



OFFICE OF THE SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS
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Elections System of the Virgin Islands
2017 Special Elections Calendar – Amended
March 22, 2017

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Calendar is based on current state and federal laws as of date of its release. Efforts were made to ensure calendar complies with law. If in any case the calendar conflicts with state or federal law, those laws control. Calendar is subject to change. Statutes reference Virgin Islands Code of Laws (Title 18).

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Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Monday – Friday
 Registration Hours: 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

February 2017	
14- February (Tuesday)	Forms for Filing NOMINATION PETITION/PAPERS available at both Election System Offices St. Thomas and St. John
17-February (Friday)	FIRST DAY to circulate NOMINATION PETITIONS/PAPERS
21-February (Tuesday)	FIRST DAY on which NOMINATION PETITIONS/PAPERS may be filed, after 12:00 noon.
24-February (Friday)	LAST DAY on which NOMINATIONS PETITIONS/PAPERS may be filed, 5:00 p.m.
28-February (Tuesday)	DEADLINE for WITHDRAWAL of nominated candidates.
March 2017	
3- March (Friday)	DEADLINE for candidates for the same office with similar last surnames to request in WRITING that the occupation or residence be printed opposite his/her name on the ballot.
3-March (Friday)	DEADLINE for filing substitute nomination certificates and papers.
6-March (Monday)	DEADLINE for receipt in WRITING by the Supervisor of Elections of their shortened form on which candidates whose name contains more than twenty-two (22) letters should be listed in the ballot. Notice of Defects
7-March (Tuesday)	LAST DAY to investigate all questions relating to registration of electors
7-March (Tuesday)	DEADLINE for receipt of REMOVAL NOTICES and TRANSFER of REGISTRATION
7-March (Tuesday)	LAST DAY for CHANGE OF ENROLLMENT of political party and CANCELLATION OF PARTY ENROLLMENT
8- March (Wednesday)	CERTIFICATION of NOMINEES by the Supervisor of Elections
8-March (Wednesday)	FIRST DAY for receipt by the Supervisor of Elections of applications for ABSENTEE BALLOTS FOR THE SPECIAL ELECTION
9-March Thursday	LAST DAY for REGISTRATION

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March 2017 cont'd	
10- March (Friday)	CASTING OF LOTS for position of names upon the official ballot at 5:30 p.m.
20-March (Monday)	All Federal ballots to be mailed out to Military and Overseas personnel.
21- March (Tuesday)	NOTICE of SPECIAL ELECTION
22-March (Wednesday)	DEADLINE for qualified electors to petition the Boards of Elections to cancel the registration of any registered elector for cause shown.
22-March (Wednesday)	DEADLINE for persons whose application to be registered has been denied to petition the Board of Elections for review of the matter.
22-March (Wednesday)	LAST DAY for receipt by the Supervisor of Elections of applications for ABSENTEE BALLOTS FOR THE SPECIAL ELECTION.
24-March (Friday)	DEADLINE for APPEALS to the DISTRICT COURT by persons whose claim for registration were denied or whose previous registration was canceled and who has exhausted all administrative remedies.
27-March (Wednesday)	Testing of electronic voting machines and tabulating equipment, certification by Boards. OPEN TO GENERAL PUBLIC AND MEDIA.
29-March (Wednesday)	FIRST DAY of Early Voting – STT & STJ 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.
30-March (Thursday)	LAST DAY of Early Voting -STJ 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.
April 2017	
1-April (Saturday)	LAST DAY of Early Voting – STT 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.
8-April (Saturday)	SPECIAL ELECTION DAY (*****NOTE this is a SATURDAY*****)
13-April (Thursday)	REGISTRARS in the Election System of the Virgin Islands COMMENCE REGISTRATION

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