

# NOTICE OF ELECTION

November 3, 2026

## Federal, State General Election & the Town of Decatur Municipal Election

Notice is hereby given that Meigs County will hold a Federal & State General Election on Tuesday, November 3, 2026, in conjunction with the **Town of Decatur Municipal Election**.

**General Election for:** Governor, United States Senate, United States House of Representative (3<sup>rd</sup> Congressional District, Tennessee Senate District (1) & Tennessee State House Representative (22<sup>nd</sup> District).

**PLEASE NOTE: MEIGS COUNTY HAS BEEN MOVED INTO THE 3<sup>RD</sup> CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

The office will be closed Labor Day, Monday September 7, 2026, Columbus Day, Monday October 12, & Veterans Day, Monday November 11, 2026.

### DECATUR MUNICIPAL ELECTION

The Town of Decatur will hold a Municipal Election on **November 3, 2026**, to elect City Mayor and three **(3) Alderman for a four-year term**.

Qualifications for these positions are: Only registered voters of the town of Decatur who are bona fide citizens, and residents of the town, shall be eligible to seek and hold the office of Aldermen

\*The first day to pick up a petition for this election was **June 22, 2026**

\*Qualifying Deadline will be Thursday, August 20, 2026, at **12:00 NOON**.

\* The Withdrawal Deadline will be Thursday, **August 27, 2026, at 12:00 NOON**.

\*The last day to register to vote for this election is **October 5, 2026**.

### Public Notice for Elderly & Voters with Disability

Any elderly voter or voter with a disability whose polling place is inaccessible may vote early by personal appearance, absentee by mail or at the election commission office on Election Day.

If the voter chooses to vote at the Election Commission Office on Election Day, they must file an affidavit with the Election Commission Office no later than October 24, 2026. The affidavit will be provided by the Election Commission Office.

### Photo ID Requirements for all Voters

Federal or Tennessee State Government issued photo ID is now required to vote, unless an exemption applies. College student IDs will not be accepted. To learn more about the law and its exceptions, please call our office or visit [GoVoteTN.com](http://GoVoteTN.com)

### Petitions may be picked up at:

#### Office Location:

Meigs County Election Commission

17214 State Hwy. 58 N., Suite 102

Decatur, TN 37322

Phone: (423) 334-5866 Fax: (423) 334-7203

Office Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.

E-mail: [meigs.commission@tn.gov](mailto:meigs.commission@tn.gov)

Web: [www.meigscounty.org/election-commission](http://www.meigscounty.org/election-commission)

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