Important 2009 Election Dates from the Texas Secretary of State

May | November

May 9, 2009 - Uniform Election Date	
Authority conducting elections	*Most local political subdivisions
**First Day to File for Place on Ballot	February 7, 2009
Last Day to File for Place on Ballot	March 9, 2009 (deadline is extended to next business day) *March 13, 2009 (see note below relating to four-year terms)
Last Day to Order General Election	March 9, 2009 (deadline is extended to next business day)
First Day to Apply for Ballot by Mail	March 10, 2009
Last Day to Register to Vote	April 9, 2009
First Day of Early Voting	April 27, 2009
Last Day to Apply for Ballot by Mail (Received , <u>not</u> Postmarked)	May 1, 2009 (May 2nd is the seventh day, but deadline moves to <u>preceding</u> business day, Friday)
Last Day of Early Voting	May 5, 2009