
In-person early voting September Primary Election	Sat., Aug. 22 – 8:30am - 2:30pm Sun., Aug. 23 – 8:30am - 2:30pm Mon., Aug. 24 – 8:30am - 4:30pm Tues., Aug. 25 – 8:30am - 4:30pm Wed., Aug. 26 – 8:30am - 7:30pm Thur., Aug. 27 – 8:30am - 4:30pm Fri., Aug. 28 – 8:30am - 12:30pm	Located in the Council Chamber on the 2 nd Floor in City Hall
Last day to request a vote-by-mail ballot for September Primary	Tues., August 25, 2026	Vote by Mail Applications due 5 business days prior to all elections
September Primary Election	Tues., September 1, 2026 7:00am – 8:00pm	Find your polling location at: https://www.sec.state.ma.us/WhereDoIVoteMA/WhereDoIVote
Last day to register to vote for November General Election	Sat., October 24, 2026 8:30am – 5:00pm	Election Commission Office Rm 102 City Hall
In-person early voting November General Election Located in the Council Chamber on the 2 nd Floor in City Hall	Sat., Oct. 17 – 8:30am - 2:30pm Sun., Oct. 18 – 8:30am - 2:30pm Mon., Oct. 19 – 8:30am - 4:30pm Tues., Oct. 20 – 8:30am - 4:30pm Wed., Oct. 21 – 8:30am - 7:30pm Thur., Oct. 22 – 8:30am - 4:30pm Fri., Oct. 23 – 8:30am - 12:30pm	Sat., Oct. 24 – 8:30am - 2:30pm Sun., Oct. 25 – 8:30am - 2:30pm Mon., Oct. 26 – 8:30am - 4:30pm Tues., Oct. 27 – 8:30am - 4:30pm Wed., Oct. 28 – 8:30am - 7:30pm Thur., Oct. 29 – 8:30am - 4:30pm Fri., Oct. 30 – 8:30am - 12:30pm
Last day to request a vote-by-mail ballot for November General	Tues., October 27, 2026	Vote by Mail Applications due 5 business days prior to all elections
November General Election	Tues., November 3, 2026 7:00am – 8:00pm	Find your polling location at: https://www.sec.state.ma.us/WhereDoIVoteMA/WhereDoIVote