

Wātaka Pōti

Election Timetable

2025 Local Government Election Timetable	
30 June (Monday)	Candidate Information Presentations. See details below.
From 1 July (Tuesday)	Public notice of election – Council website, Rangitikei District Monitor, Whanganui Chronicle and Feilding-Rangitikei Herald
4 July (Friday)	Nominations open. Electoral roll open for inspection
From 11 July (Friday)	Election signs (hoardings) can be displayed
1 August (Friday)	Nominations close at 12 noon, electoral roll closes
From 4 August (Monday))	Further public notice of election – Council website, Rangitikei District Monitor, Whanganui Chronicle and Feilding-Rangitikei Herald
By 5 September (Friday)	Electoral Officer compiles and certifies final electoral roll
9 September (Tuesday)	Letters sent to electors on unpublished roll Delivery of ordinary voting documents starts Ordinary and special voting opens
9 September to 11 October	Voting period
10 October (Friday)	Last day for appointment of scrutineers - by 12 noon
11 October (Saturday)	Election Day - voting closes at 12 noon Progress results available as soon as practicable after close of voting
11 - 15 October	Official count – process special votes
By 5pm 13 October (Monday)	Election signs (hoardings) must be removed
15 October to 22 October (as soon as practicable)	Final results announced Public notice of official declaration of election result – Council website, Rangitikei District Monitor, Whanganui Chronicle and Feilding-Rangitikei Herald
By 10 December (Wednesday)	Return of election expense declaration forms (55 days after date of declaration of results)

Candidate Information Presentations

Presentations on standing for council will be given on Monday 30 June 2025 at the following venues:

- Taihape Service Centre, Kokako Street Hall, Taihape at 4pm
- Rangitikei District Council office, 46 High Street, Marton at 7pm

Items to be covered will include how the council is structured, the role and responsibilities of elected representatives, the skills required, anticipated time commitments and meeting schedules and an overview of the nomination and election processes.

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