



2021 Deadlines by Election and Important Deadlines

February 23, 2021 Woodmere Council Recall Election

| City | Candidate Petition Filing Deadline | **Write In Filing Deadline (where applicable) | Issues/Local Option** Filing Deadline | Charter Amendment Filing Deadline | Registration Close Date | Absentee Opening Date | Number of Precincts | Campaign Finance Pre-Election Report Deadline | Campaign Finance Post-Election Report Deadline |
|----------|------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---|--|
| Woodmere | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 1/25 | 1/26 | 1 | 2/11 | 4/2 |

Military / Overseas ballots begin to be mailed 46 days before the election (1/11/2021)

**State election laws only allow Local Option elections when candidates are on the ballot in the same precinct.

March 16, Mayfield Village Special Election

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| Mayfield Village | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 2/16 | 2/17 | 1 | 3/4 | 4/23 |

Military / Overseas ballots begin to be mailed 46 days before the election (1/29/2021)

**State election laws only allow Local Option elections when candidates are on the ballot in the same precinct.

May 4th Primary

| City | Candidate Petition Filing Deadline | **Write In Filing Deadline (where applicable) | Issues/Local Option** Filing Deadline | Charter Amendment Filing Deadline | Registration Close Date | Absentee Opening Date | Number of Precincts | Campaign Finance Pre-Election Report Deadline | Campaign Finance Post-Election Report Deadline |
|--|------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---|--|
| Open to all municipalities for issues | N/A | N/A | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | | 4/22 | 6/11 |
| Bedford Judicial (P) | 2/3 | 2/22 | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | 68 | 4/22 | 6/11 |
| Berea (NP) | 3/5 | 2/22 | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | 13 | 4/22 | 6/11 |
| Berea Judicial (P) | No Candidate Election | N/A | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | 83 | 4/22 | 6/11 |
| Fairview Park (NP) | No Candidate Election | N/A | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | 13 | 4/22 | 6/11 |
| Garfield Hts Judicial (P) | No Candidate Election | N/A | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | 56 | 4/22 | 6/11 |
| Lyndhurst Judicial (P) | No Candidate Election | N/A | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | 47 | 4/22 | 6/11 |
| Mayfield Hts Mayor Only (NP) | 2/3 | 2/22 | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | 13 | 4/22 | 6/11 |
| Newburgh Hts (P) | No Candidate Election | N/A | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | 1 | 4/22 | 6/11 |
| Oakwood Village (NP) | 2/3 | N/A | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | 5 | 4/22 | 6/11 |
| Parma (P) | 2/3 | 2/22 | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | 51 | 4/22 | 6/11 |
| Parma Judicial (P) | 2/3 | 2/22 | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | 117 | 4/22 | 6/11 |
| Rocky River Judicial (P) | No Candidate Election | N/A | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | 86 | 4/22 | 6/11 |
| Shaker Hts Judicial (P) | No Candidate Election | N/A | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | 45 | 4/22 | 6/11 |
| Strongsville (NP) | 2/3 | 2/22 | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | 30 | 4/22 | 6/11 |
| Westlake (NP) | 2/3 | 2/22 | 2/3 | 3/5 | 4/5 | 4/6 | 24 | 4/22 | 6/11 |

Note: The filing deadline for Parma Independent candidates is May 3, 2021.

The filing deadline for the above Judicial Independent/Nonpartisan candidates is May 3, 2021.

Military / Overseas ballots begin to be mailed 46 days before the election (3/19/2021)

*Protest deadline for candidate petitions is generally 74 days (2/19/2021) before the election.

*Write In Filing Deadline: Generally 72 days before the election. Protest Deadline generally 67 days (2/26/2021) before the election. See individual municipal charters for specific information.

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Last day for a candidate to withdraw their candidacy and their name will not appear on the ballot. Generally 70 days (2/23/2021)

August 3, 2021 Special & 11th Congressional Special Primary Election

| City | Candidate Petition Filing Deadline | **Write In Filing Deadline (where applicable) | Issues/Local Option** Filing Deadline | Charter Amendment Filing Deadline | Registration Close Date | Absentee Opening Date | Number of Precincts | Campaign Finance Pre-Election Report Deadline | Campaign Finance Post-Election Report Deadline |
|--|------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---|--|
| Open to all municipalities for issues | N/A | N/A | 5/5 | 6/4 | 7/6 | 7/7 | N/A | 7/22 | 9/10 |
| 11th Congressional District | 5/5 | 5/24 | n/a | n/a | 7/6 | 7/7 | 513 | n/a | n/a |

Note: The filing deadline for Independent candidates is August 2, 2021.

Military / Overseas ballots begin to be mailed 46 days before the election (6/18/2021)

*Protest deadline for candidate petitions is generally 74 days (5/21/2021) before the election.

*Write In Filing Deadline: Generally 72 days before the election. Protest Deadline generally 67 days (5/28/2021) before the election. See individual municipal charters for specific information.

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Last day for a candidate to withdraw their candidacy and their name will not appear on the ballot. Generally 70 days (5/25/2021)

September 14th Municipal Primary

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|-----------------------------------|---|---|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---|--|
| Bay Village (NP) | 6/16 | 7/6 | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 12 | 9/2 | 10/22 |
| Bedford Hts (NP) | 6/1 | N/A | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 9 | 9/2 | 10/22 |
| Broadview Hts (NP) | No Candidate Election | N/A | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 14 | 9/2 | 10/22 |
| Brook Park (P) | 6/16 | N/A | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 12 | 9/2 | 10/22 |
| Cleveland Mayor & Council (NP) | 6/16 | 7/6 | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 332 | 9/2 | 10/22 |
| Cleveland Heights Mayor Only (NP) | 6/16 | N/A | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 33 | 9/2 | 10/22 |
| East Cleveland Mayor Only (P) | 6/16 | N/A | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 15 | 9/2 | 10/22 |
| Garfield Hts (NP) | 6/16 | 7/6 | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 19 | 9/2 | 10/22 |
| Lakewood (NP) | 6/16 | 7/6 | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 37 | 9/2 | 10/22 |
| Lakewood Judicial (NP) | 6/16 | 7/6 | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 37 | 9/2 | 10/22 |
| Maple Hts (NP) | 6/16 | 7/6 | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 16 | 9/2 | 10/22 |
| North Olmsted (NP) | 6/16 | 7/6 | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 21 | 9/2 | 10/22 |
| Olmsted Falls Mayor Only (NP) | 6/16 | 7/6 | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 8 | 9/2 | 10/22 |
| Rocky River (P) | 6/16 | 7/6 | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 16 | 9/2 | 10/22 |
| Seven Hills (NP) | 6/16 | N/A | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 8 | 9/2 | 10/22 |
| Solon (NP) | 6/16 | 7/6 | 6/16 | 7/16 | 8/16 | 8/17 | 15 | 9/2 | 10/22 |

Note: The filing deadline for Brook Park and Rocky River Independent candidates is June 16, 2021 at 4:00 PM

Military / Overseas ballots begin to be mailed 46 days before the election (7/30/2021)

[^]Protest deadline for candidate petitions is generally 74 days (7/2/2021) before the election.

*Write In Filing Deadline: Generally 72 days before the election. Protest Deadline generally 67 days (7/9/2021) before the election. See individual municipal charters for specific information.

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November 2nd General & 11th Congressional Special General Elections

| City | Candidate Petition Filing Deadline [^] | **Write In Filing Deadline (where applicable) | Issues/Local Option** Filing Deadline | Charter Amendment Filing Deadline | Registration Close Date | Absentee Opening Date | Number of Precincts | Campaign Finance Pre-Election Report Deadline | Campaign Finance Post-Election Report Deadline |
|--|---|---|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---|--|
| Open to all municipalities for issues and local options | | N/A | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| 11th Congressional District (I) | 8/2 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 529 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| All Boards of Education | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Bay Village (NP) | See 9/14 Primary Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 12 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Beachwood (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 9 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Bedford (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 10 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Bedford Judicial (NP) | See 5/4 Primary Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 68 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Bedford Hts (NP) | See 9/14 Primary Election | N/A | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 9 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Bentleyville (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 1 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Berea (NP) | See 5/4 Primary Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 13 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Berea Judicial (I) | No Candidate Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 83 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Bratenahl (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 1 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Brecksville (NP) | 8/4 | N/A | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 10 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Broadview Hts (NP) | No Candidate Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 14 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Brook Park (I) | 6/16 | N/A | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 12 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Brooklyn (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 8 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Brooklyn Hts (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 1 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Chagrin Falls Township (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 1 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Chagrin Falls Village (NP) | 8/19 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 3 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Cleveland (NP) | See 9/14 Primary Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 332 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Cleveland Judicial (NP) | 6/16 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 333 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Cleveland Hts Council Only (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 33 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Cleveland Hts Judicial (NP) | No Candidate Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 33 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Cuyahoga Hts. (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 1 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| East Cleveland Council (NP) | 8/4 | N/A | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 15 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| East Cleveland Judicial (NP) | No Candidate Election | N/A | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 15 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Euclid (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 39 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Euclid Judicial (NP) | No Candidate Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 39 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Fairview Park (NP) | No Candidate Election | N/A | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 13 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Garfield Hts (NP) | See 9/14 Primary Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 19 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Garfield Hts Judicial (I) | No Candidate Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 56 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Gates Mills (NP) | 8/4 | N/A | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 2 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Glenwillow (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 3 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Highland Heights (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 8 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Highland Hills (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 1 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Hunting Valley (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 1 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Independence (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 5 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Lakewood (NP) | See 9/14 Primary Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 37 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Linndale (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 1 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Lyndhurst (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 11 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Lyndhurst Judicial (I) | No Candidate Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 47 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Maple Hts (NP) | See 9/14 Primary Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 16 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Mayfield Hts. (NP) (Council Only) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 13 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Mayfield Village (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 4 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Middleburg Hts (NP) | 8/19 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 11 | 10/21 | 12/10 |

November 2nd General continued

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| Moreland Hills (NP) | 8/4 | N/A | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 3 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Newburgh Hts (I) | 5/3 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 1 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| North Olmsted (NP) | 6/16 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 21 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| North Randall (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 1 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| North Royalton (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 22 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Oakwood Village (NP) | See 5/4 Primary Election | N/A | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 5 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Olmsted Falls (NP) (Council Only) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 8 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Olmsted Township (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 9 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Orange Village (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 3 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Parma (I) | 5/3 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 51 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Parma Judicial (I) | 5/3 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 117 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Parma Hts. (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 12 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Pepper Pike (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 5 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Richmond Hts. (NP) | 8/4 | N/A | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 9 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Rocky River (I) | 6/16 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 16 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Rocky River Judicial (I) | No Candidate Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 86 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Seven Hills (NP) | See 9/14 Primary Election | N/A | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 8 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Shaker Hts. (NP) | 8/4 | N/A | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 21 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Shaker Hts. Judicial (I) | No Candidate Election | N/A | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 45 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Solon (NP) | See 9/14 Primary Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 15 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| South Euclid (NP) | 8/19 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 16 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| South Euclid Judicial (NP) | No Candidate Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 16 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Strongsville (NP) | See 5/4 Primary Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 30 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| University Hts (NP) | 8/4 | N/A | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 9 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Valley View (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 2 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Walton Hills (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 2 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Warrensville Hts. (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 12 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Westlake (NP) | See 5/4 Primary Election | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 24 | 10/21 | 12/10 |
| Woodmere (NP) | 8/4 | 8/23 | 8/4 | 9/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 1 | 10/21 | 12/10 |

Military / Overseas ballots begin to be mailed 46 days before the election (9/17/2021)

[^]Protest deadline for candidate petitions is generally 74 days (8/20/2021) before the election. Protest against Independent Congressional candidates is 8/9/2021.

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Last day for a candidate to withdraw their candidacy and their name will not appear on the ballot. Generally 70 days (8/24/2021)

May 3, 2022 Primary Election

| City | [^] Candidate Petition Filing Deadline | **Write In Filing Deadline | Issues/Local Option Filing Deadline | Charter Amendment Filing Deadline | Registration Close Date | Absentee Opening Date | Number of Precincts | Campaign Finance Pre-Election Report Deadline | Campaign Finance Post-Election Report Deadline |
|--|---|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---|--|
| Open to all municipalities for issues | 2/2/22 | N/A | 02/02/22 | 03/04/22 | 04/04/22 | 04/05/22 | 975 | 04/21/22 | 06/10/22 |
| All State/Federal/County Candidates | 2/2/22 | 2/21/22 | N/A | N/A | 04/04/22 | 04/05/22 | 975 | 04/21/22 | 06/10/22 |

Military / Overseas ballots begin to be mailed 46 Days before the election (3/18/2022)

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Last day for a candidate to withdraw their candidacy and their name not appear on the ballot. Generally 70 days (2/22/2022)

Note: The filing deadline for Independent candidates for the November 8, 2022 General Election is May 2, 2022 (day before the primary election).