



Maine Clean Election Candidate Filing Schedule

Primary Election: 06/09/2026

General Election: 11/03/2026

Report Name	Filing Period	Filing Deadline
2026 January Semiannual	<i>If more than \$500 in Seed Money Contributions raised</i> Beginning of campaign – 12/31/2025	01/15/2026
Seed Money Report* (Certification Request no later than 5:00 p.m.)	Date of first seed money contribution – date of certification request OR <u>*Candidates who filed a Semiannual Report: January 1, 2026 – date of certification request</u>	04/21/2026
11-Day Pre-Primary	End of Seed Money Report – 05/26/2026	05/29/2026
24-Hour Reports (Primary)	05/27/2026 – 06/8/2026	Day after receipt of contribution or purchase of \$1,000 or more
42-Day Post-Primary	05/27/2026 – 07/14/2026	07/21/2026

Replacement Candidates		
Seed Money Report (Certification Request no later than 5:00 p.m.)	Beginning of campaign – date of certification request	08/26/2026

42-Day Pre-General	07/15/2026 – 09/15/2026	09/22/2026
<i>Supplemental QC Deadline (Submitted no later than 5:00 p.m.)</i>		10/13/2026
11-Day Pre-General	09/16/2026 – 10/20/2026	10/23/2026
24-Hour Reports (General)	10/21/2026 – 11/02/2026	Day after receipt of contribution or purchase of \$1,000 or more
42-Day Post-General	10/21/2026 – 12/08/2026	12/15/2026