

Georgia 2010 Elections and Voter Registration Calendar

<u>Elections</u>	<u>Registration Deadline</u>	<u>Election Date</u>
Special Election Runoff	December 4, 2009	February 2, 2010
Special Election (to fill vacancies only)	February 16, 2010	March 16, 2010
Runoff Date	February 16, 2010	April 13, 2010
General Primary/Special Election	June 21, 2010	July 20, 2010*
Runoff Date	June 21, 2010	August 10, 2010
Special Election (to fill vacancies only)	August 23, 2010	September 21, 2010
Runoff Date	August 23, 2010	October 19, 2010
General/NonPartisan/Special Election	October 4, 2010	November 2, 2010*
Runoff Date	October 4, 2010	November 30, 2010

Key Dates:

April 14, 2009	Earliest day for a political body to begin circulating nomination petitions for state-wide candidates nominated by convention. O.C.G.A. 21-2-182
January 1, 2010	Earliest day to file and publish a notice of intention to be a write-in candidate in the November General/Nonpartisan Election. O.C.G.A. 21-2-133 (a)
January 14, 2010	Earliest day for an Independent or Political Body candidate to begin circulating a nomination petition for an office other than a Political Body candidate running for a state-wide office in which they are nominated by state-wide convention. O.C.G.A. 21-2-170 (e)
February 16, 2010	Last day for a person to register and be eligible to vote in the March Special Election. O.C.G.A. 21-2-224 (a)
April 26, 2010 9:00 a.m.	Earliest day for a Political Party candidate to file Declaration of Candidacy to have their name placed on the July General Primary Ballot. O.C.G.A. 21-2-153 (c) (1)
June 5, 2010	Last day for a political body to hold a convention for the purpose of nominating candidates to be placed on the November General Election Ballot. O.C. G.A. 21-2-172 (e)
June 21, 2010	Last day for a person to register and be eligible to vote in the July General Primary/Special Election. O.C.G.A. 21-2-224 (a)
June 28, 2010 9:00 a.m.	Earliest day for an Independent or Political Body candidate to file a nomination petition. O.C.G.A. 21-2-132 (d)
June 28, 2010 9:00 a.m.	Earliest day for an Independent, Political Body, or Nonpartisan candidate to file Notice of Candidacy to have their name placed on the November General Election Ballot. O.C.G.A. 21-2-132 (c) (1) (2)
July 2, 2010 12:00 noon	Last day for Independent, Political Body, or Nonpartisan candidate to file Notice of Candidacy to have their named placed on the November General Election Ballot. O.C.G.A. 21-2-132 (c) (1)(2)
July 13, 2010 12:00 noon	Last day for an Independent or a Political body candidate to file the required nomination petition. O.C.G.A. 21-2-132 (d);21-2-187
July 13, 2010 12:00 noon	Last day for a political body desiring to nominate its statewide candidates by convention to file a qualifying petition. O.C.G.A. 21-2-187
August 23, 2010	Last day for a person to register and be eligible to vote in the September Special Election. O.C.G.A. 21-2-224 (a)
September 7, 2010	Last day to file and publish a notice of intention to be a write-in candidate in the November General/Nonpartisan/Special Election O.C.G.A. 21-2-133 (a)
September 13, 2010	Last day to file affidavit stating the notice of intention to be a write-in candidate has been published in accordance with O.C.G.A. 21-2-133 (b)
October 4, 2010	Last day a person may register and be eligible to vote in the November General/Nonpartisan/Special Election and Runoff O.C.G.A. 21-2-224 (a)