

Schedule of Deadlines for 2011

County

County Positions open for 2011: 1 District Attorney

May 24th Deadline for filing of Party Call from County Chairmen

DESIGNATING PETITIONS

June 7th First day for signing designating petitions

July 11th-14th Filing dates for designating petitions

July 18th Last day to accept or decline designation
Last day to file authorization

July 22nd Last day to fill a vacancy after declination

Number of signatures needed for county position is based on 5% of the enrolled voters or 1000, whichever is less.

REP- 1000 / DEMS - 688 /CONS - 69 / IND - 132 / WOR FAM - 11

INDEPENDENT PETITIONS FOR COUNTY

July 12th First day for signing independent petitions

Aug 16th-23rd Dates for filing independent nominating petitions

Aug 26th Last day to accept or decline independent nomination

Aug 29th Last day to fill vacancy after declination

Signatures needed for independent petitions based on 5% of total number of votes cast at the last gubernatorial election.

(County Positions: 1355 signatures)

Remember that a county position can only be nominated by a designating or independent petition.

Town & Village

Town and Village Positions for 2011:

Please see the list of offices open for this year

Caucus

June 7th	First day to hold town or village caucus
Sept 20th	Last day to hold a town or village caucus
Sept 20th	Last day to file Certificate of Nomination made at a caucus
Sept 23rd	Last day to accept or decline a nomination
Sept 27th	Last day to fill a vacancy after a declination from caucus

Please remember that a list of caucus participants needs to be filed with the certificate of nomination **for the village only**. A person can register the day of the caucus to participate and vote if of the party having the caucus. Call our office for more information.

Caucus notices must be:

Filed and posted in the town/village clerk's office **and** the board of elections at least ten days before the day of the caucus

AND

1. Posted either by newspaper publication once within the town/village at least one week and not more than two weeks preceding the caucus

OR

2. By posting in ten public places in the town or six public places within the village at least ten days preceding the caucus.

****Failure to comply with the above would make nominations null and void.***

In the Towns of Macedon, Savannah, and the Town and Villages of Sodus, the Republicans have opted to nominate through the primary process instead of the caucus process.

Independent Petitions for Town & Village

- July 12th** First day to sign independent petition
- Aug 16th-23rd** Dates for filing independent petitions
- Aug 26th** Last day to accept or decline nomination
- Aug 29th** Last day to fill a vacancy after declination

Signature requirements for Independent Petitions for **Town only**– 5% of the total number of votes, excluding the blank and void, cast for the office of governor at the last gubernatorial election in the political unit. Please see attached for the signatures needed on town independent petitions.

Village Signatures Needed for Independent Petitions

Village of Lyons	75 Signatures on the Independent Petition
Village of Sodus	50 Signatures “ “ “
Village of Sodus Point	18 Signatures “ “ “

Village & Town Independent petitions are **different**. The number of signatures for a village is based on population at the last census. Make sure you have the correct **Town** or **Village Petition form**.

The only way to get on the ballot for a town or village position (with the exception of REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES IN THE: TOWN OF MACEDON, SAVANNAH, AND THE TOWN AND VILLAGES OF SODUS) is by caucus or independent petition. This prevents a primary for these positions. Call our office with any questions.

State & County Committee

County & State Committee– The Republican Party files in Wayne County this year. Only designating petitions - 5% of the enrolled voters or 500 signatures, whichever is less.

Designating petitions only - signatures based on 5% of total enrolled voters at the time of running the enrollment books April 1st.

Please see the breakdown for number of signatures needed for each district within Wayne County. Remember that 25% of all districts, (times 2) for county committee, that means that at least 34 positions out of 134 are needed for that party to exist in Wayne County.

7th Judicial Delegates & Alternates
Sept 20-26, 2011 – Dates for holding Convention

Democratic, Conservative Working Families and Independence Parties of the Seventh Judicial District file with the NYS Board of Elections for 2011.

Republican Party candidates for this office file their petitions in the county which contains their portion of the assembly district.

*See NYSBOE political calendar for dates of conventions and nominations.

Primary Election - September 13, 2011

Polls open at 12 Noon and close at 9 PM

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| August 8th | State Certification of Primary Ballot |
| August 9th | County Certification of Primary Ballot |
| August 19th | Last day to postmark registration to vote in primary (must be rec'd in our office by August 24 th) OR to register in person at our office |
| August 24th | Last day for the board of elections to receive a change of address <u>within</u> Wayne County |

Absentee Voters For Primary

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| Sept 6th | Last day to postmark application for ballot |
| Sept 12th | Last day to apply in person for ballot |
| Sept 12th | Last day to postmark ballot. We must receive the voted ballot no later than September 20 th |

GENERAL ELECTION - November 8, 2011

Polls open at 6 AM and close at 9 PM

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| Oct 3rd | State certification of ballot for General |
| Oct 4th | County certification of ballot for General |

- Oct 14th** Last day to postmark registration form to vote in General Election (must be rec'd in our office by Oct 19th)
Last day for Board to **receive** a change of enrollment
- Oct 19th** Last day for Board to **receive** a change of address within Wayne County

Absentee Voters for General Election

- Nov 1st** Last day to postmark absentee application or letter
- Nov 7th** Last day to apply in person for absentee ballot
Last day to postmark absentee ballot. We must receive ballot no later than November 15th

Military Voters

Please call our office for military dates

Financial Disclosures

For complete information on Financial Disclosures, time and place for filing reports, please contact the State Board of Elections at 1-800-458-3453, or see Article 14 of the NYS Election Law and Part 6200 of the Rules and Regulations.
www.elections.state.ny.us

Please remember if you have any questions call our office.
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