

GRETCHEN WHITMER GOVERNOR STATE OF MICHIGAN OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR LANSING

GARLIN GILCHRIST II LT. GOVERNOR

November 22, 2023

The Honorable Jocelyn Benson Department of State Lansing, Michigan 48918

Dear Secretary Benson,

Under section 13 of article 5 of the Michigan Constitution of 1963 and the Michigan Election Law, 1954 PA 116, MCL 168.178 and MCL 168.634, I issue this call for special primary elections and special elections for the 13th and 25th Districts of the Michigan House of Representatives. This election call is issued for the purpose of filling vacancies existing in the House of Representatives caused by the election of Representatives Lori Stone and Kevin Coleman as mayors of the cities of Warren and Westland, respectively.

The vacancies described above will be filled according to the following schedule:

4:00 p.m. on November 27, 2023	Last Date for Democratic and Republican Party candidates to file affidavits of identity and nominating petitions or filing fee – by 4:00 p.m.
January 30, 2024	Special Primary Election.
April 16, 2024	Special Election.

Please initiate the procedures required under Michigan law to accomplish this call for a special election. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

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Gretchen Whitmer Governor

cc: Macomb and Wayne County Clerks