

PRIMARY ELECTION PROCLAMATION

ALBANY COUNTY, WYOMING
TUESDAY, AUGUST 18, 2026 – PRIMARY ELECTION DAY

Party Affiliation Deadline: A currently registered voter may not change their party affiliation or withdraw their registration beginning May 14, 2026, through August 18, 2026. If you are a new registrant, you will be able to affiliate when registering regardless of the date.

Registering to Vote: Monday, August 3, 2026, is the last day to register to vote for the Primary Election. After this date voters need to both register and vote absentee simultaneously with the clerk’s office or register and vote at the polls on Election Day.

Absentee Voting: Any qualified elector may vote by absentee ballot. A qualified elector who leaves the state with the intent to make their residence elsewhere may vote by absentee ballot in Wyoming until they have met the residency requirement in their new state of residence. A qualified elector may apply for an absentee ballot either in person, in writing, (Albany County Clerk, Courthouse, Suite 202, Laramie, Wyoming 82070), by telephone (307-721-2546) or through the Clerk’s website www.albanycountywy.gov/164/Elections. Absentee voting is conducted in the Election Building, located on the east side of the Albany County Courthouse, will be open Monday-Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. July 21, to August 17, 2026. Please keep in mind that the absentee polling site is not open on Election Day. You must vote at the polls on Election Day.

Voting Assistance: Not more than one (1) person may occupy a voting booth at any time, except that any elector who requires assistance to vote because of blindness, disability, or inability to read or write may be given assistance by a person of the elector’s choice, other than the elector’s employer or an agent of that employer or an officer or agent of the elector’s union.

If you have questions regarding the accessibility at the polling locations, please contact the Election Office at 307-721-2546.

PRIMARY ELECTION CANDIDATE FILING
Filing Dates: May 14 – May 29, 2026

Partisan Officers to be Elected at the Primary Election:

Party Precinct Committee Men and Women - File with the County Clerk - No Filing Fee

No.	Title	Term
35	Republican Precinct Committeemen & Committeewomen	2-Years
30	Democratic Precinct Committeemen & Committeewomen	2-Years

Partisan Offices to be Nominated at the Primary Election and Elected at the General Election

Federal Offices - File with the Secretary of State - \$750 Filing Fee

No.	Title	Term
1	U.S. Senator	6-Years
1	U.S. House of Representatives	2-Years

Wyoming State Offices - File with the Secretary of State - \$300 Filing Fee

No.	Title	Term
1	Governor	4-Years
1	Secretary of State	4-Years
1	State Auditor	4-Years
1	State Treasurer	4-Years
1	Superintendent of Public Instruction	4-Years

Wyoming Legislative Offices - File with the Secretary of State - \$100 Filing Fee

No.	Title	Term
1	Senator District 9	4-Years
1	House of Representatives District 13	2-Years
1	House of Representatives District 14	2-Years
1	House of Representatives District 45	2-Years
1	House of Representatives District 46	2-Years

Albany County Offices - File with the County Clerk - \$100 Filing Fee

No.	Title	Term
2	Commissioners	4-Years
1	Coroner	4-Years
1	Attorney	4-Years
1	Sheriff	4-Years
1	Clerk	4-Years
1	Treasurer	4-Years
1	Assessor	4-Years
1	Clerk of the District Court	4-Years

Non-Partisan Officers to be Nominated at the Primary Elections and Elected at the General Election:

Members Of Laramie City Council - File with the City Clerk - \$25 Filing Fee

No.	Title	Term
1	Ward 1	4-Years
1	Ward 2	4-Years
2	Ward 3	4-Years

2026 GENERAL ELECTION FILING INFORMATION
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2026 – GENERAL ELECTION DAY

Judicial Offices Seeking Retention - File with the Secretary of State May 3, 2026 - August 3, 2026 - No Filing Fee

No.	Title	Term
2	Justice of the Wyoming Supreme Court	8-Years
1	Judge of the Chancery Court	6-Years
1	Circuit Court Judge of the 2nd Judicial District	4-Years

Special District and School Board Trustees - File with the County Clerk August 5 – August 25, 2026 – No Filing Fee

Albany County School District No. 1 Trustee

No.	Title	Term
1	Area "A"	Un-expired 2-Year Term
3	Area "A"	4-Years
1	Area "B"	4-Years
1	At-Large	4-Years

Albany County Fire District #1 Director

No.	Title	Term
1	Director	4-Years

Albany County Hospital District Trustee

No.	Title	Term
2	Trustees	4-Years

Laramie Rivers Conservation District Supervisor

No.	Title	Term
1	Rural Supervisor	4-Years
1	At-Large Supervisor	4-Years

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS, INITIATIVES, REFERENDUMS, AND BALLOT PROPOSITIONS TO BE PLACED ON THE GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT:

Proposed Initiative Proposition Number One

Shall a law be enacted:

Establishing a property tax exemption for qualified homeowners’ primary residence in the amount of fifty percent (50%) of the assessed value of the dwelling; AND

Defining “homeowner” and “primary residence”; providing that no more than one exemption shall apply to a single property or be claimed by a single owner per year; requiring a homeowner to be a resident of Wyoming for at least one year and to have occupied the primary residence for at least six months of the previous tax year to qualify; requiring an initial sworn claim to be filed with the county assessor by the fourth Monday in May; providing for continuing the exemption in subsequent years through annually confirming eligibility; providing a penalty for false claims; clarifying that the exemption applies to the residential structure; and specifying applicability?

Estimated Fiscal Impact:

Anticipated Revenue / (decrease)

Fiscal Year 2028 (\$92,614,266)
Fiscal Year 2029 (\$95,855,766)

The above estimate is based on residential property assessed value and property tax data from the Computer Assisted Mass Appraisal (CAMA) system provided by the Department of Revenue in 2023. The future fiscal impact estimates are derived by using the January 2023 Consensus Revenue Estimating Group (CREG) report, estimating annual growth of 3.5% for properties in future years. This is an estimate of fiscal impact to the State of Wyoming only and does not include an estimate of any impact upon political subdivisions. The proposition references a beginning date of 2025, but if passed in 2026 the earliest applicable tax year would be 2027, with impact to the state beginning in 2028. Fiscal impact will apply to each year so long as the exemption is in place. Future impacts depend on unpredictable economic conditions.

- FOR
- AGAINST

-Any additional amendments, initiatives, referendums, or ballot propositions filed later will be published in the General Election Proclamation.

CAMPAIGN REPORTING REQUIREMENTS:

Wyoming statutes on campaign finance apply to candidates, candidate campaign committees, and PACs supporting candidates for Governor, Secretary of State, State Auditor, State Treasurer, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, State Legislature, County Offices, School Boards and Community College Boards of Trustees, and Municipal Offices.

In an election year, candidates, candidate campaign committees, and PACs are required to file a report before each election. The contributions and expenditures report is due between seven (7) and fourteen (14) days before each election (Primary, General, & Special). If there are additional contributions and expenditures after a report has been filed, an amendment to the report must be filed. Amendments to filed reports must be made within 30 days from the time an error or additional contributions and expenditures become known. Net changes amounting to less than \$200 do not need to be reported.

Ongoing candidate committees and PACs are required to file an annual report by December 31st in odd-numbered years (non-election years) reporting their contributions and expenditures for the odd-year. If a committee is supporting a candidate who is not running for election that year, the committee must still file the Primary and General reports.

Proclaimed this 9th day of May 2026 in accordance with Wyoming Statute 22-2-109 by Kayla White, County Clerk in and for the County of Albany, State of Wyoming.

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