

## 2020 Election Cycle Timeline & Deadlines

December 21, 2018	2020 Election Cycle begins	Candidates who wish to participate must begin following rules.
July 1, 2019	Primary Matching Period begins	Candidates may file a Notice of Intent to participate.
September 12, 2019	Ballot Filing Period begins	Candidates may file to run for office and for program certification.
January 15, 2020	Notice of Intent deadline	Last day to file a Notice of Intent to participate in the program.
January 29, 2020	Certification Filing Deadline	Last day candidates can file for certification in the program.
March 10, 2020	Ballot Filing Period ends	Last day for candidates to file to run for office.
April 28, 2020	Primary Matching Period ends	Last day to collect contributions for match for the primary election.
April 29, 2020	General Matching Period begins	First day to collect contributions for match for the general election.
May 19, 2020	Primary Election Day	
July 3, 2020	1st Deadline to Return Public Funds	For candidates who did not qualify for the general election.
October 13, 2020	General Matching Period ends	Last day to collect contributions for match for the general election.
November 3, 2020	General Election Day	
December 18, 2020	2nd Deadline to Return Public Funds	For all candidates in the general election.