

Muscogee County, GA General Primary Runoff June 16, 2026

*What is a runoff election?

A runoff election happens when **no candidate receives a majority vote (50% + 1 vote)**.

If no candidate reaches that threshold, the **top two vote-getters advance to a runoff election**.

*When does a runoff happen?

4 weeks after or **June 16, 2026**

*Who can vote in a runoff?

- Registered voters
- Voted in that same party's primary
- Did **not** vote in the original primary

You **cannot switch parties** if you already voted in another party's primary.

If you voted Nonpartisan in the primary, you could vote any ballot available for your precinct.

*Do I need to register again?

If you are already registered and eligible, your registration remains active for the runoff.

State and local voter registration deadline is **April 20**.

Federal registration deadline is **May 18**. New voters that registered between April 20 and May 18 will be eligible for a federal only ballot for the runoff June 16.

Check voter registration and polling place information through Georgia's My Voter Page: mvp.sos.ga.gov

*Can I vote early?

June 8-12, 2026, City Services Center, 3111 Citizens Way 7am to 7pm.

*Can I vote absentee by mail?

- New absentee-by-mail requests for the runoff must be received by **Friday, June 5**.
- If you are 65 or older or disabled, applied for a mail absentee ballot this year **AND** opted in to receive a ballot for the remainder of this year, you do not need to re-apply.
- You may need to **submit a new absentee ballot request** for the runoff unless your original request covered all elections for this year.
- Ballots must be **received by 7:00 PM on Election Day in the Elections Office** to count.

*Where do I vote?

- **Election Day:** Your assigned polling place. Polls are open **7:00 AM – 7:00 PM** on Election Day. If you are **in line by 7:00 PM, you are allowed to vote**.
- **Early Voting: City Services Center, 3111 Citizens Way, June 8-12
7:00 AM – 7:00 PM**

*What ID do I need?

Georgia law requires **photo ID** for in-person voting.

Accepted IDs include:

- Georgia driver's license (even if expired)
- Valid U.S. passport
- Government employee ID
- Military ID
- Tribal ID
- Georgia Voter ID Card