

# ALASKA 2024 STATEWIDE ELECTIONS OVERVIEW

## THE 2024 GENERAL ELECTION WILL USE THE NEW VOTING SYSTEM:

1. An open, nonpartisan primary where all candidates, regardless of party affiliation, appear on a single ballot and voters choose one candidate per race. The top four vote-getters move on to the general election.
2. A general election where voters rank the candidates according to preference. To win, a candidate must receive a majority of votes (50% + 1). If no candidate receives a majority of first choice votes, the last place candidate is eliminated, and their supporters' second-choice votes are counted. The process repeats until a majority winner is declared.

## ELECTION TIMING AND FORMAT:

### **AUGUST 20, 2024** Primary Election (Ranked Choice)

Early and in-person voting locations will be available; dates, times, and locations will be listed here when finalized. Absentee ballots can be requested as usual.

### **NOVEMBER 5, 2024** General Election (Ranked Choice)

Early and in-person voting locations will be available; dates, times, and locations will be listed here when finalized. Absentee ballots can be requested as usual. Only first-choice results will be available on election day; ranked choice voting results will be available after all the ballots are received and processed (15 days after election day).

# ALASKA 2024 STATEWIDE ELECTIONS TIMELINE

## STATEWIDE PRIMARY



**JULY 21**

Voter Registration Deadline



**AUGUST 10**

last day to request an absentee ballot



**AUGUST 20**

Primary Election



**AUGUST 30**

Deadline for ballots that were postmarked by Election Day to be received; ranked choice voting results will be available after the ballots are processed.

## GENERAL ELECTION



**OCTOBER 6**

Voter Registration Deadline



**OCTOBER 26**

last day to request an absentee ballot



**NOVEMBER 5**

General Election



**NOVEMBER 15**

Deadline for ballots that were postmarked by Election Day to be received; ranked choice voting results will be available after the ballots are processed.