

# 2017 OHIO CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTING CALENDAR

See [Ohio Revised Code §3517.10](#) for complete details of the timing and requirements for most campaign finance reporting.

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| 2016 Annual <sup>1</sup>     | Jan. 31, 2017 to disclose activity through Dec. 31, 2016   |
| 2017 Pre-Primary             | April 20, 2017 to disclose activity through April 12, 2017 |
| 2017 Post-Primary            | June 9, 2017 to disclose activity through June 2, 2017     |
| 2017 Semiannual <sup>2</sup> | July 31, 2017 to disclose activity through June 30, 2017   |
| 2017 Pre-General             | Oct. 26, 2017 to disclose activity through Oct. 18, 2017   |
| 2017 Post-General            | Dec. 15, 2017 to disclose activity through Dec. 8, 2017    |
| 2017 Annual                  | Jan. 31, 2018 to disclose activity through Dec. 31, 2017   |

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These deadlines are based on the **2017** primary and general election dates.

Activity related to special elections may require reporting on different dates. Filing entities submitting reports to a county board of elections are encouraged to contact the board for special elections dates and filing deadlines not included on this calendar.

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<sup>1</sup>[§3517.10 \(A\)\(3\)](#) The 2016 Annual Report is not required of any filing entity for which a 2016 Post-General Report is required.

<sup>2</sup>[§3517.10 \(A\)\(4\)](#) Requires the Semiannual Report to be filed by statewide and county candidates in non-election years and completely exempts all judicial candidates.

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- April 10 Secretary of State and boards of elections must send notice to candidates required to file pre-primary election campaign finance reports ..... [R.C. 3517.11](#)
- May 30 Secretary of State and boards of elections must send notice to candidates required to file post-primary election campaign finance reports..... [R.C. 3517.11](#)
- July 21 Secretary of State and boards of elections must send notice to candidates required to file semiannual election campaign finance reports..... [R.C. 3517.11](#)
- Oct. 16 Secretary of State and boards of elections must send notice to candidates to file pre-general election campaign finance report..... [R.C. 3517.11](#)
- Dec. 5 Secretary of State and boards of elections must send notice to candidates required to file post-general election campaign finance reports..... [R.C. 3517.11](#)

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- Jan. 19 Secretary of State and boards of elections must send notice to candidates required to file annual campaign finance reports..... [R.C. 3517.11](#)

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