

Important Election Dates for Minnesota House Races

By the Secretary of State Office

- **Precinct caucuses** ([learn more](#))
Tuesday, February 4, 2014
- **Absentee ballots available for Primary Election** ([learn more](#)).
Friday, June 27, 2014
- **Primary pre-registration deadline.** Voters can also [register on Election Day](#).
Tuesday, July 22, 2014
 - Online registration deadline is 11:59 p.m., Tuesday, July 22.
 - Paper voter registration applications must be received by the appropriate elections office by 5 p.m. on Tuesday, July 22.
- **Primary Election** ([learn more](#)).
Tuesday, August 12, 2014
- **Absentee ballots available** ([learn more](#)).
Friday, September 19, 2014
- **Pre-registration deadline.** Voters can also [register on Election Day](#).
Tuesday, October 14, 2014
- **Election Day**
Tuesday, November 4, 2014

Election Year	2014	2015	2016
Precinct Caucuses	02/04/14*	----	02/02/16*
Primary	08/12/14**	08/11/15**	08/09/16**
Election Day	11/04/14**	11/03/15**	11/08/16**
Offices on general election ballots statewide	U.S. Senator U.S. Representative State Representative Governor & Lt. Gov. Secretary of State State Auditor Attorney General		U.S. President & V.P. U.S. Representative State Senator State Representative
Offices that may also be on general election ballots	County Commissioner County Auditor County Treasurer County Recorder County Sheriff County Attorney City Officers School Board Township Officers	City Officers School Board Township Officers	County Commissioner City Officers School Board Township Officers

**Minnesota Statutes* 202A.14, Subd. 1 (b) (2), provides that the first Tuesday in February is the day for major party precinct caucuses unless the chairs of the two largest major political parties jointly notify the Office of the Minnesota Secretary of State of a different date by March 1 of the preceding year.

**For state elections, most polling places open at 7:00 a.m.; a few polling places in small townships located outside the eleven-county metro area may open as late as 10:00 a.m. All polling places close at 8:00 p.m.

