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OFFICIAL SPECIAL ELECTION POLITICAL CALENDAR 2nd County Legislative District

SPECIAL ELECTION: March 23, 2021

The 2nd County Legislative District is comprised of the following Election Districts:

City of Ithaca, Ward 3, District 1
City of Ithaca, Ward 5, Districts 1-3

Date of Proclamation: January 5, 2021

PARTY NOMINATIONS

January 15, 2021	Last day to file Certificate of Nomination	Sec. 6-158(6)
January 19, 2021	Last day to accept or decline nomination	Sec. 6-158(7)
January 19, 2021	Last day to authorize nomination	Sec. 6-120(3)
January 19, 2021	Last day to file Substitution to fill vacancy created by a declination	Sec. 6-158(8)
January 25, 2021	Last day to authorize substitution	Sec. 6-120(3)

INDEPENDENT NOMINATING PETITIONS (96 Signatures Required)

January 5, 2021	First day to sign	Sec. 6-138(4)
January 19, 2021	Last day to file petition	Sec. 6-158(9)
January 19, 2021	Last day to accept or decline nomination	Sec. 6-158(11)
January 21, 2021	Last day to file substitution to fill vacancy created by a declination	Sec. 6-158(12)

CERTIFICATION OF BALLOT

January 29, 2021	Last day for state and county board to certify ballot	Sec. 4-112(1), 4-114
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REGISTRATION CUT-OFF DATES

February 26, 2021	Last day to mail (postmark) registration form	Sec. 5-210(3)
March 3, 2021	Last day for Board of Elections to receive mail registration form	Sec. 5-210(3)
March 13, 2021	Last day to register in person at the Board of Elections	Sec. 5-210(3)

ABSENTEE BALLOTS

February 6, 2021	Date military/special federal ballots must be transmitted	Sec. 10-108(1)
March 16, 2021	Last day to postmark application by mail	Sec. 8-400(2)(c)
March 22, 2021	Last day to apply in person at Board of Elections for absentee ballot	Sec. 8-400(2)(c)
March 23, 2021	Last day to postmark absentee ballot	Sec. 8-412(1)
March 23, 2021	Last day to deliver absentee ballot in person to Board of Elections	Sec. 8-412(2)
March 30, 2021	Last day for the Board of Elections to receive absentee ballot by mail	Sec. 8-412(2)
April 5, 2021	Last day for the Board of Elections to receive military ballot/special federal ballot by mail	Sec. 10-114(1)

FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE FILING DATES

February 19, 2021	32 Day Pre-Election	19 NYCRR Sec. 6200.2(a)
March 12, 2021	11 Day Pre-Election	19 NYCRR Sec. 6200.2(a)
April 19, 2021	27 Day Post-Election	19 NYCRR Sec. 6200.2(a)