

THOMPSON BYELECTION: ELECTION CALENDAR

The following is a list of important dates for the Thompson byelection.

DATE	EVENT	DESCRIPTION/DETAILS
May 10	Writ Issued	The election is called and the campaign period begins. [<i>The Elections Act</i> s. 50(a)]
	Nominations Open	Prospective candidates can submit nomination papers to the returning office. [<i>The Elections Act</i> s.55(1)]
	Preliminary Voters List Distributed	The preliminary voters list for Thompson is distributed within 48 hours to registered parties running a candidate and to candidates. [<i>The Elections Act</i> s. 75(1)]
	Voter Information Cards Mailed	A voter information card is mailed to every voter on the voters list, detailing where and when they can vote during advance voting and on election day. [<i>The Elections Act</i> s. 76.1(1)]
May 10 - 19	Revision	Voters can register or update their information at electionsmb.ca, by calling Elections Manitoba, or visiting the returning office. [<i>The Elections Act</i> s. 77(1)]
May 24	Close of Nominations	Completed nomination papers must be submitted to the returning office before 1:00 p.m. [<i>The Elections Act</i> s.56(1)(b)]
	Revised Voter Information Cards Mailed	A voter information card is mailed to voters who registered or updated their information during the revision period. [<i>The Elections Act</i> s. 88(3)]
May 28 – June 4	Advance Voting	Voters may vote at any advance poll. [<i>The Elections Act</i> s. 129(1)] Advance polling places are open from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm, Monday to Saturday and noon to 6:00 pm Sunday. [<i>The Elections Act</i> s. 125(7)] Advance voting ends on June 4. [<i>The Elections Act</i> s. 125(4)(5)]

June 7	Election Day	Polling places are open from 8:00 am to 8:00 p.m. [The Elections Act s. 110]
June 8	Final Tally Begins	The returning officer completes a final tally of votes, verifying the totals of all votes received. [The Elections Act s. 160(1)].
June 14	Declaration of Candidate	The returning officer declares the candidate with the most votes elected. [The Elections Act 162(1)(2)]

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