



CITY OF WESTMINSTER
2025 MUNICIPAL ELECTION CALENDAR

- Thursday, January 2** Candidate Registration for the 2025 Election Begins at 8:30 a.m.
Absentee Ballot Requests are Available
- Candidate Packets and Absentee Ballot Request Forms are available for pick-up starting on Thursday, January 2, 2025, at the City of Westminster Administration Building (45 West Main Street, Westminster, Maryland 21157) Monday through Friday, from 8:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Please ask to see Clerk of Elections Doug Barber or Executive Assistant Erica Kirkner.
- Prospective Candidates can submit their completed Candidate Packet Monday through Friday, at the City of Westminster Administration Building (45 West Main Street, Westminster, Maryland 21157), from 8:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Please ask to see Clerk of Elections Barber or Executive Assistant Erica Kirkner.
- Friday, March 21** **DEADLINE** to file for Candidacy by 4:30 p.m.
- Monday, March 24** **Announcement of the Certified Candidates during the Mayor and Common Council Meeting**
- Monday, April 14** **VOTER REGISTRATION DEADLINE (4:30 P.M.)** for registering to vote with Carroll County Board of Elections. You must be a resident of the City of Westminster and be qualified to vote in order to run for office or to vote in the General Election
- Sunday, April 20** **DEADLINE for filing of First Campaign Finance Statement Due by 4:30 pm.** – Covering the period between the appointment of a Campaign Treasurer and April 15.
- Monday, May 5** **DEADLINE for filing of Second Campaign Finance Statement Due by 4:30 pm.** – Covering the period between April 15 and May 1, 2023.
- Tuesday, May 13** **ELECTION DAY (Polls Open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.)**

Qualified Westminster voters who reside on the west side of Maryland Route 31 vote at the Westminster Community Building at the Westminster Pool, located at 325 Royer Road. Qualified Westminster voters who reside on the east side of Maryland 31 vote at the John Street Quarters of the Westminster Fire Company, located at 28 John Street.

Friday, May 16 **DEADLINE for filing Third Campaign Statement Due by 4:30 p.m. –**
Covering the period between May 1 and May 16, 2025, to include remaining transactions that occurred following the election.

Monday, May 19 **SWEARING-IN NEWLY ELECTED OFFICIALS at Special Mayor and Common Council Meeting – Councilmember Organizational Meeting**

If you have any questions about the City of Westminster Elections please contact, the City of Westminster Clerk of Elections, Doug Barber at (410) 848-4938 or by email at dabarber@westminstermd.gov.

If you have any questions regarding voter registration, please contact the Carroll County Board of Elections at (410) 386-2080 or by email at ccboe@carrollcountymd.gov.