



## LINCOLN COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

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### **2026 Primary Election Schedule of Absentee Board Meetings**

The following is a list of the days and dates on which the Lincoln County Board of Elections will meet to approve the applications for absentee ballots for the 2026 Primary Election to be held on March 3<sup>rd</sup>. The meetings will be held at the Board of Elections Office, 451 Salem Church Road, Lincolnton, NC, pursuant to G.S. 163.230.1(c1). Other business may be transacted by the Board at this time.

Tuesday, January 6<sup>th</sup> – 3:00 P.M.

Tuesday, January 27<sup>th</sup> – 3:00 P.M.

Tuesday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> – 3:00 P.M.

Tuesday, February 10<sup>th</sup> – 3:00 P.M.

Tuesday, February 17<sup>th</sup> – 3:00 P.M.

Tuesday, February 24<sup>th</sup> – 3:00 P.M.

Monday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> at 5:00 P.M.

Tuesday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> ELECTION DAY – at 3:00 P.M. Count of Absentee Ballots

Thursday, March 5<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 A.M. Sample Audit Count - Precincts Selected

Friday, March 6<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 P.M. - Provisional Meeting

at 3:00 p.m. Absentee Supplemental

Friday, March 13<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 A.M. CANVASS MEETING

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