

2025 Election Dates to Remember

July 7, 2025 (12:00 noon)	Candidate filing begins for municipal offices on the 2025 ballot in <i>Belmont, Bessemer City, Cherryville, Cramerton, Dallas, Gastonia, High Shoals, Kings Mountain, Lowell, McAdenville, Mount Holly, Ranlo, and Stanley</i>
July 18, 2025 (12:00 noon)	Candidate filing ends for municipal offices on the 2025 ballot in <i>Belmont, Bessemer City, Cherryville, Cramerton, Dallas, Gastonia, High Shoals, Kings Mountain, Lowell, McAdenville, Mount Holly, Ranlo, and Stanley</i>
October 3, 2025	Absentee-by-mail voting begins for the 2025 Municipal Election (if ballots available)
October 10, 2025 (5:00 pm)	Last day to register to vote for the November 4, 2025 Municipal Election
October 16, 2025	Early In-Person Voting begins for the 2025 Municipal Election
October 28, 2025 (5:00 pm)	Deadline to apply for an absentee-by-mail ballot for the 2025 Municipal Election
November 1, 2025 (3:00 pm)	Early In-Person Voting ends for the 2025 Municipal Election
November 3, 2025 (5:00 pm)	Deadline to apply for an absentee ballot for voters who expect to be unable to vote on Election Day due to sickness or physical disability
November 4, 2025	Municipal Election Day (polls open at 6:30 am and close at 7:30 pm)
November 4, 2025 (7:30 pm)	Return deadline for receipt of civilian absentee-by-mail ballots
November 7, 2025 (10:00 am)	Sample hand-to-eye recount
November 14, 2025 (11:00 am)	Canvass of the 2025 Municipal Election

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Dates are subject to change