

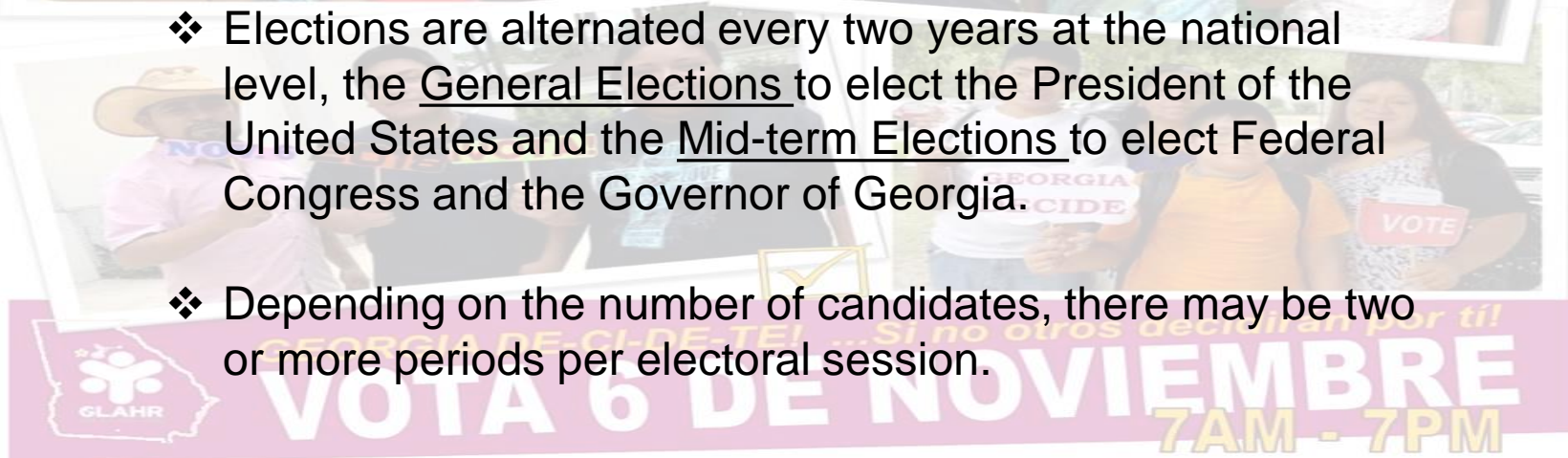
Elections-Voting





When are the Elections?

- ❖ The voting periods vary according to their type.
- ❖ Elections are alternated every two years at the national level, the General Elections to elect the President of the United States and the Mid-term Elections to elect Federal Congress and the Governor of Georgia.
- ❖ Depending on the number of candidates, there may be two or more periods per electoral session.



Types of Elections

- ❖ **Primary**
- ❖ **Mid-term (Intermediate)**
- ❖ **General (Presidential)**
- ❖ **Run-off**
- ❖ **Especial**





Primary Elections: They occur if there is more than one candidate per party.



**Republican
affiliate voter**



Georgia Voter



**Democrat affiliate
voter**



**Republican
Candidate**



Other Party



**Democrat
Candidate**



GEORGIA DE-CI-DE-TE! ...Si no otros decidirán por tí!

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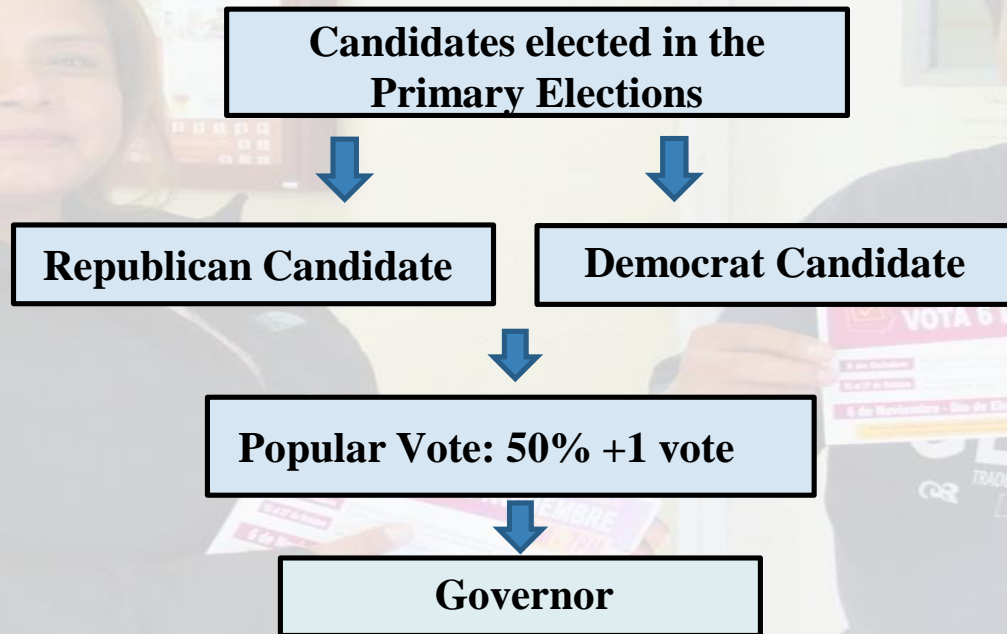


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Mid-term Elections



General Elections (Presidential)

Voters



Electoral College



President



Vice-President

Types of Elections

Intermediate (Mid-term):

- ❖ Voters elect or re-elect candidates for governor, senators and representatives of the federal congress and some local officials and among other possible positions.

Run-off:

- ❖ When the minimum number of votes (50% +1) is not reached by any candidate, a new tiebreaker election takes place among the candidates with the highest number of votes.

Especial:

- ❖ Voting period that take place when it is necessary to substitute an official who has been removed or resigned from his position and there is still a long period of time for the new election to take place.



Important Time Periods in an Election

Registration Deadline to participate in a election.

- ❖ The registration of new voters and actualization of registered voter data can occur at any time but before each election there is a deadline by which the voter must be registered to participate in an election.

Early Voting Period

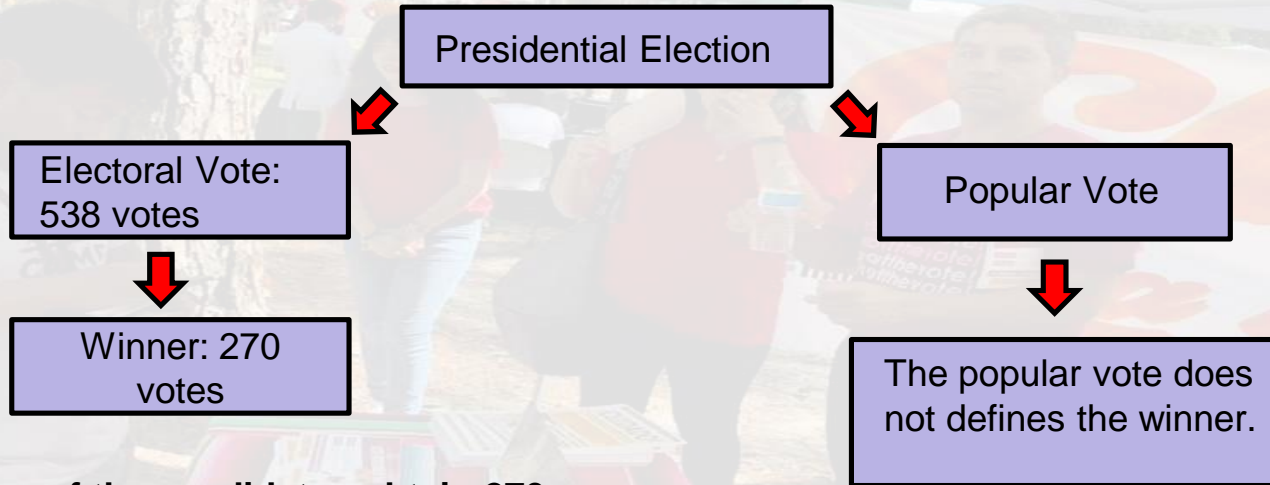
- ❖ Generally, they start 3 weeks before the day of the election with schedules from Monday to Friday and the last Saturday before the voting.
- ❖ You can exercise your vote in any open early voting booth depending on the county.

To obtain information on dates and places of early voting visit your local office:

- ❖ <http://elections.sos.ga.gov/Elections/countyelectionoffices.do>

The federal law establishes the following Tuesday of the first Monday of November as the day for the holding of Presidential elections.

How do you win a Presidential Election?



If neither of the candidates obtain 270 electoral votes, the President is elected by the representatives and the Vice-President is elected by the senators.

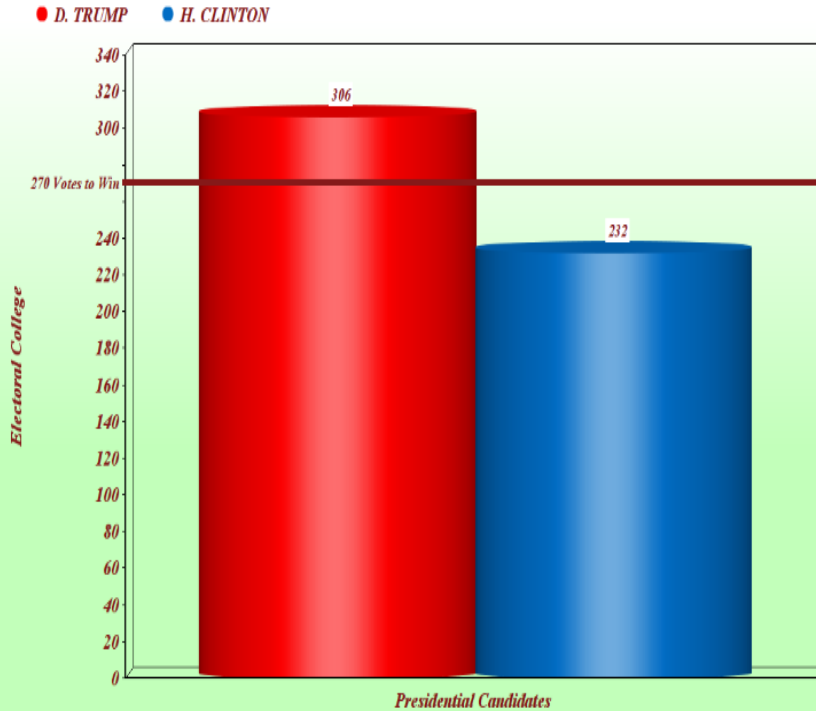
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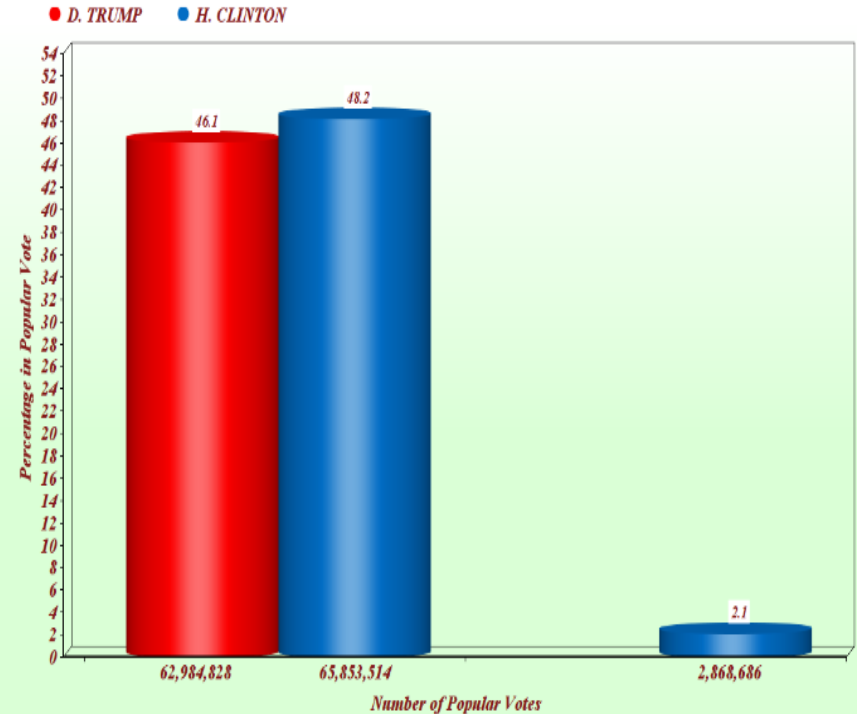
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2016 UNITED STATES PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION RESULTS



Data obtained from The Georgia Secretary of State

RESULTS OF THE POPULAR VOTE IN THE 2016 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION IN THE UNITED STATES



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How to Win a State Election

Camilla, Ga

