

**IMPORTANT DATES**  
**GENERAL CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION ----- MAY 7, 2016**

January 20, 2016	First day for filing application for place on ballot.
February 19, 2016	Last day for filing application for place on ballot (must be received by 5 p.m.)
February 23, 2016	Deadline for write-in candidate to file declaration of write-in candidacy (must be received by 5 p.m.)
February 24, 2016	Drawing for order of names on ballot, if necessary. This drawing is conducted in the City Secretary's office at 10 a.m.
February 26, 2016	Last day for candidate to withdraw to have name omitted from ballot. (5 p.m.)
April 7, 2016	Due date for opposed candidates to file first campaign finance report if candidate did not elect modified reporting.
April 7, 2016	Last day to transfer registration or to register to vote in the May 9, 2015, election.
April 25, 2016	First day of early voting by personal appearance. 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. <u>Early voting at all county-wide polling locations.</u>
April 26, 2016	Last day to receive application for early voting ballot to be voted by mail for this election
April 29, 2016	Due date for opposed candidates to file second campaign finance report if candidate did not elect modified reporting. (The office closes at noon.)
May 2, 2016	Extended hours for early voting – 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
May 3, 2016	Last day of early voting by personal appearance. Extended hours for early voting – 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
<b>MAY 7, 2016</b>	<b>ELECTION DAY ----- 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. – County-wide polling places</b>
May 19, 2016	Official canvass and execution of Statements by newly-elected Officers.
May 26, 2016	Oaths of Office at Regular Council Meeting at 7:00 p.m.
June 18, 2016	Runoff election date, if necessary.
July 15, 2016	Last day for timely filing of semi-annual campaign finance report by all candidates and certain officeholders.