2025 June Primary and November General Elections
Political Party Ballot Access Quick Look One Pager

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Additional information, including November Special Election information can be found in the political party bulletin:
https://www.elections.virginia.gov/media/candidatesandpacs/2025-candidate-bulletins/2025-11-04_Pol_Party_Bulletin_rev_12-5-2024.pdf.

A. **First week of January, 2025** file the following with the **Virginia Department of Elections (ELECT)**.*
*ELECT strongly encourages the party to submit updated lists the first week of June, and the first week of November.

- **Contact lists for all party chairs** (state, congressional district, legislative district, county, city).

B. **Between 2/12/25 and 3/4/25** file the following with **ELECT** for <u>each office</u> you are responsible for.
- **ELECT-516 Party Notice of Nomination Method**
  https://fs28.formsite.com/vaelect/NominationMethod/index

C. **Between 5:01pm 4/3/25 and 5:00pm 4/8/25** file the following as follows for <u>each office</u> you are responsible for.
- **ELECT-527 Party Certification of Primary Candidates**
  https://www.elections.virginia.gov/media/formswarehouse/campaign-finance/2018/candidates/ELECT-527-Party-Certification-of-Primary-Candidates-rev-12-22-17.pdf
- For State, Congressional, and General Assembly candidates, file with ELECT.
- For all other candidates, file with ELECT and the General Registrar's Office (https://vote.elections.virginia.gov/VoterInformation/PublicContactLookup) in <u>each</u> locality where the candidate will appear on the ballot.

D. Reminder: Parties may nominate non-primary November General candidates between 5/1/25 and 6/17/25.*
*See political party bulletin for November Special Election dates.

E. **Between 5/1/25 and 6/23/25*** file the following as follows for <u>each office</u> you are responsible for.
*See political party bulletin for November Special Election dates.
- **ELECT-511 Party Certification of Non-Primary Candidates**
  https://www.elections.virginia.gov/media/formswarehouse/campaign-finance/2018/candidates/ELECT-511-Party-Certification-of-Non-Primary-Candidate-rev-1-9-18.pdf
- For State, Congressional, and General Assembly candidates, file with ELECT.
- For all other candidates, file with ELECT and the General Registrar's Office (https://vote.elections.virginia.gov/VoterInformation/PublicContactLookup) in <u>each</u> locality where the candidate will appear on the ballot.

Political Party Flow Chart

First week in January: Submit party chairs contacts lists to ELECT.

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Between 2/12/25 and 3/4/25: Submit ELECT-516 to ELECT.

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Between 5:01pm 4/3/25 and 5:00pm 4/8/25: Submit ELECT-527 to appropriate office(s).

→ Between 5/1/25 and 6/17/25: Nominate November General non-primary candidates.

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Between 5/1/25 and 6/23/25: Submit ELECT-511 to appropriate office(s).

→ *Optional: First week in June: Submit updated party chairs contacts lists to ELECT.*

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The list of candidates that qualified for ballot access will be posted on ELECT's website (https://www.elections.virginia.gov/casting-a-ballot/candidate-list/) within a week after the party filing deadline. Contact ELECT at ea@elections.virginia.gov or your local General Registrar (https://vote.elections.virginia.gov/VoterInformation/PublicContactLookup) to confirm a candidate's status before then.