



# Capitol Counsel & Consulting

## 2020 QUICK GUIDE

### *Session Dates*

Year	Start	Filing Deadline	End	Signing Deadline
2020	January 21	February 5	February 20	March 11
2021	January 19	February 18	March 20	April 9

### *Election Cycles – Section 1-1-3.1 NMSA 1978*

Year	Offices	Primary	General
2020	Presidential U.S. House U.S. Senate N.M. Legislature	January 1 – June 2 <u>Election is June 2, 2020</u>	June 3 – December 31 <u>Election is November 3, 2020</u>
2022	N.M. House N.M. Statewide U.S. House	January 1 – June 7	June 8 – December 31

### *Contribution Limitations – Section 1-19-34.7 NMSA 1978*

Office	Primary	General	Term Total
N.M. House	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$10,000
N.M. Senate	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$20,000
Lieutenant Governor Comm. Public Lands State Treasurer State Auditor Attorney General	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$20,000
Governor	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$40,000
Legis. Caucus Comm.	\$25,000	\$25,000	\$50,000

### *Political and Campaign Committee Reporting – Section 1-19-29 NMSA 1978*

2020 <i>Election Year</i>	April 13	May 11	May 28	July 2	Additional*
	September 14	October 12	October 29	January 7	
* Additional reports are due the Thursday before a primary, general, and statewide special election if additional contributions are made not yet reported					
* Additional reports are due within 24 hours of receipt if such contributions are made after 5:00 p.m. on the Tuesday before a primary, general, and statewide special election in excess of \$1,000 (non-statewide) or \$3,000 (statewide)					

### *Lobbyist Reporting Schedule – Section 2-11-6 NMSA 1978*

Year	First	Second*	Third
2020	January 15	May 6	October 7
* Additional reporting is required within 48 hours of expenditures in excess of \$500 made during the legislative session			