

## 2024 Territory Election

**24 August 2024**

Date	Time	
Tuesday 30 January		Election return of gifts received (six month return) due (to be published as soon as practicable)
Wednesday 10 April		Election return of gifts received (1st quarterly return) due (to be published as soon as practicable)
Wednesday 10 July		Election return of gifts received (2nd quarterly return) due (to be published as soon as practicable)
Tuesday 30 July		Annual gift returns due (to be published as soon as practicable)
Thursday 1 August		Issue of the writ Nominations open
Friday 2 August	5:00 pm	Electoral roll closes
Tuesday 6 August		Election return of gifts received (return prior to early voting) due
Thursday 8 August	12:00 noon	Nominations close Declaration of nominations, draw for position on ballot papers
Friday 9 August		Election return of gifts received (return prior to early voting) published
Monday 12 August		Postal vote mail-out commences Early voting commences Mobile voting commences
Tuesday 20 August	5:00 pm	Overseas postal voting despatches cease
Wednesday 21 August		Election return of gifts received (return prior to election day) due
Thursday 22 August	5:00 pm	All postal voting despatches cease
Friday 23 August		Election return of gifts received (return prior to election day) published
	6:00 pm	Early voting ceases
<b>Saturday 24 August</b>		<b>Election day</b>
	8:00 am	Election day voting commences
	6:00 pm	Election day voting ceases Mobile voting ceases Primary counts of ordinary, postal and early votes commence
Monday 26 August	9:00 am	Declaration vote verification checks, commence recheck of all counts Primary counts of accepted declaration votes, further postal counts
Thursday 29 August		Annual returns due (to be published as soon as practicable)
Friday 6 September	12:00 noon	Deadline for receipt of postal votes Final counts of postal votes commence Distribution of preferences
Monday 9 September	10:00 am	Declaration of the election result
Monday 30 September		Return of the writ
Thursday 3 October		Election return of gifts received (post-election return) due (to be published as soon as practicable)
Monday 21 October		Last day for disputing the validity of the election
Wednesday 23 October		Expenditure returns due (to be published as soon as practicable)