



2024 Election Qualifying Information

The 2024 qualifying period begins at **12:00 pm** on Monday June 3rd and ends at **12:00 pm** on Friday June 7th.

Items 1 - 5 must be submitted during the qualifying period.

1. Form DS-DE 9 (Appoint Campaign Treasurer and Designate Campaign Depository) – This is the first form that must be filed with the City Clerk BEFORE opening a campaign account.
2. Affidavit of Residency – To be notarized by the City Clerk upon submitting the qualifying paperwork.
3. Proof of voter registration in the City of Wauchula
4. Fees to be paid during qualifying period from your campaign account made payable to City of Wauchula:
 - a. State Election Assessment Fee \$60 (FSS 99.093)
 - b. City of Wauchula Qualifying fee \$10 (Code of Ordinances Section 2.22)
5. Form 6 (Financial Disclosure) – This form must be completed online with the Commission on Ethics. Instructions are provided. Candidates must submit either a printed copy of the disclosure or verification of filing to the City Clerk by the end of the qualifying period.
6. Form DS-DE 84 (Statement of Candidate) – This form must be filed within 10 days of filing Form DS-DE 9.

7. Campaign Treasurer Reports – To be submitted according to the schedule of reporting dates set by the Supervisor of Elections office (included).
- Form DS-DE 12 (Campaign Treasurer’s Report Summary)
 - Form DS-DE 13 (Campaign Treasurer’s Report – Itemized Contributions)
 - Form DS-DE 14 (Campaign Treasurer’s Report – Itemized Expenditures)
 - Form DS-DE 87 (Waiver of Report)

Other informational resources provided:

- Candidate and Campaign Treasurer Handbook 2024
- The Florida Election Code 2023
- City of Wauchula Code (Article III. – Elections)
- Ordinance 2024-05 Election Qualifying Dates
- City of Wauchula Charter (Article V. – Elections)
- Map of District Boundaries
- Political Sign Regulations

All paperwork shall be completed and submitted in person, in hardcopy format to the City Clerk. Any questions shall be directed to: **Stephanie Camacho, City Clerk**

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