

Youth Activities and Academics Levy (YAAL) Referral Process





Resources

[County, City and District Referral Manual](#)

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[Local Referrals Calendar](#)

2026 Local Elections Calendar

 Measures	March 10	May 19	August 25	November 3
Last Day for County Elections Official to Publish → notice of district measure election	See ORS 255.085			
Last Day for County, City, or District Governing Body to File with Local Elections Official → ballot title for publication of notice or → referral text so a ballot title can be written	December 19, 2025	February 27	June 5	August 14
Last Day for Local Governing Body to File with County Elections Official → Form SEL 801 Notice of Measure Election - County  Form may only be filed upon completion of the ballot title challenge process.	January 8	March 19	June 25	September 3
→ Form SEL 802 Notice of Measure Election - City  Form may only be filed upon completion of the ballot title challenge process.	January 8	March 19	June 25	September 3
→ Form SEL 803 Notice of Measure Election – District  Form may not be filed until after the deadline for the immediately preceding election has passed and only upon completion of the ballot title challenge process.	January 8	March 19	June 25	September 3
Last Day to File with County Elections Official → arguments for inclusion in county voters' pamphlet	January 12	March 23	June 29	September 8



List of Forms

SEL 801

Notice of Measure Election – County

SEL 802

Notice of Measure Election – City

SEL 803

Notice of Measure Election – District

SEL 804

Withdrawal – Notice of Measure Election

SEL 805

Ballot Title Request – Preparation or Publication of Notice

YAAL Timeline for ASD School Board May 19, 2026 Elections

- January 22 Work Session
 - Review process and timeline for submitting a measure on the ballot
- February 12 Regular Board Meeting
 - Board makes a motion to authorize the Superintendent to prepare and submit form SEL 805 Request for Ballot Title for the YAAL for the May 19, 2026 elections
 - A ballot title is a concise and impartial statement that will be printed on the ballot summarizing the measure and its major effect.
 - Ballot titles follow the format outlined in the manual
- By February 27th (we will submit SEL 805 on Feb. 13 or Feb. 17)
 - District files form SEL 805 Ballot Title with Local Elections Official (Jackson County Clerk) and publish notice on district website for 7 days
 - During this time, any voter may challenge the ballot title in circuit court.
 - If a petition is filed, the circuit court conducts its review and renders its decision certifying a ballot title meeting the requirements of ORS 250.035. The review of the ballot title by the circuit court shall be the first and final review.
- February 26 Work Session
 - Board makes a motion to authorize the Superintendent to prepare and submit form SEL 803 Notice of Measure Election
 - SEL 803 includes an explanatory statement
 - An explanatory statement is an impartial, simple, and understandable statement explaining the measure (no more than 500 words)
 - After receiving a district referral, the county elections official assigns a measure number. Official then provides Notice of Measure Election to the Elections Division.
- By March 19
 - File SEL 803 with County Elections Official (Jackson County Clerk)
- March 23
 - Last day to file arguments (in favor or against) for inclusion in county voters' pamphlet with County Elections Official (County Clerk)
- Tuesday, May 19, 2026: Election Day