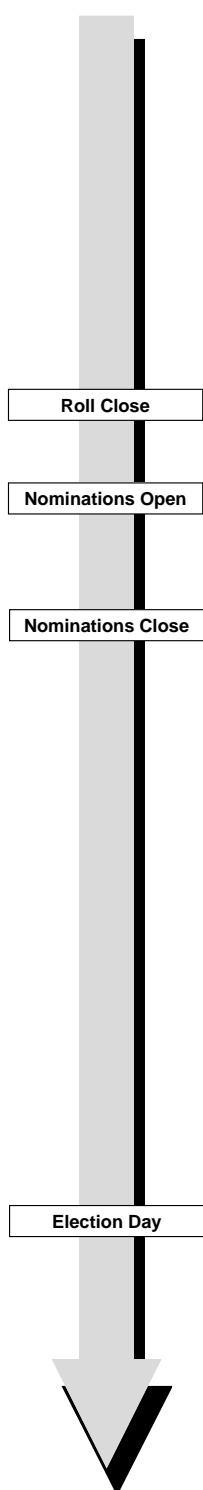


IN PERSON ELECTION TIMETABLE 2021 Local Government Extraordinary Election MENZIES



Days to Polling Day	Local Government Act	References to Act/Regs	Day	Date
80	Last day for declaration to have the Electoral Commissioner conduct an in person election.	LGA 4.20 (2)(3)(4)	Tue	15/12/2020
70	Electoral Commissioner to appoint a person to be the Returning Officer of the Local Government for the election.	LGA 4.20 (4)	Fri	25/12/2020
70 to 56	Between the 70th/56th day the CEO is to give Statewide public notice of the time and date of close of enrolments. Preferred date Wednesday 30 December 2020	LGA 4.39(2)	Fri to Fri	25/12/2020 to 8/01/2021
56	Last day for the CEO to advise the Electoral Commissioner of the need to prepare a residents roll.	LGA 4.40(1)		8/01/2021
56	Advertising may begin for nominations from 56 days and no later than 45 days before election day. Preferred date Wednesday 13 January 2021	LGA 4.47(1)	Fri	8/01/2021
50	Close roll 5.00 pm	LGA 4.39(1)	Thu	14/01/2021
45	Last day for advertisement to be placed calling for nominations.	LGA 4.47(1)	Tue	19/01/2021
44	Nominations Open First day for candidates to lodge completed nomination paper, in the prescribed form, with the Returning Officer. Nominations period is open for 8 days.	LGA 4.49(a)	Wed	20/01/2021
38	If a candidate's nomination is withdrawn not later than 4.00 pm on the 38th day before election day, the candidate's deposit is to be refunded.	Reg. 27(5)	Tue	26/01/2021
37	Close of Nominations 4.00 pm on the 37th day before election day.	LGA 4.49(a)	Wed	27/01/2021
36	Last day for the CEO to prepare & certify an owners & occupiers roll for the election. Last day for the Electoral Commissioner to prepare & certify a residents roll.	LGA 4.41(1) LGA 4.40(2)	Thu	28/01/2021
30	Preferred date: Notice of Election advertisement	LGA 4.64(1)	Wed	3/02/2021
30	Issuing of postal election packages is to commence [Date of election notice or as soon as practicable after this day]	Reg. 44(2)	Wed	3/02/2021
30	Commencement of absent voting [Date of election notice or as soon as practicable after this day]	Reg. 54(2)	Wed	3/02/2021
30	Commencement of early voting [Date of election notice or as soon as practicable after this day]	Reg. 59(2)	Wed	3/02/2021
22	The preparation of any consolidated roll under subregulation (1) be completed on or before 22nd day before election day.	Reg. 18(2)	Thu	11/02/2021
19	Last day for the Returning Officer to give Statewide public notice of the election. Preferred date Wednesday 3 February 2021	LGA 4.64(1)	Sun	14/02/2021
4	Absent voting closes 4.00pm	Reg. 54(2)	Mon	1/03/2021
1	Early voting closes 4.00pm	Reg. 59(2)	Thu	4/03/2021
0	Election Day Close of poll 6.00 pm	LGA 4.7	Fri	5/03/2021

Post Election Day	Post Declaration	References to Act/Regs		Date
5	Election result advertisement.	LGA 4.77	Wed	10/03/2021
14	Report to Minister. The report relating to an election under section 4.79 is to be provided to the Minister within 14 days after the declaration of the result of the election.	Reg.81	Fri	19/03/2021
28	An invalidity complaint is to be made to a Court of Disputed Returns, constituted by a magistrate, but can only be made within 28 days after notice is given of the result of the election.	LGA 4.81(1)	Fri	2/04/2021