



The Month Before a Provincial Election



Day 28

The provincial election is called. Consideration of applications to vote by proxy begins. Applications for Certificates to Vote may be taken.

Day 27

The official Notice of Election will have been posted on the internet.

Day 24

Target Revision begins in those areas where it is necessary. The official Notice of Election is posted in conspicuous locations throughout the electoral district.

Day 22

Advertising by candidates and political parties may begin, as prescribed by the Election Finances Act.

Day 21

Candidate nominations open.

Day 17

Elections Ontario ads appear in newspapers this week and next week giving dates and locations for advance polls. Target Revision ends.

Day 16

All Notice of Registration cards are mailed.

Day 14

Nomination of Candidates closes at 2 p.m. in the office of the Returning Officer.

Day 13

If you haven't received your Notice of Registration card by now, your name may not be on the Voters List. Contact the Returning Officer in your electoral district.

Day 12

Advance poll voting in the office of the electoral district Returning Officer from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The Notice to Voters is posted in conspicuous locations throughout the electoral district.

Day 10

Advance poll voting in the office of the electoral district Returning Officer from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Day 9

Advance poll voting in the office of the electoral district Returning Officer from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Day 8

Advance poll voting in the office of the electoral district Returning Officer and at various locations in the electoral district from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Day 7

Advance poll voting in the office of the electoral district Returning Officer and at various locations in the electoral district from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Day 6

Advance poll voting in the office of the electoral district Returning Officer and at various locations in the electoral district from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Day 5

Elections Ontario ads begin to run in the media providing information on how to register to vote at the poll on Election Day.

Day 2

Blackout begins on media advertising by political parties and candidates, as prescribed by the Election Finances Act – except in weekly publications which normally publish on a Wednesday.

Day 1

Certificates to Vote are issued until 8 p.m. Applications to vote by proxy are considered until 8 p.m. If you are not on the Voters List and have not obtained a Certificate to Vote, you can register to vote at the poll on Election Day as long as you provide the appropriate identification.

POLLING DAY

Polls are open from 9 a.m. until 8 p.m. The location of your poll is provided on your Notice of Registration card or on your Certificates to Vote. If you don't know where you should go to vote, contact your electoral district Returning Officer. If you are not on the Voters List and have not obtained a Certificate to Vote, you can register to vote at the poll on Election Day as long as you provide the appropriate identification.