

**CITY OF VILLA PARK
GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2016**

CANDIDATE'S CALENDAR

DATE	ITEM
Monday, July 18, 2016- Friday, August 12, 2016 (5:00 p.m.)	Filing period for nomination papers.
Friday, August 12, 2016 (5:00 p.m.)	Final day to file the following documents in the City Clerk's Office: 1. Nomination Papers 2. Ballot Designation Worksheet 3. Form 700 4. Candidate's Statement 5. Biographical Form
Wednesday, August 17, 2016 (5:00 p.m.)	Last day of the extension period for non-incumbents to file nomination papers if incumbents do not file nomination papers.
Thursday, August 18, 2016	Random alphabet drawing by the Secretary of State's Office to determine the order of candidates on the ballot.
To be determined	Candidate's Orientation/City Operational Meeting.
Thursday, September 29, 2016	First pre-election campaign filing statement deadline (7/1/2016 - 9/24/2016).
Thursday, October 27, 2016	Second pre-election campaign filing statement deadline (9/25/16 - 10/22/2016).
Wednesday, August 10, 2016 – Tuesday, November 8, 2016	Late Contributions/late Independent Expenditure Reports filing period.
Saturday, September 24, 2016	Temporary election signs can go up
Tuesday, November 8, 2016	ELECTION DAY – Polls open 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday, November 8, 2016	County to begin canvassing election returns.
Upon completion of canvass	Council to declare results of election and new Council Members are sworn in and seated.
Tuesday, January 31, 2017	Semi-annual campaign statement filing deadline (10/23/2016 - 12/31/2016).