



**2026 COUNTY FREQUENT CAMPAIGN AND POLITICAL FINANCE CALENDAR**

Primary Election: June 30, 2026

General Election: November 3, 2026

*This calendar applies to (refer to Campaign Finance Rule 17):*

- County Political Parties
- County Political Committees
- County Small Donor Committees
- County candidates and county candidate committees whose office appears on the June 30, 2026, Primary Election Ballot and/or the November 3, 2026, General Election Ballot
- County Issue committees whose issue attempts access to or appears on the November 3, 2026, General Election Ballot
- County 527 Political Organizations
- County Independent Expenditure Committees

Report Due Date	Reporting Period Covered
June 9, 2026	October 28, 2025, or December 5, 2025, through June 4, 2026
May 31, 2026	Starts the: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 30-day period for 24 Hour Major Contributor and 48 Hour Independent Expenditure Reports; <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Electioneering Communication period (runs through November 2, 2026).</li> </ul>
June 26, 2026	June 5, 2026, through June 21, 2026
August 4, 2026	June 22, 2026, through July 30, 2026
October 4, 2026	Starts the 30-day period for 24 Hour Major Contributor and 48 Hour Independent Expenditure Reports.
October 13, 2026	July 31, 2026, through October 8, 2026
October 30, 2026	October 9, 2026, through October 25, 2026
December 8, 2026	October 26, 2026, through December 3, 2026

**Additional Information:**

- **Small-Scale Issue Committees (SSIC)** are not required to file disclosure reports until they exceed \$5,000 in activity. For more details, please review 1-45-108(1.5) and (2), C.R.S.

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- **Electioneering Communication (EC)** time period starts 30 days before the Primary Election and continues through the day before the General Election. These types of communications mention one or more candidates and are part of the regular/standard reports for registered committees and may require non-registered person(s), organizations, etc., to file a separate report.
  - These types of transactions will require you to provide additional information, please review the [Colorado Campaign and Political Finance manual](#) or the [Colorado Campaign Finance Laws/Rules for more information](#).
  - Electioneering Communication reports do NOT apply to Issue Committees.
  
- **24-Hour Notice of Major Contributor reports** are required starting 30 days before a Primary Election and 30 days before the General Election. These reports are due within 24 hours of receiving a major contribution. A major contribution is a contribution of \$1,000 or more that is received within the 30 days before the Primary Election and 30 days before the General Election. This is in addition to the regular/standard reports listed above and applies to:
  - Candidate Committees whose office appears on the Primary and/or General Election Ballot,
  - Political Parties, and
  - Issue Committees (only applies the 30 days before the General Election).
  
- **48-Hour Notice of Independent Expenditure reports** are required starting 30 days before a Primary Election and 30 days before the General Election. These reports are due within 48 hours of obligating/spending funds in excess of \$1,000 for an Independent Expenditure (to support or oppose one or more candidates). This is in addition to the regular/standard reports listed above and applies to:
  - Independent Expenditure Committees

Questions? Please contact the Campaign Finance Support Team or review the Colorado Campaign and Political Finance Manual.