



CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

ELECTION CALENDAR**

2019-2024

2019

*June 11 Primary Election Virginia State Senate and House of Delegates, Clerk of the Circuit Court
November 5 General Election Virginia State Senate and House of Delegates, Clerk of the Circuit Court

2020

*March 3 Primary Election President of the U.S.
*June 9 Primary Election U.S. Senate and House of Representatives
November 3 General Election President and Vice President of the U.S.
U.S. Senate and U.S. House of Representatives

2021

*June 8 Primary Election Virginia Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General,
House of Delegates, Commonwealth's Attorney and Sheriff
Mayor and Members of City Council
November 2 General Election Virginia Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General,
House of Delegates, Commonwealth's Attorney and Sheriff
Mayor, Members of City Council, School Board

2022

*June 14 Primary Election U.S. House of Representatives
November 8 General Election U.S. House of Representatives

2023

*June 13 Primary Election Virginia State Senate and House of Delegates
November 7 General Election Virginia State Senate and House of Delegates

2024

*March 5 Primary Election President of the U.S.
*June 11 Primary Election U.S. Senate and House of Representatives
Mayor and Members of City Council
November 5 General Election President and Vice President of the U.S.
U.S. Senate and U.S. House of Representatives
Mayor, Members of City Council, School Board

* If called by the political party committee(s).

** This calendar does not include Special Elections which may occur any time there is a vacancy in office.

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Notes:

- **Presidential Primary:** The 2011 Session of the Virginia General Assembly changed the Presidential primary to the first Tuesday in March rather than the second Tuesday in February (24.2-515). The next Presidential Primary will be March 3, 2020 and March 5 2024.
- **Alexandria Mayor, City Council and School Board elections** are held in November every 3 years. Primary elections for Mayor and Council are held the second Tuesday in June of the same year. School Board Members do not run by party, they do not have a primary.
 - Mayor and City Council run by party, however, they do not get party designation on the ballot. They are considered “local” offices. (24.2-640)
 - In 2009, City Council approved moving the Mayor/Council Election from May to November beginning with the 2012 Election. The next Mayor/Council/School Board elections will be November 2, 2021 and November 5, 2024.
- June primaries are held on the second Tuesday in June.
- US House of Representatives (two-year term) every even year 2020, 2022, 2024 and 2026.
- US Senate (six-year term) elected in even years as follows:
 - Tim Kaine was elected November 2018. Next election dates for that Senate seat will be 2024, and 2030.
 - Mark Warner was elected November 2014. Next election dates for that Senate seat will be 2020, 2026, and 2032.
- Virginia State Senate is elected for a four-year term in odd years as follows: 2019, 2023, and 2027.
- Virginia House of Delegates is elected for a two-year term in odd years, 2019, 2021, 2023 and 2025.
- Governor, Lt Governor and Attorney General are elected for four-year terms. 2021 and 2025.
- Commonwealth’s Attorney and Sheriff are elected to four-year terms in odd years. 2021 and 2025. Commonwealth’s Attorney and Sheriff do not get party designation on the ballot. They are considered “local” offices. (24.2-640)
- Ed Semonian, Clerk of the Circuit Court, was elected in 2011 for a term of eight years (24.2-217) Next election dates for that office will be 2019, 2027, and 2035.
- The City does not elect its Treasurer and Commissioner of Revenue. They are appointed/hired by the City.