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Friday, May 31, 2013	11:59 PM	Filing Referendum Petition on Acts of the 2013 General Assembly: Deadline for petition sponsor to submit to Secretary of State at least one-third of the referendum petition signatures and a petition fund report.
Thursday, June 20, 2013	COB	Verification and Counting of Referendum Petition: Deadline for the local boards to verify and count the signatures on the referendum petition.
Monday, June 24, 2013	COB	Certification of Referendum Petition: Deadline for SBE to certify the results of the first submission of the required signatures.
Monday, November 25, 2013	COB	Early Voting Center Approval Form: Deadline for the local boards to submit to SBE a form for each proposed early voting center.
Monday, December 23, 2013	COB	Designation of Early Voting Centers: Deadline for SBE, in collaboration with the local boards, to designate early voting centers.
Tuesday, February 25, 2014	9:00 PM	Candidate Filing Deadline: Deadline to file a Certificate of Candidacy.
Monday, March 10, 2014		Certification of Ballot: Deadline for SBE to prepare and certify content and arrangement of ballots for the primary election.
Saturday, May 10, 2014		Transmitting Absentee Ballots: Deadline for the local boards to transmit absentee ballots to certain voters unless the Federal Voting Assistance Program grants the State a waiver of the deadline.
Tuesday, June 03, 2014	9:00 PM	Close of Registration & Party Affiliation Deadline: Deadline to register to vote or change party affiliation for the primary election.
Thursday, June 12, 2014	10 am to 8 pm	Early Voting Begins: Early voting for the primary election begins.
Thursday, June 19, 2014	10 am to 8 pm	Early Voting Ends: Early voting for the primary election ends.
Sunday, June 15, 2014	TBD	Absentee Ballot Request Deadline - Ballot Delivered via Internet: Deadline for a registered voter to request an electronic absentee ballot.

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Thursday, June 24, 2014	7 am to 8 pm	Election Day - Primary Gubernatorial Election
Thursday, June 26, 2014	10:00 AM	Absentee Canvass 1
Wednesday, July 2, 2014	10:00 AM	Provisional Canvass
Friday, July 04, 2014	COB	Judicial Review of Referendum Petition Certification: Deadline for petition sponsor to seek judicial review of referendum petition certification of the first submission of the required signatures.
Friday, July 04, 2014		Independence Day: State & County holiday.
Monday, July 07, 2014	10:00 AM	Extended Absentee Ballot Deadline: Deadline for the local boards to receive absentee ballots by mail.
Monday, July 07, 2014	10:00 AM	Absentee Ballot Canvass 2: Local boards of canvassers are required to beging the 2nd canvass of absentee ballots.
Wednesday, July 9, 2014		State Certification of Results: Deadline for SBE to convene to certify election results.
Monday, August 18, 2014	COB	Certification of Statewide Ballot Questions and Ballot Questions Petitioned to Referendum: Deadline for Secretary of State to certify to SBE statewide ballot questions and questions relating to Acts of the General Assembly petitioned to referendum.
Monday, August 18, 2014	COB	Certification of Local Ballot Questions: Deadline for County Attorney or Baltimore City Solicitor to certify to the local boards each question to be voted on in the county or part of the county.

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Tuesday, October 14, 2014	9:00 PM	Close of Registration: Deadline to register to vote for the general election.
Thursday, October 23, 2014	10 am to 8 pm	Early Voting Begins: Early voting for the general election begins.
Thursday, October 30, 2014	10 am to 8 pm	Early Voting Ends: Early voting for the general election ends.
Tuesday, November 04, 2014	7 am to 8 pm	General Election: Gubernatorial General Election Day
Thursday, November 6, 2014	10:00 AM	Absentee I Canvass
Wednesday, November 12, 2014	10:00 AM	Provisional Canvass
Friday, November 14, 2014	10:00 AM	Absentee II Canvass
Tuesday, December 09, 2014	COB	Statewide Certification of Results: Deadline for the State Board of Canvassers to convene to certify election results.