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## 2020 REPORTING CALENDAR FOR CANDIDATES IN SPECIAL ELECTIONS FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 34

A candidate is not required to file any quarterly, monthly or preelection reports until the candidate has either received contributions or made expenditures in excess of five hundred dollars (\$500). Final reports are required regardless of whether a candidate has received contributions or made expenditures in excess of five hundred dollars (\$500).

November 25, 2019	Statement of Financial Interest for calendar year 2018 due from non-incumbent candidates.
December 16, 2019	November monthly report due. Covers period November 1-30.*
January 7, 2020	If candidate opposed in special primary election, preelection report due for special primary election. Covers period December 1, 2019 – January 4, 2020.*
<b>January 14, 2020</b>	<b>Special Primary Election</b>
January 15, 2020	If candidate not involved in special primary election, December monthly report due. Covers period December 1-31.*
January 31, 2020	Statement of Financial Interest for calendar year 2019 due from non-incumbent candidates.
<b>February 11, 2020</b>	<b>† Special Primary Election Runoff</b>

† IF YOU ARE INVOLVED IN A SPECIAL PRIMARY ELECTION RUNOFF, TWO ADDITIONAL REPORTS ARE DUE.

February 4, 2020	Preelection report due for special primary election runoff. Covers period January 15-February 1.
March 30, 2020	Final report due for special primary election runoff. Covers period February 2-11 or, if candidate lost election, February 2 through the date the report is filed.

February 18, 2020	If candidate not involved in special primary election, January monthly report due. Covers period January 1-31.*
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February 25, 2020	Preelection report due for special general election. If candidate was not involved in special primary election, report covers February 1-22.* If candidate was involved in special primary election and was not involved in special primary election runoff, preelection report covers January 5-February 22. If candidate was involved in special primary election and was involved in special election runoff, preelection report covers February 12-22.
March 2, 2020	Final report due for special primary election. If candidate was opposed in special primary election and was not involved in a special primary election runoff, report covers January 5-14, or, if candidate lost election, January 5 through the date the report is filed. If candidate was opposed in special primary election and was involved in special primary election runoff, report covers January 5-14.*
<b>March 3, 2020</b>	<b>Special General Election</b>
April 30, 2020	Final report due for special general election. Report covers February 23 through the date the report is filed.**

\* If this is candidate's first report, it covers all campaign activity which has occurred through the closing date of the reporting period.

\*\* If this is candidate's first report since final report for primary election, it covers all campaign activity which has occurred March 3 through the closing date of the reporting period.

#### Please note:

- 1. Reports must be filed with the Secretary of State.**
- 2. Pursuant to Act 318 of 2017, campaign contributions and expenditure reports filed with the Secretary of State under Ark. Code Ann. § 7-6-207 are required to be filed in electronic form through the official website of the Secretary of State.**
- 3. In calculating the amount of contributions received or expenditures made for purposes of determining whether a candidate has received contributions or made expenditures in excess of five hundred dollars (\$500), the payment of the filing fee from the candidate's personal funds shall not be considered as either a contribution or an expenditure. Once the five hundred dollar (\$500) threshold has been met, a candidate who has used his or her personal funds to pay the filing fee is required to report same. Such a candidate would report the funds used to pay the filing fee as either a loan or a contribution to the campaign from the candidate and also as a campaign expenditure.**
- 4. All candidates are required to file a final report for an election regardless of whether or not they were opposed in the election.**