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From the office of the...
Elections Department

TO: Members of the Student Representative Assembly
FROM: Brenda Lin, Chief Returning Officer
SUBJECT: Election Dates 2023-2024
DATE: September 5, 2023

Dear Members of the Assembly,

As per our bylaws, we are presenting a tentative timetable (proclamations, nomination periods, meeting dates, campaigning periods, polling dates, and fines nights) of the MSU Elections Cycle. If there are any changes to this schedule, an update shall be provided.

Regards,

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First Year Council (FYC) Elections

Proclamation	September 5, 2023
Nomination Period	September 6, 2023 - September 18, 2023
All Candidates Meeting	September 18, 2023
VOC* Polling Date	September 21, 2023
Campaigning Period	September 19, 2023 – September 28, 2023
Polling Date(s)	September 27 & 28, 2023

SRA October By-Elections

Proclamation	October 16, 2023
Nomination Period	October 16, 2023 - October 20, 2023
All Candidates Meeting	October 20, 2023
VOC* Polling Date	October 25, 2023
Campaigning Period	October 21, 2023 - October 26, 2023
Polling Date(s)	October 26, 2023

SRA November By-Election (if needed)

Proclamation	November 13, 2023
Nomination Period	November 13, 2023 - November 17, 2023
All Candidates Meeting	November 17, 2023
VOC* Polling Date	November 22, 2023
Campaigning Period	November 18, 2023 - November 23, 2023
Polling Date(s)	November 23, 2023

MSU Presidential Elections

Proclamation	November 30th, 2023
Nomination Period	November 30th, 2023- January 12, 2024
All Candidates Meeting	January 12, 2024
Campaigning Period	January 14, 2024 - January 25, 2024
Polling Date(s)	January 23, 2024 - January 25, 2024

SRA January By-Election- (if needed)

Proclamation	January 8, 2024
Nomination Period	January 8, 2024 - January 12, 2024
All Candidates Meeting	January 12, 2024
VOC* Polling Date	January 17, 2024
Campaigning Period	January 13, 2024 - January 18, 2024
Polling Date(s)	January 18, 2024

SRA General Elections

Proclamation	February 5, 2024
Nomination Period	February 5, 2024 – February 26, 2024

All Candidates Meeting
VOC* Polling Date
Campaigning Period
Polling Date(s)

February 26, 2024
February 29, 2024
February 27, 2024 - March 7, 2024
March 6, 2024 - March 7, 2024

***VOC – Vote of Confidence**