

FCPA Filing Calendar - HD49 Special Election

Primary Election
 Primary Runoff Election
 General Election

Tuesday, August 4, 2020
 Tuesday, September 1, 2020
 Tuesday, November 17, 2020

Purple lines indicate deadlines involving monthly reports. Monthly reports are due on the second business day of the subsequent month beginning 12 months before the election date and after crossing the threshold which is \$1000. [17-5- 8(a)(1)] Monthly reports are not due if filing weekly reports. [17-5-8(k)]
Blue lines indicate deadlines involving weekly reports. Weekly reports covering the period Saturday through Friday are due on the Monday of the subsequent week beginning four weeks before the election date. [17-5-8(a)(2)] The last weekly report is not due if filing daily reports. [17-5-8(k)]
Red lines indicate deadlines involving daily reports. Beginning on the 8th day prior to the election, daily reports are due for principal campaign committees and PACs that receive or spend \$5,000 or more on that day with a view toward influencing the election. Daily reports are only due on those days that the \$5,000 threshold is met. Daily reports apply only to legislative, state school board, and statewide candidates, <u>not</u> circuit, district, county, or city candidates. [17-5-8(a)(3)(a)]
Principal campaign committees and PACs must file a report disclosing the receipt of any single contribution of \$20,000 or more within two (2) business days of receiving the contribution <u>if</u> the contribution has not already been reported in a finance disclosure report. [17-5-8.1(c)]
Green lines indicate the legislative blackout beginning and ending dates. The FCPA prohibits candidates for legislative and statewide offices from raising money while the Alabama Legislature is in session, except within 120 days of a primary, primary runoff, or general election. [17-5-7(b)(2)]
Electioneering communication is defined as any communication disseminated through any federally regulated broadcast media, any mailing, or the distribution, electronic communication, phone bank, or publication containing (1) the name or image of a candidate; (2) is made within 120 days of an election in which the candidate will appear on the ballot; (3) the only reasonable conclusion to be drawn from the presentation and content of the communication is that it is intended to influence the outcome of an election; and (4) entails an expenditure in excess of one thousand dollars (\$1,000). [17-5- 2(a)(5)]

Candidates intending to participate in the House District 49 primary election may not begin soliciting or accepting contributions until May 18, 2020.
 Candidates may loan funds to their campaigns prior to May 18, 2020.

Date	Activity
May 18, 2020	Candidates intending to participate in the House District 49 primary election may begin soliciting and accepting contributions.
May 18, 2020	Last day of regular session for the Alabama legislature and last day of the legislative blackout, unless a special legislative session is called.
May 25, 2020	State Holiday-Memorial Day
May 31, 2020	Deadline to close books for the monthly report
June 1, 2020	State Holiday-Jefferson Davis' Birthday
June 3, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the monthly report
June 3, 2020	Deadline to file the May monthly report
June 30, 2020	Deadline to close books for the monthly report
July 2, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the monthly report
July 2, 2020	Deadline to file the June monthly report
July 3, 2020	State Holiday-Independence Day
July 10, 2020	Deadline to close books for the weekly report for the primary election
July 13, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the weekly report for the primary election
July 13, 2020	Deadline to file the weekly report for the primary election
July 17, 2020	Deadline to close books for the weekly report for the primary election

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July 20, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the weekly report for the primary election
July 20, 2020	Deadline to file the weekly report for the primary election
July 24, 2020	Deadline to close books for the weekly report for the primary election
July 27, 2020	Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
July 27, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the weekly report for the primary election
July 27, 2020	Deadline to file the weekly report for the primary election
July 28, 2020	Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
July 29, 2020	Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
July 30, 2020	Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
July 31, 2020	Deadline to close books for the weekly report for the primary election
July 31, 2020	Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
July 31, 2020	Deadline to close books for the monthly report; <u>only</u> for candidates <u>not</u> participating in primary election.
August 1, 2020	Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
August 2, 2020	Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
August 3, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the weekly report for the primary election
August 3, 2020	Deadline to file the weekly report for the primary election
August 3, 2020	Daily report due by 12:01 p.m. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
August 4, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the monthly report; only for candidates <u>not</u> participating in primary election.
August 4, 2020	Deadline to file the July monthly report; only for candidates not participating in primary election
August 4, 2020	Primary Election
August 7, 2020	Deadline to close books for the weekly report for the primary runoff election
August 10, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the weekly report for the primary runoff election
August 10, 2020	Deadline to file the weekly report for the primary runoff election
August 14, 2020	Deadline to close books for the weekly report for the primary runoff election
August 17, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the weekly report for the primary runoff election
August 17, 2020	Deadline to file the weekly report for the primary runoff election
August 21, 2020	Deadline to close books for the weekly report for runoff election.
August 24, 2020	Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.

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August 24, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the weekly report for runoff election.
August 24, 2020	Deadline to file the weekly report for runoff election.
August 25, 2020	Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
August 26, 2020	Daily Report Due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
August 27, 2020	Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
August 28, 2020	Deadline to close books for weekly report for runoff election.
August 28, 2020	Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
August 29, 2020	Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
August 30, 2020	Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
August 31, 2020	Certified mail deadline for weekly report for runoff election.
August 31, 2020	Deadline to file weekly report for runoff election.
August 31, 2020	Daily report due by 12:01 p.m. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
August 31, 2020	Deadline to close books for the August monthly report. Only for candidates not participating in the primary runoff election.
September 1, 2020	Primary Runoff Election
September 2, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the monthly report
September 2, 2020	Deadline to file the August monthly report. Only for candidates not participating in the primary runoff election.
September 7, 2020	State Holiday-Labor Day
September 30, 2020	Deadline to close books for the monthly report for the general election
October 2, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the monthly report
October 2, 2020	Deadline to file the September monthly report
October 12, 2020	State Holiday-Columbus Day
October 23, 2020	Deadline to close books for the weekly report for the general election
October 26, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the weekly report for the general election
October 26, 2020	Deadline to file the weekly report for the general election
October 30, 2020	Deadline to close books for the weekly report for the general election
November 2, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the weekly report for the general election
November 2, 2020	Deadline to file the weekly report for the general election
November 6, 2020	Deadline to close books for the weekly report for the general election

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November 9, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the weekly report for the general election.
November 9, 2020	<i>Deadline to file the weekly report for the general election</i>
November 9, 2020	<i>Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.</i>
November 10, 2020	<i>Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.</i>
November 11, 2020	<i>Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.</i>
November 11, 2020	State Holiday-Veteran's Day
November 12, 2020	Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
November 13, 2020	Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.
November 13, 2020	Deadline to close books for the weekly report for the general election
November 14, 2020	<i>Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.</i>
November 15, 2020	<i>Daily report due. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.</i>
November 16, 2020	Certified mail deadline for the weekly report for the general election.
November 16, 2020	<i>Deadline to file the weekly report for the general election</i>
November 16, 2020	<i>Daily report due by 12:01 p.m. Please refer to the instructions on the top of the calendar page.</i>
November 17, 2020	General Election
December 2, 2020	The last day to raise funds to retire campaign debt for the primary election (120 days after the election). [17-5-7(b)(3)].
December 25, 2020	State Holiday-Christmas Day
December 30, 2020	The last day to raise funds to retire campaign debt for the runoff election (120 days after the election). [17-5-7(b)(3)].
January 1, 2021	State Holiday-New Year's Day
January 18, 2021	State Holiday-Martin Luther King, Jr Day
January 31, 2021	Certified mail deadline for annual report
<i>January 31, 2021</i>	<i>2020 Annual Report due</i>
March 17, 2021	The last day to raise funds to retire campaign debt for the general election (120 days after the election). [17-5-7(b)(3)].