EU ELECTIONS: WHAT’S COMING NEXT

June
Elected candidates negotiate to form political groups for the upcoming Parliament’s 9th term.

20-21 June
European Council Summit.

24 June
Political groups notify their composition.

1 July
End of Parliament’s 8th term.

2 July
Inaugural plenary session of the newly-elected Parliament.
On 2 July, Parliament’s 9th term will start and MEPs will meet for its constituent session in Strasbourg. MEPs will elect the President, the 14 Vice-Presidents and the five Quaestors of the House and decide on the number and composition of Parliament’s standing committees.

July II plenary session*
First opportunity for the Parliament to elect European Commission President.

September and October*
Hearings of Commissioners-designate in Parliamentary committees.

October II plenary session*
New Commission is elected, new Commission President gives inaugural speech.

*based in the timeline at the start of the 8th term

Source: European Parliament