

STAY INFORMED

- Campaign Updates contain important information. Please take time to review prior updates [here](#).
- Seattle Municipal Code and Commission Rules are posted on a single page for your reference:
 - [Rules and Procedures](#) - Scroll down to "Elections Code"

VIDEO VOTERS' GUIDE

On July 15, the Video Voters' Guide will go live on the [Seattle Channel](#).

DEBATE REQUIREMENT

DVP candidates agreed to attend three public debates ahead of the primary (and then three ahead of the general). Review the [Candidate Debate Reporting Form](#) to ensure you attend enough debates that meet the debate criteria.

The Democracy Voucher Program will send a reminder to complete this form shortly after the primary election day.

REQUESTING RELEASE FROM THE MCV OR CONTRIBUTION LIMIT

Under certain circumstances the law allows candidates to request to be released from their contribution limit and/or from their maximum campaign valuation.

See page 21 of the [Candidate Toolkit](#) for more information.

Requests for release are submitted by email to the DVP and must include information about oppositional campaign valuation and/or IE expenditure details. The request is reviewed by the Executive Director and may be submitted to the SEEC Commission for determination. The Executive Director and commissioners are very aware of the timeliness of their decision to grant/deny release.

SEATTLE VOTER FILE

The latest voter file is dated June 2026. Please review instructions on how to request the latest voter file here: [ReqKCEVoterFile.pdf \(seattle.gov\)](#)

REPORTING REQUIREMENT REMINDER

When reporting transportation expenditures, including modes such a personal vehicle, Uber, Lyft, or Lyme, be sure to log and report the actual miles, purpose of the trip, and expenditure.

UPCOMING DATES

June 19 - Office closed.

July 15 - Video Voters' Guide publishes.

July 3 - Office closed.

LANGUAGE ACCESS REMINDERS

Your Candidate Introduction (if provided) has been translated into 19 additional languages. They are available for you to use here: [Candidate Introductions - DemocracyVoucher | seattle.gov](https://www.seattle.gov/democracyparticipation/candidate-introductions)

We can provide your campaign with printed Resident Brochures and one-pagers in 20 languages. See the English example towards the bottom of this page: [English - DemocracyVoucher | seattle.gov](https://www.seattle.gov/democracyparticipation/english-example)

You are welcome to use the links provided on each language-specific webpage or contact our office for paper copies (large orders might not be accommodated quickly). [Language Resources - DemocracyVoucher | seattle.gov](https://www.seattle.gov/democracyparticipation/language-resources)

We also have stickers!

