COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF STATE BUREAU OF COMMISSIONS, ELECTIONS AND LEGISLATION

2011 PENNSYLVANIA ELECTIONS IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

First day to circulate and file nomination petitions	February 15
Last day to circulate and file nomination petitions	March 8
First day to circulate and file nomination papers	March 9
Last day for withdrawal by candidates who filed nomination petitions	March 23
Last day to REGISTER before the primary	April 18
Last day to apply for a civilian absentee ballot	May 10
Last day for County Board of Elections to receive voted civilian absentee ballots	May 13
MUNICIPAL PRIMARY	May 17
First day to REGISTER after primary	May 18
Last day for County Board of Elections to receive voted military and overseas absentee ballots (must be postmarked no later than May 16)	May 24
Last day to circulate and file nomination papers	August 1
Last day for withdrawal by candidates nominated by nomination papers	August 8
Last day for withdrawal by candidates nominated at the primary	August 15
Last day to REGISTER before the NOVEMBER election	October 11
Last day to apply for a civilian absentee ballot	November 1
Last day for County Boards of Elections to receive voted civilian absentee ballots	November 4
MUNICIPAL ELECTION	November 8
First day to REGISTER after November election	November 9
Last day for County Board of Elections to receive voted military and overseas absentee ballots (must be postmarked no later than November 7)	November 15

Note: All dates in this calendar are subject to change without notice.