

Local Elections 2010
YOUR VOTE
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Local government timeline of activity for 2010

Date	Activity
May	<i>Local Government New Zealand (LGNZ) toolkit material available to councils</i>
May onwards	SOLGM National Ratepayer Elector Enrolment Campaign
May - July	Councils to hold information evenings for prospective candidates
30 June	End of financial year for councils
30 June	Annual Plans completed
30 June	Annual Reports completed
5 July	Residential roll enrolment update campaign starts
July	Youth Parliament
July	MoH campaign on standing
21 July	Public notice of election
23 July	Roll open for inspection
23 July	Candidate nominations open
25 - 28 July	LGNZ conference in Auckland
23 July - 20 August	Receipt of candidate nominations
20 August	Candidate nominations close and roll closes
25 August	Public notice of candidates' names
Early September	New elected member survival kit, incorporating new elected member handbook, available to purchase from LGNZ
17 - 22 September	Voting documents delivered
17 Sept - 9 October	Special voting period
18 Sept - 9 October	Scrutiny and early processing
9 October	Election Day - voting closes 12 noon
9 October	Preliminary results
11 - 20 October	Declaration of results
November	Cr swearing-in ceremonies