

CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORT DEADLINES FOR 2010

All candidates and PACs must file a Designation of Treasurer form before receiving contributions or making expenditures; including using their own funds.

Candidates file based on when they run. PACs file based on their activity.
See Ohio Revised Code section 3517.10(A) for an explanation of due dates.

Pre Report: Books close 20 days prior to an election
Report due 12 days prior to an election
-only needs to be filed if more than \$1,000 is raised or spent

Post Report: Books close 7 days prior to post report filing deadline
Report due 38 days after an election
-due even if there is no campaign activity

THE BOARD OF ELECTIONS MUST NOTIFY THE OHIO ELECTIONS COMMISSION OF ALL NON FILINGS AND LATE FILINGS PURSUANT TO R.C.3517.11(C). THE COMMISSION MAY IMPOSE A FINE FOR FAILURE TO FILE, OR FOR A LATE FILING.

Annual Report 2009

Close of books December 31, 2009; Filing Deadline is January 29, 2010 at 4:00 pm
(Do not file this report if the committee filed a post report for the November 3rd, 2009 election)

Election Date	Special Election February 2, 2010			
	Pre-Election close of books 20 days prior to an election	Pre-Election report due 12 days prior to election @ 4:00 pm	Post-Election close of books 7 days prior to post report filing deadline	Post-Election report due 38 days after an election @ 4:00 pm
2/2/2010	1/13/2010	1/21/2010	3/5/2010	3/12/2010

Election Date	Primary Election May 4, 2010			
	Pre-Election close of books 20 days prior to an election	Pre-Election report due 12 days prior to election @ 4:00 pm	Post-Election close of books 7 days prior to post report filing deadline	Post-Election report due 38 days after an election @ 4:00 pm
5/4/2010	4/14/2010	4/22/2010	6/4/2010	6/11/2010

Semi-Annual Report 2010

Close of books June 30, 2010; Filing Deadline is July 30, 2010 @ 4:00 pm.

- ***The campaign committee of any **statewide or county candidate** must file the semiannual filing in a year when
- ***Campaign committees of candidates for **judicial offices** are not required to file the semiannual report.
- ***The campaign committee of a candidate for any **non-statewide, non-county or nonjudicial office** is required
- ***A semiannual report is not required if the campaign committee had to file the post primary election report in that
- *****PAC / PCE: ALL ARE REQUIRED TO FILE A SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT UNLESS** a post report was filed after

Election Date	Special Election August 3, 2010			
	Pre-Election close of books 20 days prior to an election	Pre-Election report due 12 days prior to election @ 4:00 pm	Post-Election close of books 7 days prior to post report filing deadline	Post-Election report due 38 days after an election @ 4:00 pm
8/3/2010	7/14/2010	7/22/2010	9/3/2010	9/10/2010

Election Date	Primary Election September 7, 2010			
	Pre-Election close of books 20 days prior to an election	Pre-Election report due 12 days prior to election @ 4:00 pm	Post-Election close of books 7 days prior to post report filing deadline	Post-Election report due 38 days after an election @ 4:00 pm
9/7/2010	8/18/2010	8/26/2010	10/8/2010	10/15/2010

Candidates who will have activity for the General Election **MUST** file a combination post primary / pre general on October 21, 2010 – 4:00 p.m.

Election Date	General Election November 2, 2010			
	Pre-Election close of books 20 days prior to an election	Pre-Election report due 12 days prior to election @ 4:00 pm	Post-Election close of books 7 days prior to post report filing deadline	Post-Election report due 38 days after an election @ 4:00 pm
11/2/2010	10/13/2010	10/21/2010	12/3/2010	12/10/2010

All successful judicial candidates and county officers must pay \$5.00 commission fee made payable to the Secretary of State and filed with the Cuyahoga County Board of Elections

Annual Report 2010

Close of books December 31, 2010; Filing Deadline is January 31, 2011 @ 4:00 pm
(Do not file this report if the committee filed a post report for the November 2, 2010 election)

Election Date	Special Election February 8, 2011			
	Pre-Election close of books 20 days prior to an election	Pre-Election report due 12 days prior to election @ 4:00 pm	Post-Election close of books 7 days prior to post report filing deadline	Post-Election report due 38 days after an election @ 4:00 pm
2/8/2011	1/19/2011	1/27/2011	3/11/2011	3/18/2011