

**PRIMARY ELECTION SCHEDULE**  
**MAY 8, 2012**  
**ALEXANDER COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS**

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE** **APRIL 13, 2012**  
(Last day to register before election)  
GS163-82.6 (c) (25 days before election)

**ABSENTEE BY MAIL APPLICATIONS BEGINS** **MARCH 19, 2012**  
(Request for absentee ballot by mail)  
GS163-227.3 (a) (50 days before election)

**ABSENTEE BY MAIL APPLICATIONS ENDS** **MAY 1, 2012**  
GS163-230.1 (a) (5 p.m. Tuesday before election)  
**(Voted ballots must be received in the BOE Office by 5 p.m., May 7)**  
GS163-231 (b) **NOTE: BALLOTS POSTMARKED BY 5 P.M. ON THE DAY OF THE ELECTION WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL 3 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF THE ELECTION IF RECEIVED BY 5 P.M.**

**ONE STOP ABSENTEE BEGINS** **APRIL 19, 2012**  
(Vote in BOE Office)  
GS163-227.2 (b) (3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday before an election)

**SATURDAY VOTING: 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.**  
Saturday, April 21, 28  
Saturday, May 5

**ONE STOP ABSENTEE ENDS @ 1 P.M.** **MAY 5, 2012**  
(Vote in BOE Office)  
GS163-227.2 (b) (ends on Saturday before election)

**ELECTION DAY** **MAY 8, 2012**  
GS163-1 (c)

**CANVASS DAY** **MAY 15, 2012**  
GS163-182.5 (b)

**POLLS OPEN 6:30 A.M. AND CLOSE 7:30 P.M.**  
QUESTIONS MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE  
ALEXANDER COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS AT:  
370 1<sup>ST</sup> AVENUE SW  
TAYLORSVILLE, NC 28681  
828-632-2990