

# 2008 ELECTION CHART

The following is a list of preliminary state, Congressional and Presidential Primary and Caucus Dates. Although NAB has made every attempt to obtain the most accurate election information available, broadcasters are advised to consult with their local and state election officials to verify all election dates. The 2008 political presidential primary season has involved many move-up dates, and some states may still be adjusting their schedules. Stations should also consult with station counsel to obtain information on party caucuses to determine if the lowest unit charge (“LUC”) window applies.

The General Election will be held on **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2008**. The LUC window for the General Election will open **FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2008**. For more information, please consult the NAB Broadcast Catechism, 16<sup>th</sup> edition, or call the NAB Legal Department Toll Free at (866) 682-0276.

State	Presidential Primary/Caucus LUC Window Opens	Presidential Primary/Caucus Date	Statewide/Congressional Primary LUC Window Opens	Statewide/Congressional Primary Date
Alabama	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 4/19	Tuesday 6/3
Alaska	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 7/12	Tuesday 8/26
American Samoa	Wednesday 1/9 (Republicans) Saturday 12/22 (Democrats)	Saturday 2/23 (Republicans) Tuesday 2/5 (Democrats)	Saturday 9/20	Tuesday 11/4
Arizona	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 7/19	Tuesday 9/2
Arkansas	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 4/5	Tuesday 5/20
California	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 4/19	Tuesday 6/3
Colorado	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 6/28	Tuesday 8/12
Connecticut	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 6/28	Tuesday 8/12
Delaware	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 7/26	Tuesday 9/9
D.C.	Saturday 12/29	Tuesday 2/12	Saturday 7/26	Tuesday 9/9

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Florida	Saturday 12/15	Tuesday 1/29	Saturday 7/12	Tuesday 8/26
Georgia	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 5/31	Tuesday 7/15
Guam	Wednesday 12/26 (Republicans) Wednesday 3/19 (Democrats)	Wednesday 2/9 (Republicans) Saturday 5/3 (Democrats)	Wednesday 7/23	Saturday 9/6
Hawaii	Saturday 1/5 (Democrats) Monday 12/24 (tent.) (Republicans)	Tuesday 2/19 (Democrats) TBD 1/25-2/7 (Republicans)	Wednesday 8/6	Saturday 9/20
Idaho	Saturday 4/12 (Primary) Saturday 12/22 (Caucus-Democrats)	Tuesday 5/27 (Primary) Tuesday 2/5 (Caucus - Democrats)	Saturday 4/12	Tuesday 5/27
Illinois	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5
Indiana	Saturday 3/22	Tuesday 5/6	Saturday 3/22	Tuesday 5/6
Iowa	Monday 11/19	Thursday 1/3	Saturday 4/19	Tuesday 6/3
Kansas	Saturday 12/22 (Democrats) Wednesday 12/26 (Republicans)	Tuesday 2/5 (Democrats) Saturday 2/9 (Republicans)	Saturday 6/21	Tuesday 8/5
Kentucky	Saturday 4/5	Tuesday 5/20	Saturday 4/5	Tuesday 5/20
Louisiana	Wednesday 12/26	Saturday 2/9	Wednesday 7/23	Saturday 9/6
Maine	Wednesday 12/19 (Republicans) Thursday 12/27 (Democrats)	Saturday 2/2 (Republicans) Sunday 2/10 (Democrats)	Saturday 4/26	Tuesday 6/10
Maryland	Saturday 12/29	Tuesday 2/12	Saturday 12/29	Tuesday 2/12

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Massachusetts	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 8/2	Tuesday 9/16
Michigan	Saturday 12/1	Tuesday 1/15	Saturday 6/21	Tuesday 8/5
Minnesota	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 7/26	Tuesday 9/9
Mississippi	Saturday 1/26	Tuesday 3/11	Saturday 1/26	Tuesday 3/11
Missouri	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 6/21	Tuesday 8/5
Montana	Saturday 4/19	Tuesday 6/3	Saturday 4/19	Tuesday 6/3
Nebraska	Saturday 3/29 (Primary) Wednesday 12/26 (Democrats)	Tuesday 5/13 (Primary) Saturday 2/9 (Democrats)	Saturday 3/29	Tuesday 5/13
Nevada	Wednesday 12/5	Saturday 1/19	Saturday 6/28	Tuesday 8/12
New Hampshire	Saturday 11/24	Tuesday 1/8	Saturday 7/26	Tuesday 9/9
New Jersey	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 4/19	Tuesday 6/3
New Mexico	Saturday 4/19 (Republican) Saturday 12/22 (Democrats)	Tuesday 6/3 (Republicans) Tuesday 2/5 (Democrats)	Saturday 4/19	Tuesday 6/3
New York	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 7/26	Tuesday 9/9
North Carolina	Saturday 3/22	Tuesday 5/6	Saturday 3/22	Tuesday 5/6
North Dakota	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 4/26	Tuesday 6/10
Ohio	Saturday 1/19	Tuesday 3/4	Saturday 1/19	Tuesday 3/4

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Oklahoma	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 6/14	Tuesday 7/29
Oregon	Saturday 4/5	Tuesday 5/20	Saturday 4/5	Tuesday 5/20
Pennsylvania	Saturday 3/8	Tuesday 4/22	Saturday 3/8	Tuesday 4/22
Puerto Rico	Thursday 1/10 (Republicans) Thursday 4/17 (Democrats)	Sunday 2/24 (Republicans) Sunday 6/1 (Democrats)	Thursday 1/24	Sunday 3/9
Rhode Island	Saturday 1/19	Tuesday 3/4	Saturday 7/26	Tuesday 9/9
South Carolina	Wednesday 12/5 (Republicans) Wednesday 12/12 (Democrats)	Saturday 1/19 (Republicans) Saturday 1/26 (Democrats)	Saturday 4/26	Tuesday 6/10
South Dakota	Saturday 4/19	Tuesday 6/3	Saturday 4/19	Tuesday 6/3
Tennessee	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Monday 6/23	Thursday 8/7
Texas	Saturday 1/19	Monday 3/4	Saturday 1/19	Tuesday 3/4
Utah	Saturday 12/22	Tuesday 2/5	Saturday 5/10	Tuesday 6/24
Vermont	Saturday 1/19	Monday 3/4	Saturday 7/26	Tuesday 9/9
Virgin Islands	Wednesday 12/26 (Democrats) Wednesday 1/9 (Republicans)	Saturday 2/9 (Democrats) Saturday 2/23 (Republicans)	Wednesday 7/30	Saturday 9/13
Virginia	Saturday 12/29	Tuesday 2/12	Saturday 4/26	Tuesday 6/10
Washington	Saturday 1/5 (Primary) Friday 3/14 (Caucus – Democrats)	Tuesday 2/19 (Primary) Monday 4/28 (Caucus – Democrats)	Saturday 7/5	Tuesday 8/19

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West Virginia	Saturday 3/29	Tuesday 5/13	Saturday 3/29	Tuesday 5/13
Wisconsin	Saturday 1/5	Tuesday 2/19	Saturday 7/26	Tuesday 9/9
Wyoming	Wednesday 1/23 (Democrats) Wednesday 11/21 (Republicans)	Saturday 3/8 (Democrats) Saturday 1/5 (Republicans)	Saturday 7/5	Tuesday 8/19

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