

Upcoming Filing Deadlines & Reminders

Feb 2, 2016 Election

Forming a Committee

- Continuing (PAC) form by 12/04/15
- Other committees form by 1/03/16

40 Day Before*

- Close 12/19/15
- Due 12/24/15

January Quarterly

- Close 12/31/15
- Due 1/15/16

8 Day Before**

- Close 1/21/16
- Due 1/25/16

★ 2/2/16 Election Date

30 Day After***

- Close 2/27/16
- Due 3/3/16

April 5, 2016 Election

Personal Financial Disclosure

- Due 2/2/16
- After 2/2/16 - late fees at \$10/day
- After 2/9/16 - late fees, disqualification & removal from ballot

Forming a Committee

- Continuing (PAC) form by 2/5/16
- Other committees form by 3/6/16

40 Day Before*

- Close 2/20/16
- Due 2/25/16

8 Day Before**

- Close 3/24/16
- Due 03/28/16

April Quarterly

- Close 3/31/16
- Due 4/15/16

★ 4/5/16 Election Date

30 Day After***

- Close 4/30/16
- Due 5/5/16

***40 Day Before** only required if accepted contributions or spent money (made contributions or expenditures (paid or incurred)) for that election.

****8 Day Before** only required if spent money (made contributions or expenditures (paid or incurred)) for that election.

*****30 Day After** only required if: 1) spent money (made contributions or expenditures (paid or incurred)) for that election; or, 2) if debt is more than \$1,000; and, if required, must be filed before taking office.

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Additional Information

48 Hour Report of Contribution over \$5,000 (File as needed)

- Any individual or committee that receives a single contribution (including a loan, see §130.011 RSMo. for full definition of contribution) from a contributor in an amount **over \$5,000** must electronically report the contribution to the Missouri Ethics Commission within **48 hours** of its receipt (must also report this contribution in the committee's next filed report).

Late Contribution Report (File as needed)

- Any receipt of a contribution (including a loan, see §130.011 RSMo. for full definition of contribution) in an amount **over \$250** that is received between the 11th day through the day before the election, must be reported within **24 hours** of its receipt (must also report this contribution in the committee's next filed report). The disclosure may be made electronically or by any written means of communication.

Continuing Committee (PACS) – Late Expenditure Report (File as needed)

- Each time a **continuing committee (PAC) spends more than \$250**, whether in a single expenditure or in combined expenditures, after the 12th day before an election, a full disclosure report must be filed within **24 hours**. This does not include contributions made to another committee.

Due Dates & Deadlines for filing:

- **Electronic Filers:**
 - Electronic reports must be filed by 5:00 p.m. on the due date.
- **Paper Filers (Local Campaign Finance, & PFD)**
 - Mailed reports must be post-marked, prior to their due date.
 - Hand delivered reports must be received by 5:00 p.m. on the due date.
- **Weekend/Holiday:**
 - If a due date for filing a report falls on a Saturday, Sunday or an official holiday, it is extended to 5:00 p.m. on the next business day.
(this does not apply to the 48 Hour Report of Contribution over \$5,000 report or reports required to be filed after the 8 Day Before Election Report (ex: Late Contribution Report and Late Expenditure Report (PACS), which are required to be filed within their specific time frames, no extensions).

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