



2024 Surry County, NC Election Schedule

12/04/2023	Filing opens at 12 Noon for Federal, State, County offices, Mount Airy Municipal offices and ALL Board of Education seats (163-106.2 / SL2018-21 / SL2019-SB 674 / SL2021-56)
12/15/2023	Filing closes at 12 Noon for Federal, State, County offices, Mount Airy Municipal offices and ALL Board of Education seats (163-106.2 / SL2018-21 / SL2019- SB 674 / SL2021-56)
01/04/2024	Candidate Challenge Deadline no later than 10 business days after the close of the filing period for notice of candidacy (G.S.163-127.2(a))
01/05/2024	17 year-olds who will be 18 by date of General Election (11/05/2024) are eligible to be registered as of this date. (G.S.163-59)
01/19/2024	Absentee Voting begins (no excuse required) (163-227.10) All absentee requests must be submitted on an official state form, available on our website or by calling our office; we cannot accept handwritten informal requests. A separate absentee request is required for each election. Mail (signed) or deliver your completed official request form to our office.
01/30/2024	Absentee Board Meeting 1 (G.S. 163-230.1(f)) (5:00 p.m.)
02/04/2024	30-Day Residency Deadline (G.S. 163-55)
02/06/2024	Absentee Board Meeting 2 (G.S. 163-230.1(f)) (5:00 p.m.)
02/09/2024	Voter Registration Deadline - Forms must be postmarked or delivered in person by 5:00 PM. (May be sent by fax or email attachment but original must be received in our office no later than 5:00 PM on Feb. 9th). (163-82.6(d)(1)) Last date for voter to change party affiliation before primary (163-82.17d)
02/13/2024	Absentee Board Meeting 3 (G.S. 163-230.1(f)) (5:00 PM.)
02/14/2024	Deadline for Party Chairs to Submit Names of Observers & Runners for first day of Early Voting– By 12:00 noon (ongoing) (G.S. 163-45(b))
02/15/2024	Early Voting begins (163-166.40)
02/20/2024	Absentee Board Meeting 4 (G.S. 163-230.1(f)) (5:00 PM.)
02/27/2024	Last day to request an absentee ballot be mailed to you (163-230.1a) Absentee Board Meeting 5 (G.S. 163-230.1(f)) (5:00 PM.)
03/02/2024	Early voting ends (163-227.2(b) & SL2019-239)
03/04/2024	Absentee Board Meeting Pre-Election Day (G.S. 163-232(a)) (5:00 p.m.) UOCAVA Absentee Ballot Request Deadline – By 5:00 PM. On the Day Before Election Day (G.S. 163-258.8) UOCAVA Voter Registration Deadline – By 5:00 PM. On the Day Before Election Day (G.S. 163-258.6(d)) Deadline for Party Chairs to Submit Names of Observers & Runners for Election Day – By 12:00 noon (G.S.163-45.1©)

03/05/2024	PRIMARY ELECTION DAY (163-1) - Polls Open 6:30 AM until 7:30 PM Absentee Board Meeting (G.S. 163-234(2)) (2:00 p.m.) Deadline to Return Civilian Absentee Ballot – By 7:30 PM. (G.S. 163-231(b)) Deadline to Return UOCAVA Absentee Ballot (G.S. 163-258.10) Unaffiliated Candidate Petitions Due at Noon (G.S. 163-122(a)), S.L.2017-214
03/12/2024	Absentee Ballot Challenge Deadline to file a challenge to an absentee ballot by 5:00 pm (G.S. 163-89(a))
03/14/2024	Deadline for Provisional voters to present acceptable photo ID or HAVA ID and absentee voters to submit cure documentation before County Canvass - By 5:00 pm (G.S. 163-166.16©, 08 NCAC 17.0101;163-230.1(e),08 NCAC 17.0109) UOCAVA Absentee Ballot Return Deadline – Mailed – By 5:00 pm (G.S. 163-258.17)
03/15/2024	Deadline for Election Protest concerning votes counted or tabulation results – Before the beginning of County Canvass (G.S. 163-182.9(b)(4)a) County Canvass – 11:00 AM. (G.S. 163-182.5(b))
04/09/2024	Absentee Board Meeting 1 (G.S. 163-230.1(f)) (5:00 p.m.)
04/16/2024	Absentee Board Meeting 2 (G.S. 163-230.1(f)) (5:00 p.m.)
04/23/2024	Absentee Board Meeting 3 (G.S. 163-230.1(f)) (5:00 p.m.)
04/24/2024	Deadline for Party Chairs to Submit Names of Observers & Runners for first day of Early Voting– By 12:00 noon (ongoing) (G.S. 163-45(b))
04/25/2024	Early Voting begins (163-166.40)
04/30/2024	Absentee Board Meeting 4 (G.S. 163-230.1(f)) (5:00 p.m.)
05/07/2024	Last day to request an absentee ballot be mailed to you (163-230.1a) Absentee Board Meeting 5 (G.S. 163-230.1(f)) (5:00 PM.)
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05/14/2024	Statewide Second Primary Election Day (163-1) - Polls Open 6:30 AM until 7:30 PM Absentee Board Meeting (G.S. 163-234(2)) (2:00 p.m.) Deadline to Return Civilian Absentee Ballot – By 7:30 PM. (G.S. 163-231(b)) Deadline to Return UOCAVA Absentee Ballot (G.S. 163-258.10)
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06/10/2024	Filing opens at 12 Noon for Soil and Water Conservation Districts (139-6)
07/05/2024	Filing closes at 12 Noon for Soil and Water Conservation Districts (139-6)

	Filing opens at 12 Noon for Municipal offices for Town of Dobson, Town of Elkin and Town of Pilot Mtn
07/19/2024	Filing closes at 12 Noon for Municipal offices for Town of Dobson, Town of Elkin and Town of Pilot Mtn
09/06/2024	Absentee Voting begins (no excuse required) (163-227.10) All absentee requests must be submitted on an official state form, available on our website or by calling our office; we cannot accept handwritten informal requests. A separate absentee request is required for each election. Mail (signed) or deliver your completed official request form to our office.
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10/11/2024	Voter Registration Deadline - Forms must be postmarked or delivered in person by 5:00 PM. (May be sent by fax or email attachment but original must be received in our office no later than 5:00 PM on Oct. 16th). (163-82.6(d)(1))
10/15/2024	Absentee Board Meeting 3 (G.S. 163-230.1(f)) (5:00 PM.)
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