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2014 Election Calendar

Statutory citations are found in Chapter 25 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated unless otherwise noted.

Calendar includes information on city spring elections for those counties where applicable.

Days are counted according to the rules of civil procedure in K.S.A. 60-206. Weekends and holidays are not counted when counting fewer than 11 days. When the final day counted is a weekend or holiday, the date is moved forward or backward to be most advantageous to the voting public.

(City primary) = February 25 city primary election
(City general) = April 1 city general election

(Primary) = August 5 state primary election
(General) = November 4 state general election

CEO = County Election Officer
KAR = Kansas Administrative Regulation

SOS = Secretary of State

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December 2013

2014 Election Calendar

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	14	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25 Christmas Day	26	27 SOS – (City primary) Deadline to notify CEOs of close of registration (60 days before primary) –2311(c)	28
29	30	31 CEO-(City general) Cities notify CEO of city boundaries if changes occurred. 12-517, 12-518 CEO-Campaign finance report deadline for organizations promoting or opposing local candidates or questions submitted; and 2 nd & 3 rd class city & township candidates in 2013. -901 CEO-(City general) Deadline for city clerk to file with CEO the city offices to be elected. -2118				

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January 2014

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			<p>1 CEO-(City primary) (City general) Voters may apply for advance ballots to be mailed. -1122(f)(3), (4)</p> <p>New Years Day</p>	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	<p>10 SOS/CEO-Campaign finance report deadline for state and county candidates, 1st class cities, party and political action committees. -4148(a)(4)</p>	<p>11 CEO-(City primary) Deadline to transmit UOCAVA ballots to applicants. -1220</p>
12	13	14	15	16	<p>17 SOS-(City primary) Send CEOs advance ballot forms & voter instructions. (35 days before election; deadline January 21) -1121</p>	18
19	<p>20</p> <p>Martin Luther King Day</p>	<p>21 CEO-(City general) Noon deadline for city candidates to file or withdraw.-2106, 2109 CEO-(City primary) Deadline to publish times, places and close of registration. Date varies with daily or weekly newspaper schedule.-2310, -2311(a)(4), KAR 7-23-4</p>	22	23	<p>24 CEO-(City primary) Deadline for in-state residence change. Voter who moves within 30 days before election may vote in former precinct. (Deadline Jan. 26)-3701 CEO-(City general) Deadline to file objection to candidate filing.-308</p>	25
26	<p>27 CEO-(City primary) Deadline for county party chairs to recommend election board workers. -2803(a)</p>	28	29	<p>30 CEO-(City primary) Prepare advance ballots for city primary (at least 20 days before election)-1120 CEO-(City primary) 1st & 2nd class cities may provide late hours for voter registration through Tuesday. (optional) -2311(d)</p>	<p>31 SOS-(City general) Deadline to notify CEOs of close of registration. (60 days before election) -2311(c)</p>	

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February 2014

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						1
2	3	4 CEO-(City primary) Last day to register to vote. -2311(a)(4)	5 CEO-(City primary) Begin mailing advance ballots. (20 days before election)-1123 CEO-(City primary) Advance voting in person may begin. -1122(g), -1123	6	7	8
9	10 CEO-(City primary) Appoint election boards. -2801	11	12	13	14 CEO-(City primary) Publish notice of voting equipment test at least 48 hours before test. Notify county party chairs in writing. -4411(b), -4610(b) Valentine's Day	15 CEO-(City general) Deadline to transmit UOCAVA ballots to applicants. -1220
16	17 CEO-(City primary) Train election boards this week. -2806 CEO-(City primary) Campaign finance report deadline for 1 st class city candidates. -4148(a)(1) CEO-(City primary) Deadline for city candidates to file affidavits of exemption for campaigns under \$500. -904(a), -4173 CEO-(City primary) Deadline to accept late voter registration applications w/ missing/illegible postmarks. (Statutory deadline Feb. 14) -2311(e) Presidents' Day	18 CEO-(City primary) Conduct voting equipment test within 5 days before election. -4411(b), -4610(b) CEO-(City primary) Advance voting in person must begin (earlier if CEO desires) -1122(g)	19	20	21 SOS-(City general) Send CEOs advance voting ballot forms and voter instructions (35 days before election; deadline Feb. 25) -1121 CEO-(City primary) Deadline for voters to apply for advance ballots to be mailed. -1122(f)(3)	22
23	24 CEO-(City primary) Noon deadline to vote regular advance ballots in person. -1122(g) CEO-(City primary) Distribute ballots & supplies to supervising judges. -604(c), -2706	25 CITY PRIMARY ELECTION -2108a(a) CEO-(City primary) Disabled & non-English proficient voters may apply for advance ballots. -1124(c) CEO-(City primary) Advance ballots must be returned by close of polls -1132	26 CEO-(City primary) Registration books reopen. 2311 CEO-(City general) Deadline to publish times, places & close of registration. Date varies with daily or weekly newspaper schedule. -2310, - 2311(a)(6), KAR 7-23-4	27	28 CEO-(City general) Deadline for in-state residence change. Voter who moves within 30 days before election may vote in former precinct. (Deadline March 2) -3701	

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March 2014

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1
2	3 CEO-(City general) Deadline for county party chairs to recommend election board workers. -2803(a) (Statutory deadline March 2) CEO-(City primary) County canvassers certify election results (or next Thursday) -3101(d), -3104	4 CEO-(City primary) Deadline 5:00 pm to request recount if canvass was Monday.-3107(b) CEO-(City primary) Issue nomination certificates if recount not requested. -3110, KAR 7-26-1	5 CEO-(City primary) Recount must be initiated if requested Tuesday. -3107(b)	6 CEO-(City primary) Alternate date for county canvass. -3104 CEO-(City general) Prepare advance ballots for city general (at least 20 days before election) -1120 CEO-(City general) 1 st & 2 nd class cities may provide late hours for voter registration through Tuesday. (optional) -2311(d)	7 CEO-(City primary) Deadline 5:00 pm to request recount if canvass was Thursday.-3107(b) CEO-(City primary) Deadline to file objection. (3 days after issuance of nomination certificate) -308	8 CEO-(City primary) Recount must be initiated if requested Friday. -3107(b)
9 Daylight saving time begins	10 CEO-(City primary) Recount must be completed by 5:00 pm if requested Tuesday. (statutory deadline Mar. 9) -3107(b)	11 CEO-(City general) Last day to register to vote. -2311(a)(6),(7)	12 CEO-(City general) Begin mailing advance ballots. (20 days before election) -1123 CEO-(City general) Advance voting in person may begin. -1123, -1122(g) CEO-(City primary) Recount must be completed by 5:00 pm if requested Friday. -3107(b)	13	14	15
16	17 CEO-(City general) Appoint election boards. -2801 St. Patrick's Day	18	19	20	21 CEO-(City general) Publish notice of voting equipment test at least 48 hours before test. Notify party chairs in writing. -4411(b), -4610(b)	22
23 CEO-(City general) Train election boards this week. -2806 →	24 CEO-(City general) Deadline to accept late voter registration applications with missing or illegible postmarks. (Statutory deadline March 23) -2311(e) CEO-(City general) Campaign finance report deadline for 1 st class city candidates. -4148(a)(2)	25 CEO-(City general) Conduct test of voting equipment within 5 days before election. -4411(b), -4610(b) CEO-(City general) Advance voting in person must begin (earlier if CEO desires) -1122(g)	26	27 CEO-(City primary) Campaign finance report deadline for 2 nd & 3 rd class city candidates (30 days after primary). -904(b)	28 CEO-(City general) Deadline for voters to apply for advance ballots to be mailed. -1122(f)(4)	29
30	31 CEO-(City general) Distribute ballots and supplies to supervising judges.-604(c), -2706 CEO-(City general) Noon deadline to vote regular advance ballots in person. -1122(g)					

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May 2014

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 CEO-(City general) Campaign finance report deadline for 2 nd & 3 rd class city candidates. -904(b)	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11 Mother's Day	12 SOS-Send updated election forms to CEOs.	13	14	15 CEO-(City general) Deadline to send notice of failure to file campaign finance reports to 2 nd & 3 rd class city candidates. -905	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26 Memorial Day	27	28	29	30	31

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June 2014

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 SOS-Noon deadline for new parties to file petitions seeking recognition for 2014.-302a (Statutory deadline June 1.) SOS/CEO-(Primary) Noon candidate filing/withdrawal deadline (except independent and judicial retention candidates)(Statutory deadline June 1) -205 SOS-(Primary) Send unofficial candidate list to CEOs. -209 SOS-(Primary) Mail list of primary candidates for federal office to Clerk of US House and Federal Election Commission, President of US Senate.	3	4	5 SOS/CEO-(Primary) Deadline to file objection to candidate filing. -308	6 SOS-(Primary) Deadline to notify CEOs of close of registration for August primary. (60 days before primary) -2311(c)	7
8	9	10	11	12	13 SOS-(Primary) Send ballot forms to CEOs. -210, -213, -616, -617, -618	14 Flag Day
15 Father's Day	16 SOS-(Primary) Send certified candidate list and ballot rotation schedules to CEOs. -212	17 CEO-(Primary) Publish list of candidates for primary election for 3 consecutive weeks. -209	18	19	20	21 CEO-(Primary) Deadline to transmit UOCAVA ballots to applicants. -1220
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30 SOS/CEO-(Primary) Last day to change party affiliation before primary. -3304					

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July 2014

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 CEO-(Primary) Deadline to publish times, places and close of registration. Date varies with daily or weekly newspaper schedule. -2310, -2311(a)(3), KAR 7-23-4 SOS-(Primary) Deadline to send advance ballot forms and voter instructions to CEOs. -1121	2	3	4 CEO-(Primary) Deadline for in-state residence change. Voter who moves within 30 days before election may vote in former precinct. (Deadline July 6) -3701 Independence Day	5
6	7 CEO-(Primary) Deadline for county party chairs to recommend election board workers. (Statutory deadline July 6). -2803(a)	8	9	10 CEO-(Primary) 1 st & 2 nd class cities may provide late hours for voter registration through Tuesday. (optional) -2311(d)	11	12
13	14	15 SOS/CEO-(Primary) Last day to register to vote. -2311(a)(3)	16 CEO-(Primary) Begin mailing advance ballots. (20 days before election) -1123 CEO-(Primary) Advance voting in person may begin. -1122(g), -1123	17 CEO-(Primary) Certify to SOS and county party chairs voter registration & party affiliation by precinct. -3302, KAR 7-27-1	18	19
20	21 CEO-(Primary) Deadline to mail copies of publication to candidates & party chairs. -211 SOS-(Primary) Send abstract books to CEOs. -3206	22	23	24	25 CEO-(Primary) Deadline for county party chairs to suggest ballot changes to CEOs. -211 CEO-(Primary) Publish notice of voting equipment test at least 48 hours before test. Notify party chairs in writing. -4411(b), -4610(b)	26
27 CEO-(Primary) Deadline to accept late voter registration applications with missing or illegible postmarks. (Statutory deadline July 27.) -2311(e) → CEO-(Primary) Candidates and their agents may inspect ballots. -604(c) → CEO-(Primary) Train election boards this week. -2806 →	28 CEO-(Primary) Appoint election boards. -2801 SOS/CEO-(Primary) Campaign finance report deadline for state & county candidates, parties & political action committees. -4148(a)(1) CEO-(Primary) Deadline for township candidates to file affidavits of exemption for campaigns under \$500. -904(a), -4173	29 SOS/CEO-(Primary) Election night tabulation test run.(tentative) CEO-(Primary) Advance voting in person must begin (earlier if CEO desires). -1122(g) CEO-(Primary) Conduct test of voting equipment within 5 days before election. -4411(b), -4610(b)	30	31		

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August 2014

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 CEO – (Primary) Deadline for voters to apply for advance ballots to be mailed. -1122(f)(1)	2
3 CEO – (Primary) Distribute ballots and supplies to supervising judges. -604(c), -2706 →	4 SOS/CEO – (General) Noon deadline for independent candidates to file petitions.-305(b) SOS/CEO – (General) Noon deadline for retention judges to file. 20-2908 CEO – (Primary) Noon deadline to vote regular advance ballots in person. -1122(g)	5 PRIMARY ELECTION -203(a) CEO-(Primary) Advance ballots must be returned by close of polls. -1132 CEO-(Primary) Disabled & non-English proficient voters may apply for advance ballots. -1122(g), -1124(b),(d)	6 SOS/CEO – (Primary) Registration books reopen. -2311 CEO – (Primary) Prepare preliminary final abstract. -3106 CEO – (General) Voters may apply for advance ballots to be mailed. -1122(f)(2)	7	8	9
10	11 CEO – (Primary) County canvassers certify election results (or next Thursday) -3104, -3107 CEO – (Primary) Send intermediate abstract for national/state offices to SOS as soon as possible. -3106, -3202	12 SOS/CEO – (Primary) Deadline 5:00 pm to request recount if canvass was Monday. -3107(b) CEO – (Primary) Issue nomination certificates for county/township candidates if recount not requested. -3110, KAR 7-26-1	13 CEO – (Primary) Recount must be initiated if requested Tuesday.-3107(b)	14 CEO – (Primary) Alternate date for county canvass. -3104	15 SOS/CEO – (Primary) Deadline 5:00 pm to request recount if canvass was Thursday. -3107(b) CEO – (Primary) Objections to nominations for local office must be filed within 3 days of issuance of nomination certificate. ← -308(a)(1) →	16 CEO – (Primary) Recount must be initiated if requested Friday. -3107(b)
17	18 SOS/CEO – (Primary) Recount must be completed by 5:00 pm if requested Tuesday (statutory deadline Aug. 17). -3107(b)	19 CEO – (Primary) Deadline to transmit election abstract to SOS. -3203	20 SOS/CEO – (Primary) Recount must be completed by 5:00 pm if requested Friday. -3107(b)	21	22	23 CEO- Deadline to file objection for local office. (3 days after issuance of nomination certificate.) -308
24	25 CEO – (Primary) Deadline for county/township candidates to declare incapability and withdraw from nomination (10 days after county canvass—may be next Thursday). -306b(b)	26	27	28	29 SOS – (Primary) State board of canvassers meets. (tentative date—deadline September 1) -3205	30
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September 2014

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	<p>1</p> <p>Labor Day</p>	<p>2</p> <p>SOS – (Primary) Deadline for state board of canvassers to meet. -3205</p>	<p>3</p>	<p>4</p> <p>CEO – (Primary) Campaign finance report deadline for township candidates. -904(b)</p>	<p>5</p> <p>SOS-(General) Send to CEOs: (1) certified candidate list to be published [deadline Oct. 15], -311, (2) ballot rotation schedules, -610, (3) judicial ballots, -617, (4) constitutional amendment resolution and ballot. -605, -607</p>	<p>6</p> <p>SOS – (General) Deadline to notify CEOs of close of registration for general election (60 days before election). -2311(c) ← SOS – (General) Deadline for Supreme Court, Court of Appeals judges to file for retention. KS Const. Art. 3 Sec. 5(c), 20-3006(b) ←</p>
<p>7</p>	<p>8</p> <p>SOS – (Primary) Mail nomination certificates to primary winners, publish results in <i>Kansas Register</i> (4 days after state canvass). -3205 CEO/SOS – (Primary) Deadline to file objection (3 days after issuance of nomination certificate). -308</p>	<p>9</p> <p>SOS – (Primary) Deadline for national/state candidates to declare incapability and withdraw (7 days after state canvass). -306b(b)</p>	<p>10</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13</p>
<p>14</p>	<p>15</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>17</p>	<p>18</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p> <p>CEO – (General) Deadline to transmit UOCAVA ballots to applicants. -1220</p>
<p>21</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p>	<p>24</p>	<p>25</p> <p>SOS/CEO – (Primary) Deadline for withdrawal of candidate nominated to fill candidate vacancy. -306b(d)</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p>
<p>28</p>	<p>29</p>	<p>30</p> <p>SOS-(General) Deadline to send advance ballot forms & voter instructions to CEOs. -1121 CEO-(General) Deadline to publish times, places & close of registration. (Date varies with daily or weekly newspaper schedule.) -2310, -2311(a)(3), KAR 7-23-4</p>				

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October 2014

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3 CEO-(General) Deadline for in-state residence change. Voter who moves within 30 days before election may vote in former precinct. (Deadline Oct. 5) -3701	4
5	6 CEO – (General) Deadline for county party chairs to recommend election board workers (Statutory deadline Sunday, Oct. 5) -2803(a)	7	8	9 CEO – (General) 1 st & 2 nd class cities may provide late hours for voter registration through Tuesday. (optional) -2311(d)	10 CEO – (General) Deadline to mail copy of notice of general election to each nominee for office and judicial candidates. -105	11
12	13 Columbus Day	14 SOS/CEO – (General) Last day to register to vote. -2311(a)(3)	15 CEO-(General) Begin mailing advance ballots. (20 days before election) -1123 CEO-(General) Advance voting in person may begin. -1122(g), -1123 SOS-(General) Publish first notice of constitutional amendment this week. (3 consecutive weeks) 64-103(b)	16 CEO – (General) Certify to SOS and county party chairs voter registration & party affiliation by precinct. -3302, KAR 7-27-1	17	18
19	20 CEO – (General) Deadline to publish notice of general election. -105 CEO – (General) Appoint election boards. -2801	21 SOS – (General) Send abstract books to CEOs. -3006	22 SOS – (General) Publish second notice of constitutional amendment this week. 64-103(b)	23	24 CEO – (General) Publish notice of voting equipment test at least 48 hours before test. Notify party chairs in writing. -4411(b), -4610(b)	25
26	27 CEO-(General) Deadline to accept late voter registrations with missing or illegible postmarks.-2311(e) CEO-(General) Train election boards this week.-2806 SOS-(General) Noon deadline for write-in candidates for statewide office to file affidavits with SOS.-305(b), -305(e) SOS/CEO-(General) Campaign finance report deadline for state & county candidates, parties & political action committees. -4148(a)(2)	28 CEO – (General) Candidates and their agents may inspect ballots. -604(c) CEO – (General) Advance voting in person must begin (earlier if CEO desires). -1122(g) CEO – (General) Conduct test of voting equipment within 5 days of election. -4411(b), -4610(b) SOS/CEO – (General) Election night tabulation test run. (tentative)	29 SOS – (General) Publish third notice of constitutional amendment this week. 64-103(b)	30	31 CEO – (General) Deadline for voters to apply for advance ballots to be mailed. -1122(f)(2) Halloween	

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November 2014

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1
2 Daylight saving time ends	3 CEO – (General) Noon deadline to vote regular advance ballots in person. -1122(g) CEO – (General) Distribute ballots and supplies to supervising judges. -604(c), -2706	4 GENERAL ELECTION -101 CEO-(General) Advance ballots must be returned by close of polls.-1132 CEO-(General) Disabled & non-English proficient voters may apply for advance ballots.-1122(g)-1124(b),(d)	5 SOS/CEO – (General) Registration books reopen. -2311 CEO – (General) Prepare preliminary final abstract. -3106	6	7	8
9	10 CEO – (General) County canvassers certify election results (or next Thursday). -3104, -3107	11 CEO-(General) Send intermediate abstract for national/state offices to SOS as soon as possible.-3202 SOS/CEO-(General) Deadline 5:00 pm to request recount if canvass was Monday. -3107(b) CEO-(General) Issue certificates of election to county/township candidates if recount not requested -3110, KAR 7-26-2 Veterans Day	12 SOS/CEO – (General) Recount must be initiated if requested Tuesday. -3107(b)	13 CEO – (General) Alternate date for county canvass. -3104	14 SOS/CEO – (General) Deadline 5:00 pm to request recount if canvass was Thursday. -3107(b)	15 SOS/CEO – (General) Recount must be initiated if requested Friday. -3107(b)
16	17 SOS/CEO – (General) Recount must be completed by 5:00 pm if requested Tuesday (statutory deadline Nov. 16). -3107(b)	18 CEO – (General) Deadline to transmit election abstract to SOS. -3203	19 SOS/CEO-(General) Recount must be completed by 5:00 pm if requested Friday.-3107(b) CEO-(General) Contest of election for local office may be filed in district court. (5 days after issuance of certificate of election) ← -1439 →	20	21	22
23	24	25	26 SOS – (General) State board of canvassers meets. (Tentative date-deadline Dec. 1) -3206(b) SOS-(General) Send certificate of election to successful candidates. Send notice of preorganizational meeting to KS House members-elect. -3211(c), 46-143	27 Thanksgiving	28	29
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December 2014

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 SOS-(General) Deadline for state board of canvassers to meet. -3206(b) SOS- (General) Convene preorganizational meeting of Kansas House. 46-142(a)	2 CEO- (General) Township officers-elect take oath 20 days after being notified of election. 80-202	3 SOS-(General) Certify federal election results to Secretary of US Senate, Clerk of US House.	4 SOS-(General) Publish election results in <i>Kansas Register</i> . -3211(d) SOS-(General) Contest of election for national/state office may be filed in district court. (5 days after issuance of certificate of election) -1439 CEO-(General) Campaign finance report deadline for township candidates. -904(b)	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
				Christmas Day		
28	29	30	31 CEO-Campaign finance report deadline for organizations promoting or opposing local candidates or questions submitted, 2 nd & 3 rd class city candidates, township candidates. -901 CEO-(2015 City general) Cities notify CEO of city boundary changes. 12-517, 12-518			

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January 2015

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 New Years Day	2	3
4	5 Term of office begins for members of US Congress. US Constitution 20 th Amendment	6	7	8	9	10
11	12 Term of office begins for Kansas House, statewide offices, Board of Education, judges, & county officers. -313, 46-156, 75-4308 SOS/CEO-Campaign finance report deadline for state & county candidates, parties & political action committees. -4148(a)(3)	13	14	15	16	17
18	19 Martin Luther King Day	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31