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Political Action Committees (PACs) ■ Ballot Question Committees (BQCs) State Party Committees

2026 Campaign Finance Reports

Filing Schedules ■ Reporting Periods ■ Filing Deadlines

Election Dates	
Primary	June 9, 2026
General	November 3, 2026

Regular Reports

Name of Report	Reporting Period	Filing Deadline
First Quarter 2026	January 1 – March 31, 2026	April 10, 2026
11-Day Pre-Primary	April 1 – May 26, 2026	May 29, 2026
42-Day Post-Primary	May 27 – July 14, 2026	July 21, 2026
End of Third Quarter 2026	July 15 - September 30, 2026	October 5, 2026
11-Day Pre-General	October 1 – October 20, 2026	October 23, 2026
42-Day Post-General	October 21 – December 8, 2026	December 15, 2026
End of Fourth Quarter	December 9 – December 31, 2026	January 15, 2027

24-Hour Report for Certain Contributions or Expenditures*

* A separate 24-hour report is not required for an expenditure reported in an Independent Expenditure report.

Any single contribution of \$5,000 or more received or single expenditure of \$1,000 or more made by a committee during the Reporting Period must be reported no later than 11:59 p.m. on the following calendar day.

Election	Reporting Period
Primary	May 27 – June 8, 2026
General	October 21 – November 2, 2026

Independent Expenditure (“IE”) Reports

A public communication costing more than \$250 that clearly identifies a candidate, advocates for a candidate's election or defeat, was made independently of the candidate, their political committee, and agents of either, must be reported.

Name of Report	Reporting Period	Filing Deadline
60-Day Pre-Primary IE	January 1 - April 9, 2026	April 10, 2026
2-Day Pre-Primary IE	April 10 - May 26, 2026	Within 2 calendar days of the expenditure
1-Day Pre-Primary IE	May 27 - June 8, 2026	Within 1 calendar day of the expenditure
60-Day Pre-General IE	June 9 - September 3, 2026	September 4, 2026
2-Day Pre-General IE	September 4 - October 20, 2026	Within 2 calendar days of the expenditure
1-Day Pre-General IE	October 21 - November 2, 2026	Within 1 calendar day of the expenditure

Important Information about Filing Deadlines and Penalties

Reports are due on or before 11:59 p.m. on the day of the filing deadline. Penalties for late filings accrue daily and the penalty clock starts ticking at midnight.