



2022 Candidate Filing Process

Issuing Candidate Documents

Election officials will issue candidate documents in person. Candidates are strongly encouraged to call 209-862-3725, Option 5 to make an appointment for candidate filing. Candidates will be required to follow any local and state Covid-19 protocols in place when filing.

Receipt of Candidate Documents and Filing Deadlines

In order to be a qualified candidate for the office in which they seek, **the completed required documents with original signatures must be received by the elections official before the close of the nomination period for that particular office.**

The candidate must submit those original documents to the office of the City Clerk (elections official). Candidates are strongly encouraged to call 209-862-3725, Option 5 to make an appointment for candidate filing. Candidates will be required to follow any local and state Covid-19 protocols in place when filing.

Reminder to Candidates

Any candidate who fails to timely submit the candidate documents with original signatures before the close of the nomination period will not be included on the ballot for that office.