

2020 Elections Calendar

February 4 – Drainage District Election

Taking place primarily in Enumclaw, Kent, and Duvall, drainage district elections are special and not subject to the same rules as other elections.

Jan 15 Ballots mailed to eligible voters

Feb 4 Election Day – ballots must be postmarked by today or returned to a ballot drop box

February 11 – Special Election

In this election, voters in parts of the county will be weighing in on local ballot measures. Check the website for the list of participating districts.

Jan 22 Ballots and voters' pamphlets are mailed
Vote Centers open in Renton & downtown Seattle

Jan 23 Ballot drop boxes open countywide

Feb 3 Deadline to register or update information online or by mail for this election
Forms mailed must be received by this deadline, not just postmarked

Feb 11 Election Day – ballots must be postmarked by today or returned to a ballot drop box by 8 p.m.
Voters may register or update their information in person
Vote Centers open in Renton and downtown Seattle until 8 p.m.
Ballot drop boxes close at 8 p.m. sharp

February 11 – King Conservation District Election

Covering much of King County, the King Conservation District will be holding its election concurrently with the February Special. Voters must access their ballots online and may return electronically.

Jan 22 Voting period opens
All eligible registered voters will be able to access, mark, and return their ballots online

Feb 3 Deadline to register or update information online or by mail for this election
Forms mailed must be received by this deadline, not just postmarked

Feb 11 Election Day – ballots must be received by 8 p.m.

March 10 – Presidential Primary

As a part of the nomination process for the Presidential election, both parties will be utilizing the Washington Presidential Primary. Voters must select a party and vote for one candidate in the party they selected.

Feb 19 Ballots mailed
Vote Centers open in Renton & downtown Seattle

Feb 20 Ballot drop boxes open countywide

Mar 2 Deadline to register or update information online or by mail for this election
Forms mailed must be received by this deadline, not just postmarked
Vote Centers open in Bellevue, Federal Way, Kenmore, and Kent

Mar 10 Election Day – ballots must be postmarked by today or returned to a ballot drop box by 8 p.m.
Voters may register or update their information in person
All Vote Centers open until 8 p.m.
Ballot drop boxes close at 8 p.m. sharp

April 28 – Special Election

In this election, voters in parts of the county will be weighing in on local ballot measures. Check the website for the list of participating districts.

- Apr 8** Ballots and voters' pamphlets are mailed
Vote Centers open in Renton & downtown Seattle
- Apr 9** Ballot drop boxes open in voting areas
- Apr 20** Deadline to register or update information online or by mail for this election
Forms mailed must be received by this deadline, not just postmarked
- Apr 28** Election Day – ballots must be postmarked by today or returned to a ballot drop box by 8 p.m.
Voters may register or update their information in person
Vote Centers open in Renton and downtown Seattle until 8 p.m.
Ballot drop boxes close at 8 p.m. sharp

May 11-15 – Candidate Filing Week

Candidates may file to appear on the ballot online, by mail, or in person

August 4 – Primary Election

Top Two Primary to narrow choices for the November General.

- Jul 15** Ballots and voters' pamphlets are mailed
Vote Centers open in Renton and downtown Seattle
- Jul 16** Ballot drop boxes open countywide
- Jul 27** Deadline to register or update information online or by mail for this election
Forms mailed must be received by this deadline, not just postmarked
Vote Centers open in Bellevue, Federal Way, Kenmore, and Kent
- Aug 4** Election Day – ballots must be postmarked by today or returned to a ballot drop box by 8 p.m.
Voters may register or update their information in person
All Vote Centers open until 8 p.m.
Ballot drop boxes close at 8 p.m. sharp

November 3 – General Election

Voters will weigh in on the Presidential race, statewide offices, state legislature, and more!

- Oct 14** Ballots and voters' pamphlets are mailed
Vote Centers open in Renton & downtown Seattle
- Oct 15** Ballot drop boxes open countywide
- Oct 26** Deadline to register or update information online or by mail for this election
Forms mailed must be received by this deadline, not just postmarked
Vote Centers open in Bellevue, Federal Way, Kenmore, and Kent
- Nov 3** Election Day – ballots must be postmarked by today or returned to a ballot drop box by 8 p.m.
Voters may register or update their information in person
All Vote Centers open until 8 p.m.
Ballot drop boxes close at 8 p.m. sharp