

Eastern Division RD Election Timeline

Revision 6/11/2006 (DEC = Division Election Committee)

Action	Reference	Timeline
Form an Election Committee	Division Bylaws Sec. 5.3	DEC Suggests by Jan. 1st Division Requires 90 days before balloting
Announce Election To Membership	Division Election Committee (DEC) Suggestion	DEC Suggests by January
Deadline for Nominations	DEC Suggestion Page 2	DEC Suggests April 1st
Validate & Confirm Candidates	DEC Suggestion Page 2 Division Bylaws Sec. 4.1 & 4.2	DEC Suggests May 1st
Receive Resumes & Platforms	DEC Suggestion Page 2	DEC Suggests June 1st
Distribute Resumes & Platforms	DEC Suggestion Page 2	DEC Suggests Mid June
Determine Local Election Officials	DEC Suggestion Page 2	DEC Suggests by Sept. 1st
Prepare "Voter Check List"	DEC Suggestion Page 3	DEC Suggests Sept. 1st
Distribute Materials "Ballots, Ballot Box, Balloting Materials" to Officials Conducting Elections Locally	DEC suggestion Page 3 Division Bylaws Sec. 5.2 & 5.3	DEC Suggest 1 Week prior to Each Refresher
Conduct Elections at Refreshers	Division Bylaws Sec. 4.3 & 5.2, DEC Suggestions Pg. 3	Local Patrol Refresher Dates
Return Election Boxes Count Ballots & Announce Results - Hold Ballots	Division Bylaws Sec. 5.3 & DEC suggestions Pg. 3 & Pg. 4	Directly After Refresher 1 Week After Last Refresher
RD Takes Office	Division Bylaws Sec. 4.2	April 1st
Announce Alternate RD	Division Bylaws Sec. 5.4	By May 1st