

2017 February Fire District Election Timeline

January

January 7

Publication of Notice of Fire Election by Fire District Commissioners

(at least 6 weeks prior to election)

N.J.S.A. 40A:14-72

January 20

Nomination Petition Filing Deadline for Fire District Election

(29 days before election)

N.J.S.A. 40A:14-71

February

February 11

Deadline to apply for a Mail-In Ballot by Mail for Fire District Elections

(not less than 7 days prior to election)

N.J.S.A. 19:63-3

February 11

Publication of Notice of Fire District Election by Fire District Commissioners

(at least once not later than 1 week prior to election)

N.J.S.A. 40A:14-74

February 11

Fire District Election Voter Registry List to be Provided to Fire District Commissioners by County Commissioners of Registration

(at least 7 days prior to election)

N.J.S.A. 40A:14-74

February 14

Deadline for Applications to Receive Mail-In Ballot for Fire District Election by Electronic Means for Qualified Overseas Civilian and Military Voters

(4th day before election)

N.J.S.A. 19:59-4

February 16

Voter Registration Deadline for Fire District Election

(at least 2 days before election)

N.J.S.A. 40A:14-74

February 17

Deadline for In-Person Mail-In Ballot Applications for Fire District Elections

(up to 3:00 pm on the day before election)

N.J.S.A. 19:63-3

February 18

Fire District Elections

(3rd Saturday in February)

N.J.S.A. 40A:14-72

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February 18

Last Day for Testing of Electronic Scanning Equipment for Tabulation of Paper Ballots for Fire District Election

(day of election)

(notice to be given 48 hours prior to start of testing)

N.J.S.A. 19:53A-8

February 18

Deadline for Submission of Fire District Election Mail-In Ballots to County Boards of Election

(by 9:00 pm on the day of election)

N.J.S.A. 19:63-16

February 19 - March 5

Impoundment Period for Voting Machines Used in the Fire District Elections

(15 days following election)

N.J.S.A. 19:52-6

March

March 6

Deadline for Recount Applications for Fire District Elections

(within 15 days after election)

N.J.S.A. 19:28-1

March 6

Deadline for Applications for Recheck of Voting Machines Used in the Fire District Elections

(within 15 days after election)

N.J.S.A. 19:52-6

March 20

Deadline for Filing of Election Contest Petitions for Fire District Elections

(not later than 30 days after election)

N.J.S.A. 19:29-3