

FCPA Filing Calendar

City of Bessemer, District 5 Special Municipal Run-Off Election

Revised 1/24/2025

Run-Off Election - Tuesday, February 25, 2025

Blue lines indicate deadlines involving <u>weekly</u> 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 <u>daily</u> reports. Daily reports are due <u>ONLY</u> 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 <u>NOT</u> required to file daily reports. [§17-5-8(a)(3)].
Green lines indicate deadlines involving <u>annual</u> 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)].

Activity	Date
Municipal Election Day	Tuesday, January 14, 2025
State Holiday - Martin Luther King, Jr. & Robert E. Lee Day	Monday, January 20, 2025
Deadline to close books for the 1st weekly report <small>*1st weekly report will include all contributions and expenditures reported from 1/14/2025</small>	Friday, January 31, 2025
Deadline to file the 1st weekly report	Monday, February 3, 2025
Deadline to close books for the 2nd weekly report	Friday, February 7, 2025
Deadline to file the 2nd weekly report	Monday, February 10, 2025
Deadline to close books for the 3rd weekly report	Friday, February 14, 2025
Deadline to file the 3rd weekly report	Monday, February 17, 2025
State Holiday - President's Day	Monday, February 17, 2025
Daily Report Due - Due at 11:59 PM <small>*Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold</small>	Monday, February 17, 2025
Daily Report Due - Due at 11:59 PM <small>*Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold</small>	Tuesday, February 18, 2025
Daily Report Due - Due at 11:59 PM <small>*Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold</small>	Wednesday, February 19, 2025
Daily Report Due - Due at 11:59 PM <small>*Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold</small>	Thursday, February 20, 2025
Deadline to close books for the 4th weekly report	Friday, February 21, 2025
Daily Report Due - Due at 11:59 PM <small>*Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold</small>	Friday, February 21, 2025
Daily Report Due - Due at 11:59 PM <small>*Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold</small>	Saturday, February 22, 2025
Daily Report Due - Due at 11:59 PM <small>*Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold</small>	Sunday, February 23, 2025

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Daily Report Due - Due at 12:01PM *Only applies to PACs which cross the \$5,000 daily threshold	Monday, February 24, 2025
Deadline to file the 4th weekly report	Monday, February 24, 2025
Run-Off Election Day	Tuesday, February 25, 2025
Last day to raise funds to retire campaign debt for 2025 Bessemer District 5 Special Municipal Election (120 days after election) [§17-5-7(b)(3)]	Wednesday, May 14, 2025
Last day to raise funds to retire campaign debt for 2025 Bessemer District 5 Special Municipal Run-Off Election (120 days after election) [§17-5-7(b)(3)]	Wednesday, June 25, 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