

REFERENDUM TIMELINE – NOVEMBER 4, 2008 ELECTION
(08-27-08)

November 4, 2008	County General Election
October 17, 2008	Early Voting Begins (ends 10-30-08)
September 22, 2008	Mail Military Ballots
September 18, 2008	Print Ballots
September 10, 2008	Formulate Referendum
September 5, 2008	Deadline to Submit Items to Election Commission for Ballot
September 3, 2008	Proposed Date to Deliver Ordinances to Election Commission
August 27, 2008	Proposed 3 rd Reading of Ordinances*
August 18, 2008	Joint Meeting of Ad Hoc Committee on charter Amendments and General Government Committee 2 nd Reading of Ordinances
August 13, 2008	1 st Reading of Ordinances (Special Called County Commission Meeting)
August 11, 2008	Joint Meeting of Ad Hoc Committee on Charter Amendments and General Governmental Committee Special Called County Commission Meeting
August 7, 2008	Election - Ordinance No. 361 approved by voters

* Two ordinances were approved for the November 4th ballot. The first ordinance, Ordinance 364, creates the county charter offices for the Shelby County Sheriff, Trustee, Register, County Clerk, and Assessor. The second ordinance, Ordinance 365, proposes to limit those officers to two consecutive four-year terms.