

RESOLUTION 2026-15

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PEORIA, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA, CALLING FOR A PRIMARY ELECTION AND GENERAL ELECTION; DESIGNATING THE ELECTION DATES AND PURPOSES OF EACH ELECTION; ESTABLISHING CANDIDATE NOMINATION FILING DEADLINES; AND PROVIDING VOTER REGISTRATION AND EARLY VOTING DEADLINES.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Peoria, as follows:

WHEREAS, August 4, 2026, is the designated date for the Primary Election in the City of Peoria, unless otherwise amended by the Arizona State Legislature, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices of Mayor and Councilmembers representing the Acacia, Palo Verde, and Pine Districts.

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 6 of the City Charter, any candidate who shall receive a majority of all the votes cast at such election shall be declared elected to the office for which he is a candidate, and no further election shall be held as to said candidate. If more candidates receive a majority vote than vacancies to be filled, those receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared elected, equal to the number of vacancies.

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 6 of the City Charter, if no more than two candidates file nominating petitions for each vacancy in office, the Primary Election shall be dispensed with as to that office and the candidates shall be placed on the General Election ballot; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 8 of the City Charter, The candidates equal in number to the persons to be elected who shall receive the highest number of votes at said general election, shall be declared elected to such office.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PEORIA AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. All persons seeking to become candidates shall file nomination paperwork at the Office of the City Clerk no earlier than March 9, 2026, and no later than 5:00 p.m. on April 6, 2026, unless otherwise amended by the Arizona State Legislature. Pursuant to state law, candidates must file a Statement of Interest with the City Clerk's Office prior to, or at the time of, collecting the first signature on a nomination petition.

Section 2. The General Election will be held on November 3, 2026.

Section 3. The deadline to register to vote for the Primary Election is July 6, 2026 and the first day to cast an early ballot is July 8, 2026.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Peoria, Arizona this 27th day of January, 2026.

Jason Beck, Mayor

Date Signed

ATTEST:

Agnes Goodwine, City Clerk

Approved as to Form:

Emily Jurmu, City Attorney