



Gila River Indian Community

2024 Community Council Election

Districts 1, 4, 5, & 6

February 2, 2024	<p>Declaration of Candidacy (DOC) opens in Districts 1, 4, 5 & 6. <i>Any qualified elector of the Gila River Indian Community who has attained the age of twenty-five (25) may file for the Office of Councilman for the District in which he resides.</i> DOC forms can be picked up at the Tribal Elections Office.</p>
February 15, 2024	<p>Declaration of Candidacy (DOC) CLOSSES @ 5:00 p.m. for the Office of Community Council. Special Election Board Meeting to verify residential qualifications of all Community Council candidates.</p>
February 16, 2024	<p>DOC forms are routed to Enrollment & Office of General Counsel to determine qualifications of all applicants.</p>
March 6, 2024	<p>Community Council to certify qualifications of candidacy for Community Council seats in Districts 1, 4, 5, & 6.</p>
April 9, 2024	<p>Voter Registration CLOSES for the election in May 2024.</p>
April 15, 2024	<p>Absentee Voting begins for registered voters unable to vote in person on Election Day.</p>
May 7, 2024	<p>GRIC 2024 Community Council Election Day Districts 1, 4, 5, & 6. Absentee Ballots not returned by mail, can be dropped off at any polling site until 6:00 p.m.</p>
May 10, 2024	<p>Protest period ends. Protests must be submitted in writing to the Election Board Chairperson before 5:00 p.m.</p>
May 15, 2024	<p>At their second meeting in May, election results are certified by Community Council.</p>
June 5, 2024	<p>All newly elected or re-elected candidates are sworn into office to fill Community Council seats in Districts 1, 4, 5, & 6.</p>

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