

FCPA Filing Calendar

Municipalities Election

Revised 8/29/2024

General Election - Tuesday, August 26, 2025

Purple lines indicate deadlines involving monthly reports. Monthly reports are due on the second business day of the subsequent month beginning twelve (12) months before the election date upon crossing the \$1000 raising/spending threshold OR upon qualifying with a political party [§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. Beginning 4 weeks before the election date, weekly reports covering the period Saturday through Friday are due on the Monday of the subsequent week [§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. Daily reports are due ONLY for PACs that receive or spend \$5,000 or more on that day with a view toward influencing the election. Daily reports are only due 8 days prior to the election date at 11:59PM on those days that the \$5,000 threshold is met except on the 8th daily report that is due at 12:01PM. Municipal candidates are NOT required to file daily reports. [§17-5-8(a)(3)].

Green lines indicate deadlines involving annual reports. Except for committees and PACs already filing monthly reports, all active committees must file a report of all contributions and expenditures made during that year on or before January 31 of the succeeding year [§17-5-8(b)].

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 if the contribution has not already been reported in a scheduled finance disclosure report [§17-5-8.1(c)].

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 in which the advertisement: (1) contains the name and 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 \$1,000.00 [§17-5-2(a)(5)].

Effective June 1, 2024, a candidate running for a municipal office is exempt from the filing requirements of Sections 17-5-4 and 17-5-8, Code of Alabama 1975, unless and until the candidate receives contributions or makes expenditures in excess of one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

Activity	Date
Candidates intending to participate in 2025 Municipal Election may begin soliciting and accepting contributions [§17-5-7(b)(2)]	Monday, August 26, 2024
Deadline to close books for the August monthly report	Saturday, August 31, 2024
State Holiday - Labor Day	Monday, September 2, 2024
Deadline to file the August monthly report	Wednesday, September 4, 2024
Deadline to close books for the September monthly report	Monday, September 30, 2024
Deadline to file the September monthly report	Wednesday, October 2, 2024
State Holiday - Columbus Day / American Indian Heritage Day / Fraternal Day	Monday, October 14, 2024
Deadline to close books for the October monthly report	Thursday, October 31, 2024
Deadline to file the October monthly report	Monday, November 4, 2024
State Holiday - Veterans Day	Monday, November 11, 2024
State Holiday - Thanksgiving Day	Thursday, November 28, 2024
Deadline to close books for the November monthly report	Saturday, November 30, 2024
Deadline to file the November monthly report	Tuesday, December 3, 2024
State Holiday - Christmas Day	Wednesday, December 25, 2024
Deadline to close books for the December monthly report	Tuesday, December 31, 2024

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State Holiday - New Year's Day	Wednesday, January 1, 2025
Deadline to file the December monthly report	Friday, January 3, 2025
State Holiday - Martin Luther King, Jr. & Robert E. Lee Day	Monday, January 20, 2025
Deadline to close books for the January monthly report	Friday, January 31, 2025
Deadline to file the January monthly report	Tuesday, February 4, 2025
State Holiday - President's Day	Monday, February 17, 2025
Deadline to close books for the February monthly report	Friday, February 28, 2025
Deadline to file the February monthly report	Tuesday, March 4, 2025
Deadline to close the books for the March monthly report	Monday, March 31, 2025
Deadline to file the March monthly report	Wednesday, April 2, 2025
State Holiday - Confederate Memorial Day	Tuesday, April 22, 2025
Deadline to close the books for the April monthly report	Wednesday, April 30, 2025
Deadline to file the April monthly report	Friday, May 2, 2025
State Holiday - Memorial Day	Monday, May 26, 2025
Deadline to close the books for the May monthly report	Saturday, May 31, 2025
State Holiday - Jefferson Davis' Birthday	Monday, June 2, 2025
Deadline to file the May monthly report	Tuesday, June 3, 2025
Deadline to close the books for the June monthly report	Monday, June 30, 2025
Deadline to file the June monthly report	Wednesday, July 2, 2025
State Holiday - Independence Day	Friday, July 4, 2025
Deadline to close books for the 1st weekly report <small>*1st weekly report will include all contributions and expenditures reported from 7/1/25 - 7/31/25</small>	Friday, August 1, 2025
Deadline to file the 1st weekly report	Monday, August 4, 2025
Deadline to close books for the 2nd weekly report	Friday, August 8, 2025
Deadline to file the 2nd weekly report	Monday, August 11, 2025
Deadline to close books for the 3rd weekly report	Friday, August 15, 2025
Deadline to file the 3rd weekly report	Monday, August 18, 2025
Daily Report Due - Due at 11:59 PM <small>*Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold</small>	Monday, August 18, 2025
Daily Report Due - Due at 11:59 PM <small>*Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold</small>	Tuesday, August 19, 2025
Daily Report Due - Due at 11:59 PM <small>*Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold</small>	Wednesday, August 20, 2025
Daily Report Due - Due at 11:59 PM <small>*Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold</small>	Thursday, August 21, 2025
Daily Report Due - Due at 11:59 PM <small>*Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold</small>	Friday, August 22, 2025

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Deadline to close books for the 4th weekly report	Friday, August 22, 2025
Daily Report Due - Due at 11:59 PM *Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold	Saturday, August 23, 2025
Daily Report Due - Due at 11:59 PM *Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold	Sunday, August 24, 2025
Daily Report Due - Due at 12:01PM *Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold	Monday, August 25, 2025
Deadline to file the 4th weekly report	Monday, August 25, 2025
Municipal Election Day	Tuesday, August 26, 2025
Last day to raise funds to retire campaign debt for 2025 Municipal Elections (120 days after election) [§17-5-7(b)(3)]	Wednesday, December 24, 2025
Deadline to close books for the 2025 Annual Report	Wednesday, December 31, 2025
2025 Annual Report Due [§17-5-8(b)]	Saturday, January 31, 2026