



**CITY OF TUCSON  
2007 PRIMARY AND GENERAL ELECTIONS  
CAMPAIGN FINANCE ADMINISTRATION**

**INFORMATION UPDATE 2007-08**

**TO:** Candidates, Political Parties, Political Committees and Individuals Who Have Received Candidate Information Packets

**FROM:** Kathleen S. Detrick, City Clerk/Campaign Finance Administrator

**DATE:** October 11, 2007

**CAMPAIGN FINANCE PROGRAM**

Pursuant to the City of Tucson Campaign Finance Rules and Regulations, Part 3, Section II.A., candidates who wish to qualify to receive public funding must file a report to establish eligibility no later than 14 days prior to the end of the campaign period. For all General Election candidates who signed campaign contracts and have not already established eligibility, the deadline to file is 5 p.m., October 29. For those candidates who have established eligibility to receive funds, the deadline to request funds is 5 p.m., November 16.

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Attached you will find a Calendar of Events which contains information regarding the November 6 Election.

Attachment: as stated

# City of Tucson

## 2007 General and Special Election

### Calendar of Events

DATE	ACTIVITY
Oct 4	Mail Early Ballot Request Postcards to those qualified electors that have not requested a ballot for the November 6, 2007 election.
Oct 8	Voter registration cut off.
Oct 11	Anticipated date to mail early ballots. This is the date we will also start on site early voting at City Hall and Wilmot Library.
Oct 15 – 17	Anticipated dates to mail the official voter information pamphlet “The Choice is Yours” to each household with a qualified elector.
Oct 18	Mail Request for Early Ballot postcard to new residents.
Oct 22 – Nov 6	Anticipated dates for our Special Election Boards to process early Ballots prior to the Election.
Oct 25 - 26	Official Inspection and Sealing of the AccuVote optical scan devices.
Oct 26	Last day to request that an Early Ballot be mailed for the General and Special Election.
Oct 30	Official Logic and Accuracy Test of the voting equipment and programs.
Oct 31	Mail polling place postcards to voters who have not requested an early ballot for the General and Special Election. This postcard may also be used as one form of non-photo ID at the polls.
Nov 1	* This is the first date we anticipate that early ballots will be tallied.
Nov 2	Last day to vote in person at an on-site Early Voting location.
Nov 3 – 5	* Potential additional days for tallying early ballots, depending on the volume received.
Nov 6	ELECTION DAY – polls open 6 a.m. to 7 p.m.

DATE	ACTIVITY
Nov 7 –11	Potential days for Special Election Boards to process early ballots dropped off at the polling places and provisional ballots.
Nov 9 – 11	Potential days for tallying ballots not processed on November 6 <sup>th</sup> .
Nov 13	Mayor and Council canvass returns and declare the results of the General and Special Election.

**NOTE:**

\* Pursuant to A.R.S. 16-550 (B), tallying of ballots shall not begin any earlier than seven days before Election Day. Pursuant to A.R.S. 16-550(C) any person who unlawfully releases information regarding vote tallies or who possesses a tally sheet or summary without authorization from the recorder or officer in charge of elections is guilty of a Class 6 felony.