

DEADLINE SCHEDULE FOR THE 2019 COLORADO GENERAL ASSEMBLY

BILL REQUESTS AND GENERAL SESSION DEADLINE FOR:

<i>November 26, 2018 (Monday)</i>	Members to request bills. Members may not introduce more than five bills. Of the five bills, excluding appropriations and interim bills, not more than two bills may be requested after November 26.	Pre-session
<i>December 10, 2018 (Monday)</i>	Deadline for newly elected members to request three of five bills.	Pre-session
<i>December 28, 2018 (Friday)</i>	Filing one of each member's three bills requested prior to November 26 or December 10 with the house of introduction for printing, distribution to Legislative Council Staff for preparation of fiscal notes, and introduction on the 1st day.	Pre-session
<i>January 4 (Friday)</i> General Assembly Convenes	Introducing bills required to be filed 7 days prior to the 1st day and bills to increase the number of judges .	1st Day
<i>January 8 (Tuesday)</i>	Introducing the two remaining Senate bills requested prior to November 26 or December 10.	5th Day
<i>January 10 (Thursday)</i>	Deadline for all remaining bill requests to the Office of Legislative Legal Services.	7th Day
<i>January 11 (Friday)</i>	Introducing the two remaining House bills requested prior to November 26 or December 10.	8th Day
<i>January 22 (Tuesday)</i>	Introducing Senate bills , except for supplemental appropriation bills recommended by the Joint Budget Committee and the Long Bill.	19th Day
<i>January 25 (Friday)</i>	Introducing House bills , except for supplemental appropriation bills recommended by the Joint Budget Committee and the Long Bill.	22nd Day
<i>February 4 (Monday)</i>	Introducing supplemental appropriation bills recommended by the Joint Budget Committee.	32nd Day
<i>February 22 (Friday)</i>	Final passage of Senate bills in the Senate and House bills in the House.*	50th Day
<i>March 4 (Monday)</i>	Final passage of any bill that increases the number of judges .	60th Day
<i>March 25 (Monday)</i>	Introducing the Long Bill in the Senate.	81st Day
<i>March 27 (Wednesday)</i>	Final passage in the House of Senate bills . *	83rd Day
<i>March 29 (Friday)</i>	Final passage of the Long Bill in the Senate.	85th Day
	Deadline to request resolutions and memorials.	
<i>April 3 (Wednesday)</i>	Final passage in the Senate of all House bills . *	90th Day
	Deadline to introduce resolutions and memorials.	
<i>April 5 (Friday)</i>	Final passage of the Long Bill in the House.	92nd Day
<i>April 8 (Monday)</i>	Final passage in house of introduction of all bills creating statutory committees with legislative members.	95th Day
<i>April 12 (Friday)</i>	Adoption of the conference committee report on the Long Bill.	99th Day
<i>April 15 (Monday)</i>	Introducing bills.	102nd Day
	Final passage in house of introduction of all bills referred to the Appropriations Committee in that house.	
<i>April 22 (Monday)</i>	Final passage, including any conference committee report, for any school finance bills.	109th Day
<i>April 26 (Friday)</i>	Final passage in second house of all bills referred to Appropriations Committee in that house.	113th Day
<i>May 1 (Wednesday)</i>	Reconvene for adjournment sine die if there has been adjournment to a day certain, unless the joint resolution for adjournment to a day certain specifies another day for reconvening.	118th Day
<i>May 3 (Friday)</i>	Adjournment sine die.	120th Day

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COMMITTEES, DEADLINE FOR:

<i>January 3 (Thursday)</i>	Joint committees to meet with state departments to review strategic plans and regulatory agendas. The meetings are to occur between November 1 and the start of the session.	Pre-session
<i>February 1 (Friday)</i>	Committees to meet with the Joint Budget Committee to review department budget priorities. House committees to report House bills introduced on or before the 8th legislative day, other than the House Appropriations Committee.	29th Day
<i>February 8 (Friday)</i>	Senate committees to report Senate bills, other than the Senate Appropriations Committee.	36th Day
<i>February 15 (Friday)</i>	House committees to report remaining House bills, other than the House Appropriations Committee.	43rd Day
<i>March 15 (Friday)</i>	Committees to report bills originating in the other house, other than the Appropriations Committees and Legislative Council.	71st Day
<i>March 29 (Friday)</i>	Committees in the house of introduction, including the Appropriations Committee, to report bills creating statutory committees with legislative members.	85th Day
<i>April 12 (Friday)</i>	Appropriations Committee in house of introduction to report referred bills. Committees in the second house to report bills creating statutory committees with legislative members to the Legislative Council.	99th Day
<i>April 18 (Thursday)</i>	Legislative Council to report bills.	105th Day
<i>April 19 (Friday)</i>	Committees in the second house to report bills referred to the Appropriations Committee in that house.	106th Day
<i>April 24 (Wednesday)</i>	Appropriations Committee in second house to report bills.	111th Day

INTERIM STUDIES, DEADLINE FOR:

<i>April 5, 2019 (Friday)</i>	Submitting written requests to the Legislative Council for interim studies.	92nd Day
<i>April 12 (Friday)</i>	Legislative Council Director of Research to submit to the Legislative Council Executive Committee the number of interim committee meetings that may be held.	99th Day
<i>April 19 (Friday)</i>	Legislative Council to meet to review and prioritize requests from legislative members for interim studies.	106th Day

* All bills in the Appropriations Committee in either house on the day of the asterisked final passage deadline are excluded from the final passage deadline and from other deadlines specified in this Joint Rule until the deadlines for passing bills in the Appropriations Committee or passing bills or resolutions in the Legislative Council.