



Department of Legislative Services
General Assembly of Maryland
Dates of Interest
2025 Interim

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- June** 1 Other than emergency bills and as otherwise provided, earliest date for 2025 enacted bills to take effect
- July** 1 Effective date for budgetary, tax, and revenue bills
- August** 4-6 National Conference of State Legislatures (*Boston, Massachusetts*)
- 17-20 Council of State Governments, Eastern Regional Conference (*Providence, Rhode Island*)
- 29 Deadline for executive agency submission of FY 2027 budgets
- September** 2 Deadline for executive agency submission of departmental legislation to Governor
- October** 1 Customary date for 2025 enacted bills to take effect
- 20 Report due from the Capital Debt Affordability Committee
- November** 1 Statutory deadline for members of the General Assembly to request drafting of prefiled bills
- 20 Statutory deadline for members of the General Assembly to approve drafted bills for prefile introduction
- December** 20 Report due from the Spending Affordability Committee
- TBA Board of Revenue Estimates' forecast of State revenues for FY 2026 and 2027 (generally mid-December)
- TBA Compilation of Legislative Committee Reports on Interim Activities to be submitted to the Legislative Policy Committee and the General Assembly
- January 2026** 14 First day of the 2026 session of the General Assembly (Wednesday)
(Monday, April 13, is the last day of the 2026 90-day legislative session)

HOLIDAYS AND OTHER OBSERVANCES

- June** 19 Juneteenth*
- July** 4 Independence Day*
- September** 1 Labor Day* Defenders' Day
- 12 Day
- October** 1-2 Yom Kippur
- 13 Indigenous People's Day (Columbus Day)
- 22-24 Rosh Hashanah
- November** 11 Veterans' Day*
- 27 Thanksgiving Day*
- 28 American Indian Heritage Day*
- December** 14 First day of Hanukkah
- 22 Last Day of Hanukkah
- 25 Christmas Day*

*State Holiday

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