



## GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION – MARCH 19, 2024 IMPORTANT REGISTRATION AND VOTING DATES

Abbreviated Dates:

Early Voting: February 8<sup>th</sup> – March 18<sup>th</sup>  
Vote by Mail: February 8<sup>th</sup> – March 14<sup>th</sup> (Apply beginning December 20, 2023)  
Grace Period Voting: February 21<sup>st</sup> – March 19<sup>th</sup>

### **Wednesday, December 20, 2023**

First day to apply for a vote by mail ballot. Please note that mailing and delivery of ballots does not begin until Thursday, February 8, 2024.

### **Friday, February 2, 2024**

Last day for election office to have ballots available for mailing to Uniformed and Overseas Citizens.

### **Thursday, February 8, 2024**

First day for early voting in the election office and for mailing vote by mail ballots.

### **Tuesday, February 20, 2024**

Last day to register to vote or make an address change (excluding grace period and online voter registration).

### **Wednesday, February 21, 2024**

Last day for deputy registrars to return completed voter registrations to the election office.

First day of grace period voting and grace period registration and/or change of address in the election office.

### **Sunday, March 3, 2024**

Last day for online voter registration through the State Board of elections website: [ova.elections.il.gov](http://ova.elections.il.gov) (Note: Site will close at midnight).

### **Tuesday, March 5, 2024**

First day a voter admitted to a hospital, nursing home or rehabilitation center not more than 14 days before the Primary Election may apply for a vote by mail ballot by personal delivery.

### **Thursday, March 14, 2024**

Last day to apply by mail for a vote by mail ballot.

### **Monday, March 18, 2024**

Last day for early voting at the office of the election authority.

### **Tuesday, March 19, 2024 – PRIMARY ELECTION DAY**

Last day of grace period voting and grace period registration and/or change of address.

### **Thursday, March 21, 2024**

Voter registration re-opens.