

# November 8, 2016 General Election

## “At A Glance”

The General Election is in full swing. This document will provide important dates and interesting facts that may be helpful throughout this election cycle.

### Important Dates:

- City Candidate deadline with City Election Official: **August 30, 2016**
- State Voter’s Pamphlet (SEL 430) Filing Deadline: **August 30, 2016**
- City Certification deadline to County Election Official: **September 8, 2016**
- County & District Candidate Filing Deadline: **September 8, 2016**
- Measure Filing Deadline: **September 8, 2016**
- **No County Voter’s Pamphlet**
- Military Ballots are Mailed: **September 23, 2016**
- National Voter Registration Day: **September 27, 2016**
- Out of State Ballots are Mailed: **October 10, 2016**
- Deadline to Register: **October 18, 2016 (Postmarks do count)**
- State Voters Pamphlet mailed by: **October 19, 2016**
- Mass Ballots are Mailed: **October 21, 2016**
- Last day to return voted ballot by mail: **November 2, 2016** (place ballot in a drop box location after this date)
- Deadline to return ballots to Election Office or any drop box: **November 8, 2014, 8:00 PM**

### Things to Know:

- County Candidate information is for viewing on the County Election Website. Click on Certified List of Local Positions & Candidates. This document contains links to filing forms of candidates or to the various cities and district where filing forms are held.
- State Candidates information may be found at the Secretary of State’s website.
- Candidates may choose to submit a statement to be included in the State Voter’s Pamphlet. This is not a mandatory action – it is done by the candidate’s choice for a fee.
- Election results first report will be posted on the county election website by approximately 8:15 PM on Election Day. [www.co.coos.or.us](http://www.co.coos.or.us) – click on the Elections Results icon.
- Write-in Votes - Voters may use the write-in line on any candidate contest to write in any name of their choice. Write-in votes will not be tallied individually unless there are more write-in votes received than any one candidate that is listed for that contest. Write-in results are not released until the election has been certified, which will be by November 28, 2016.

Exception: Write-in candidates for the Coos Soil & Water Conservation District may file a Declaration of Intent with the Dept. of Agriculture to request write-ins to be tallied. Deadline to file the declaration is no later than 14 days before the date of the election. (2016 General Election: Deadline Oct. 25) ORS 568.530. Write-in results are not released until the election has been certified, which will be by November 28, 2016.