

DEADLINE SCHEDULE FOR THE 2012 COLORADO GENERAL ASSEMBLY

December 1, 2011 (Thursday)	Initial deadline for members to request bills. In accordance with Joint Rule 24 (b) (1) (A) members may not introduce more than five bills. Of the five bills, excluding appropriations and interim bills described in Joint Rule 24 (b) (1) (D), not more than two bills may be requested after December 1.
January 6, 2012 (Friday)	Deadline for filing one of each member's three bills requested prior to December 1 pursuant to Joint Rule 24 (b) (1) (A) with the house of introduction for printing, distribution to Legislative Council Staff for preparation of fiscal notes, and introduction on the 1st day.
January 11, 2012 (Wednesday)	1st Day General Assembly convenes. Deadline for the introduction of the bills required to be filed 5 days prior to the 1st day. Deadline for introduction of any bills to increase the number of judges.
January 13, 2012 (Friday)	3rd Day Deadline for introduction of the two remaining Senate bills requested prior to December 1 pursuant to Joint Rule 23 (a) (2) and Joint Rule 24 (b) (1) (A).
January 16, 2012 (Monday)	6th Day Deadline for introduction of the two remaining House bills requested prior to December 1 pursuant Joint Rule 23 (a) (2) and Joint Rule 24 (b) (1) (A). Deadline for all remaining bill draft requests to the Office of Legislative Legal Services.
January 27, 2012 (Friday)	17th Day Final deadline for introduction of Senate bills, except the long appropriation bill.
February 1, 2012 (Wednesday)	22nd Day Final deadline for introduction of House bills, except the long appropriation bill.
February 9, 2012 (Thursday)	30th Day Deadline for House committees of reference, other than the House Appropriations Committee and the Legislative Council, to report House bills introduced on or before the 6th legislative day.
February 16, 2012 (Thursday)	37th Day Deadline for Senate committees of reference, other than the Senate Appropriations Committee and the Legislative Council, to report Senate bills.
February 23, 2012 (Thursday)	44th Day Deadline for House committees of reference, other than the House Appropriations Committee and the Legislative Council, to report remaining House bills.
February 29, 2012 (Wednesday)	50th Day Deadline for final passage of Senate bills in the Senate.* Deadline for final passage of House bills in the House.*
March 9, 2012 (Friday)	59th Day Deadline for final passage of any bill that increases the number of judges.
March 20, 2012 (Tuesday)	70th Day Deadline to request resolutions creating interim studies.
March 23, 2012 (Friday)	73rd Day Deadline for committees of reference, other than Appropriations Committees and the Legislative Council, to report bills originating in the other house. Deadline to introduce resolutions creating interim committees.
March 26, 2012 (Monday)	76th Day Deadline for introduction of the Long Bill in the House .

March 30, 2012 (Friday)	80th Day	Deadline for final passage of the Long Bill in the House .
April 2, 2012 (Monday)	83rd Day	Deadline for final passage in the Senate of House bills.*
April 6, 2012 (Friday)	87th Day	Deadline for final passage of the Long Bill in the Senate . Deadline for committees of reference in house of introduction to report bills and resolutions to the Legislative Council.
April 9, 2012 (Monday)	90th Day	Deadline for final passage in the House of all Senate bills.*
April 12, 2012 (Thursday)	93rd Day	Deadline for the Legislative Council to report bills and resolutions in house of introduction.
April 13, 2012 (Friday)	94th Day	Deadline for adoption of the conference committee report on the Long Bill. Deadline for Appropriations Committee in house of introduction to report bills referred to Appropriations Committee.
April 16, 2012 (Monday)	97th Day	Deadline to request resolutions that do not create interim studies and are subject to the introduction deadline on the 100th day.
April 19, 2012 (Thursday)	100th Day	Deadline to introduce resolutions that do not create interim studies unless otherwise authorized in Joint Rule 23 (g) and deadline to introduce bills unless otherwise authorized in Joint Rule 23 (h).
April 20, 2012 (Friday)	101st Day	Deadline for final passage in house of introduction of all bills referred to the Appropriations Committee or the Legislative Council in that house. Deadline for final passage, including any conference committee report, for any bill prescribing all or a substantial portion of the total funding for public schools pursuant to the "Public School Finance Act of 1994", Article 54 of Title 22, Colorado Revised Statutes.
April 26, 2012 (Thursday)	107th Day	Deadline for committees of reference in second house to report bills referred to the Appropriations Committee or the Legislative Council in that house.
April 30, 2012 (Monday)	111th Day	Deadline for Appropriations Committee in second house to report bills referred to Appropriations Committee.
May 3, 2012 (Thursday)	114th Day	Deadline for final passage in second house of all bills referred to Appropriations Committee in that house.
May 7, 2012 (Monday)	118th Day	If there has been adjournment to a day certain, reconvene for adjournment sine die unless the joint resolution for adjournment to a day certain specifies another day for reconvening.
May 9, 2012 (Wednesday)	120th Day	Deadline for adjournment sine die.

* All bills in the Appropriations Committee or the Legislative Council acting as a committee of reference in either house on the day of the asterisked final passage deadline are excluded from the final passage deadline and from other deadlines specified in this Joint Rule until the deadlines for passing bills in the Appropriations Committee or passing bills or resolutions in the Legislative Council.