

BOARD OF ELECTIONS

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FORSYTH COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS 2010 ELECTION SCHEDULE

Friday, January 29	2009 Year End Semi-Annual Report due
Monday, February 8 <i>Noon</i>	Filing Period Opens <i>GS 163-106(c)</i>
Friday, February 26 <i>Noon</i>	Filing Period Closes <i>GS 163-106(c)</i>
Monday, March 15	Beginning date to request an absentee ballot to be mailed- Primary Election. (No excuse required) <i>G.S. 163-227.3</i>
Friday, April 9	Voter Registration Deadline for May 4 Primary Election. Forms must be postmarked or delivered in person by today. <i>G.S. 163-82.6 (c)</i>
Friday, April 9	Last day for voters to change party affiliation before the May 4 Primary Election <i>GS 163-82.17</i>
Tuesday, April 13	Absentee Meeting - Primary <i>G.S. 163-230.1 (c1)</i>
Thursday, April 15	One-Stop Absentee Voting begins – Primary (no excuse required) <i>G.S. 163-227.2</i>
Tuesday, April 20	Absentee Meeting – Primary <i>G.S. 163-230.1 (c1)</i>
Monday, April 26	2010 First Quarter Plus Report due
Tuesday, April 27	Absentee Meeting – Primary <i>G.S. 163-230.1 (c1)</i> Last day to request a mail out absentee ballot <i>G.S. 163-230.1</i>
Thursday, April 29 <i>10:00 am</i>	Deadline for Party Chair to submit names of observers – Primary <i>G.S. 163-45</i>
Saturday, May 1 <i>1:00 pm</i>	Deadline to vote one-stop absentee ballot – Primary <i>G.S.163-227.2 (f)</i>
Monday, May 3 <i>5:00 pm</i>	Deadline to return absentee ballots – Primary <i>G.S.163-231(b)</i>
Tuesday, May 4 Polls open 6:30 am, close 7:30 pm	Primary Election
Wednesday, May 5	County Board staff begins audit of election returns
Tuesday, May 11 <i>11:00 am</i>	Canvass <i>G.S. 163-291(5)</i>
Thursday, May 13 <i>Noon</i>	Deadline to request Second Primary <i>GS 163-291(6)</i>
Monday, June 14 <i>Noon</i>	Soil & Water Conservation District filing period opens <i>G.S. 139-6</i>
Tuesday, June 22	Second Primary (if necessary) <i>GS 163-111(e)</i>
Friday, June 25 <i>Noon</i>	Deadline for unaffiliated candidates to file petitions & pay fee <i>G.S. 163-122</i>

**FORSYTH COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS
2010 ELECTION SCHEDULE
(Continued)**

Friday, July 2 <i>Noon</i>	Soil & Water Conservation District filing period closes <i>G.S. 139-6</i>
Friday, July 9	2010 Second Quarter Report due
Friday, July 30	2010 Mid-Year Semi-Annual Report due
Wednesday, August 4 <i>Noon</i>	Deadline for write-in candidates to file declarations of intent & petitions for partisan offices <i>G.S. 163-123</i>
Friday, September 3	Beginning date for absentee ballots to be mailed-General Election. (No excuse required) <i>G.S. 163-227.3</i>
Friday, October 8	Voter Registration Deadline for November 2 General Election. Forms must be postmarked or delivered in person by today. <i>G.S. 163-82.6 (c)</i>
Tuesday, October 12	Absentee Meeting – General <i>G.S. 163-230.1 (c1)</i>
Thursday, October 14	One-Stop Absentee Voting begins – General (no excuse required) <i>G.S. 163-227.2</i>
Tuesday, October 19	Absentee Meeting – General <i>G.S. 163-230.1 (c1)</i>
Monday, October 25	2010 Third Quarter Plus Report due
Tuesday, October 26	Absentee Meeting – General <i>G.S. 163-230.1 (c1)</i> Last day to request a mail out absentee ballot <i>G.S. 163-230.1</i>
Thursday, October 28 <i>10:00 am</i>	Deadline for Party Chair to submit names of observers <i>G.S. 163-45</i>
Saturday, October 30 <i>1:00 pm</i>	Deadline to vote one-stop absentee ballot – General <i>G.S.163-227.2 (f)</i>
Monday, November 1 <i>5:00 pm</i>	Deadline to return absentee ballots <i>G.S.163-231 (b)</i>
Tuesday, November 2 Polls open 6:30 am, close 7:30 pm	General Election
Wednesday, November 3	County Board staff begins audit of election returns
Friday, November 12 <i>11:00 am</i>	Canvass <i>G.S. 163-182 (5)</i>
Tuesday, January 11 2011	2010 Fourth Quarter Report due

**Board meeting dates and times will be posted on our website at www.fcvotes.com
The Board meets on the second floor of the Forsyth County Government Center.
All meetings are open to the public unless otherwise noted.
Meetings may begin as open to the public and later be moved into a closed session.
If you have any questions please call our office at (336) 703-2800**