

2020

January Special School Board Election Timeline

November 2019

November 29

Written Notice of January Special School Board Elections by Board of Education to Municipal Clerks and County Board of Election

(no less than 60 days prior to election)

N.J.S.A. 19:60-2

December 2019

December 3

Publication of Notice of Mail-In Ballot Availability for January Special School Board Elections by County Clerks

(prior to the 55th day before election)

N.J.S.A. 19:63-6

December 8 - January 6, 2019

Publication of Notice of January Special School Board Elections by County Boards of Election

(within 30 days before close of registration for election)

N.J.S.A. 19:12-7

January 2020

January 7

Voter Registration Deadline for January Special School Board Elections

(21 days before election)

N.J.S.A. 19:31-6

January 19 - January 25

Publication of Notice of January Special School Board Elections by County Boards of Election

(once during the calendar week prior to election)

N.J.S.A. 19:12-7

January 21

Publication of Challenge and Complaint Procedures for January Special School Board Elections by County Boards of Election

(7 days before election)

N.J.S.A. 19:12-9

January 21

Deadline to Apply for a Mail-In Ballot by Mail for January Special School Board Elections

(not less than 7 days prior to election)

N.J.S.A. 19:63-3

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January 22

Mailing of Sample Ballots for January Special School Board Elections

(on or before 12 noon on Wednesday preceding election)

N.J.S.A. 19:14-25

January 24

Deadline for Application to Receive January Special School Board Election Mail-In Ballots by Electronic Means for Qualified Overseas Civilian and Military Voters

(4th day before election)

N.J.S.A. 19:59-4

January 27 – by 3:00 p.m.

Deadline for In-Person Mail-In Ballot Applications for January Special School Board Election

(up to 3:00 p.m. on the day before election)

N.J.S.A. 19:63-3

January 27

Publication of Challenge and Complaint Procedures for January Special School Board Elections by County Boards of Election

(1 day before election)

N.J.S.A. 19:12-9

January 28

January Special School Board Elections

(4th Tuesday in January)

N.J.S.A. 19:60-2

January 28

Last Day for Testing of Electronic Scanning Equipment for Tabulation of Paper Ballots for January Special School Board Elections

(day of election)

(notice to be given 48 hours prior to the start of testing)

N.J.S.A. 19:53A-8

January 28

Deadline for Post Office Receipt of Mail-In Ballots from the January Special School Board Election

January 28

Deadline for in Person Submission of January Special School Board Election Mail-In Ballots to County Boards of Election

(by 8:00 p.m. on the day of election)

N.J.S.A. 19:63-16

January 29 - February 14

Impoundment Period for Voting Machines Used in the January Special School Board Elections

(17 days following election) (to comply with P.L. 2018, c.72)

N.J.S.A. 19:52-6

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January 30

Deadline for Receipt of Timely Mailed Postmarked Mail-In Ballots to County Boards of Election
(no later than 48 hours after the time of the closing of the polls for the election)
N.J.S.A. 19:63-16

February

February 5

Meeting of County Board of Canvassers for January Special School Board Elections
(8 days after the election)
N.J.S.A. 19:19-1, N.J.S.A. 19:19-4, N.J.S.A. 19:19-6

February 14

Deadline for Preparation of Emergency and Provisional Ballot Reports by Each County Board of Election for the January Special School Board Election
(within 17 days after the election or 3 days after the certification of the results of the election)
N.J.S.A. 19:53B-21, N.J.S.A. 19:53C-21

February 14

Deadline for Recount Applications for January Special School Board Elections
(within 17 days after election)
N.J.S.A. 19:28-1

February 14

Deadline for Applications for Recheck of Voting Machines Used in the January Special School Board Elections
(within 17 days after election) (to comply with P.L. 2018, c.72)
N.J.S.A. 19:52-6

February 29

Deadline for Filing of Election Contest Petitions for January Special School Board Elections
(not later than 32 days after election)
N.J.S.A. 19:29-3