FAYETTE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS



TIMELINE and CANDIDATE FILINGS

TIMELINE- PRIMARY ELECTION

QUALIFYING FOR OFFICE:

MONDAY, MARCH 5 AT 9:00 A.M. THROUGH FRIDAY, MARCH 9 AT NOON.

LAST DAY TO REGISTER TO VOTE:

APRIL 24, 2018 IS THE LAST DAY TO REGISTER AND BE ABLE TO VOTE IN THE GENERAL PRIMARY / NON-PARTISAN / SPECIAL ELECTION AND RUNOFF.

ADVANCED IN-PERSON VOTING (EARLY VOTING):

ADVANCED IN-PERSON VOTING (EARLY VOTING) BEGINS ON MONDAY, APRIL 30 AND ENDS ON FRIDAY, MAY 18. SATURDAY VOTING WILL OCCUR ON MAY 12 FROM 9:00 A.M. UNTIL 4:00 P.M.

PRIMARY ELECTION DAY:

TUESDAY, MAY 22 FROM 7:00 p.m. UNTIL 7:00 p.m.

TIMELINE- RUNOFF ELECTION

LAST DAY TO REGISTER TO VOTE:

JUNE 25 IS THE LAST DAY TO REGISTER TO VOTE FOR THE RUNOFF ELECTION.

NOTE: IF A PERSON REGISTERS TO VOTE AFTER APRIL 24 BUT ON OR BEFORE JUNE 25 THEY CAN ONLY VOTE IN THE RUNOFF FOR A FEDERAL CANDIDATE ONLY.

ADVANCED IN-PERSON VOTING (EARLY VOTING):

ADVANCED IN-PERSON VOTING (EARLY VOTING) BEGINS ON MONDAY, JULY 2 AND ENDS ON FRIDAY, JULY 20. NO SATURDAY VOTING WILL BE HELD FOR THIS RUNOFF ELECTION.

PRIMARY RUNOFF ELECTION DAY:

TUESDAY, JULY 24 FROM 7:00 A.M. UNTIL 7:00 P.M.

TIMELINE- GENERAL ELECTION

LAST DAY TO REGISTER TO VOTE:

OCTOBER 9 IS THE LAST DAY TO REGISTER TO VOTE FOR THE RUNOFF ELECTION.

ADVANCED IN-PERSON VOTING (EARLY VOTING):

ADVANCED IN-PERSON VOTING (EARLY VOTING) BEGINS ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 15 AND ENDS ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2. SATURDAY VOTING IS ON OCTOBER 27 FROM 9:00 A.M. UNTIL 4:00 P.M.

GENERAL ELECTION DAY:

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6 FROM 7:00 A.M. UNTIL 7:00 P.M.

TIMELINE- GENERAL ELECTION RUNOFF

STATE AND LOCAL ADVANCED IN-PERSON VOTING (EARLY VOTING):

BEGINS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

STATE AND LOCAL GENERAL ELECTION DAY:

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4 FROM 7:00 A.M. UNTIL 7:00 P.M.

FEDERAL ADVANCED IN-PERSON VOTING (EARLY ELECTION):

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17 THROUGH FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, 2019.

FEDERAL GENERAL ELECTION RUNOFF

TUESDAY, JANUARY 8, 2019 FROM 7:00 A.M. UNTIL 7:00 P.M.



FEDERAL OFFICES FOR ELECTION IN 2018:

UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENATIVES- DISTRICT 3

UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES- DISTRICT 13



STATE OFFICES FOR ELECTION IN 2018:

GOVERNOR

LT. GOVERNOR

SECRETARY OF STATE

ATTORNEY GENERAL

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE

COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE

STATE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

COMMISSIONER OF LABOR

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER- DISTRICT 3

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER- DISTRICT 5

STATE SENATE- DISTRICT 16

STATE SENATE- DISTRICT 34

STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES- DISTRICT 63

STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES- DISTRICT 64

STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES- DISTRICT 71

STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES- DISTRICT 72

STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES- DISTRICT 73

JUDGE OF SUPERIOR COURT

SUPREME COURT JUSTICES- FIVE POSITIONS

COURT OF APPEALS JUDGES- FIVE POSITIONS





Citizens who desire to run for federal or state offices must qualify with the Secretary of State.

ELECTIONS DIVISION
SUITE 802, WEST TOWER
2 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive SE
Atlanta, Georgia 30334
(404) 656-2871
www.sos.ga.gov

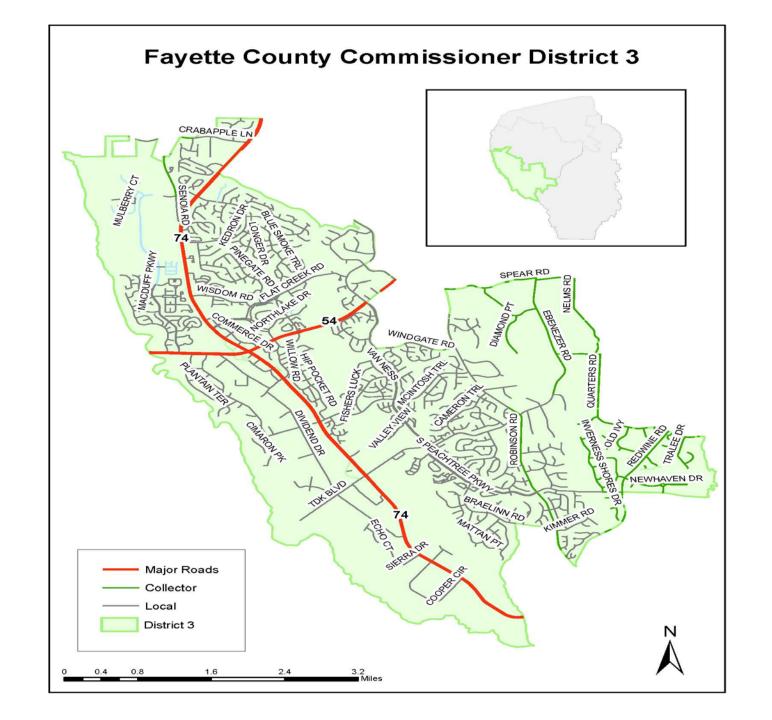
Qualifying Packet available at: http://sos.ga.gov/admin/uploads/2018 Qualifying Packet9.pdf

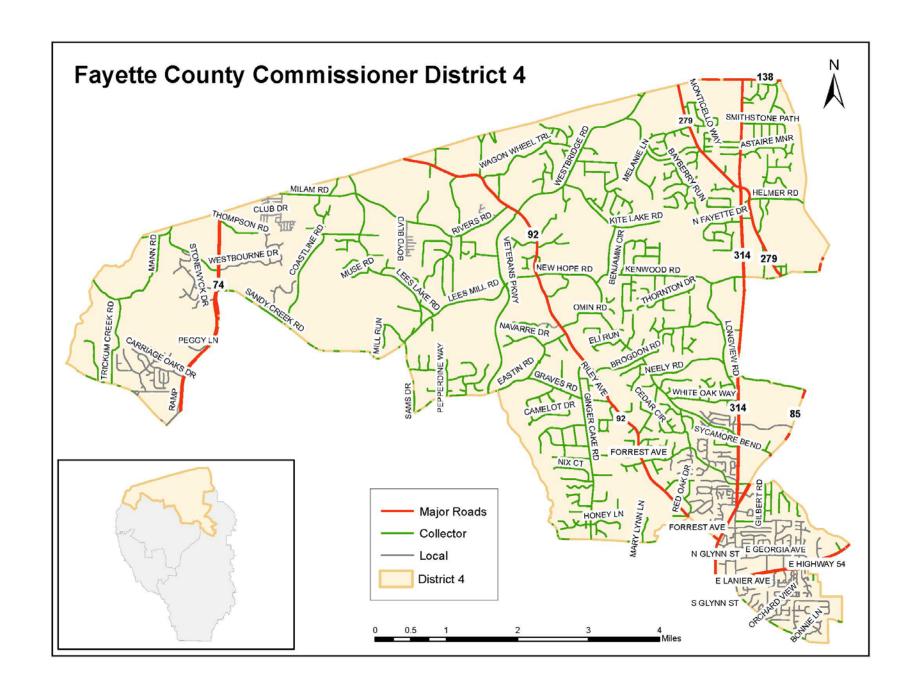
FAYETTE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



QUALIFICATIONS

Any person to be eligible to serve as a member of the board must be at least twenty-five (25) years of age on the date of the election; must have resided in Fayette County at least two years immediately preceding the date of the election; must be a resident of the road district from which he offers for election; and must be qualified and registered to vote for members of the General Assembly.



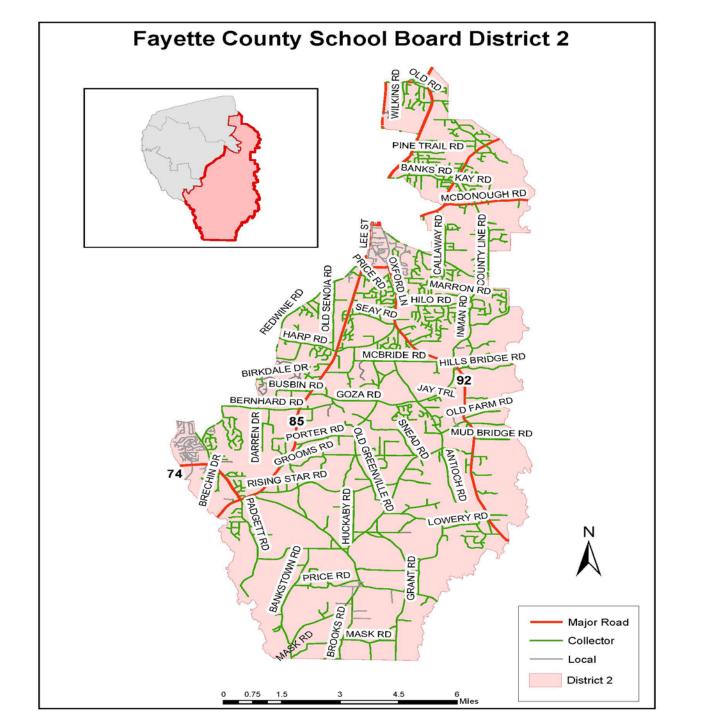


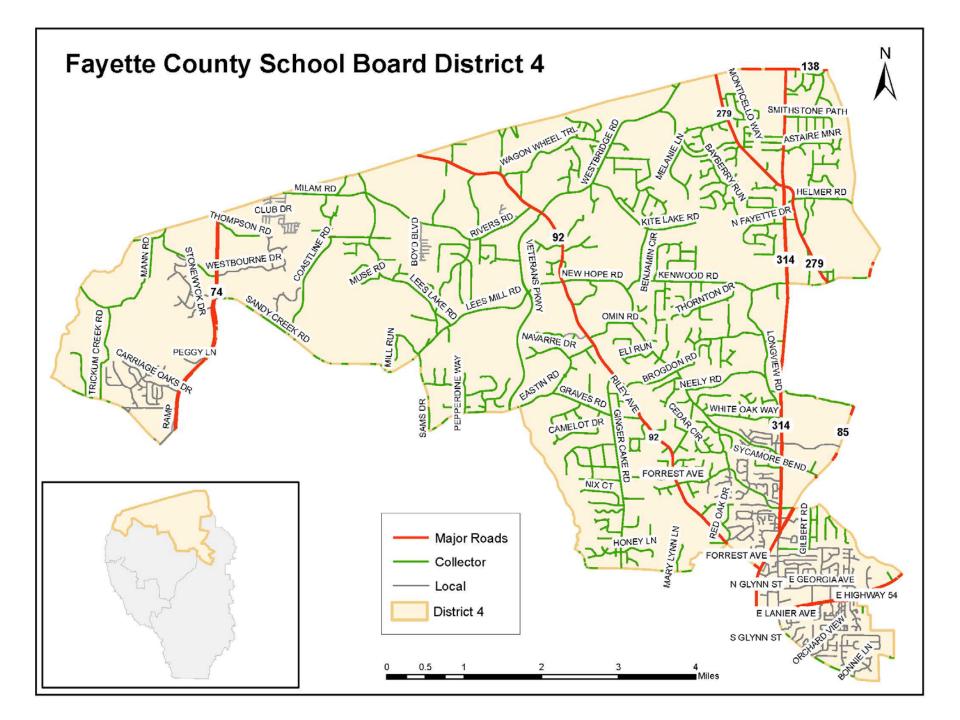
FAYETTE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION



A candidate must be 21 years old or older, a citizen of Georgia, a resident of Fayette County for at least 12 months and reside within the district for which they are running, not a Fayette County School System employee or Georgia Department of Education employee, not the holder of another county office, and not disqualified by the constitution or laws of the state from holding public office.

Board of Education information, including its Code of Ethics, is located at the following website: https://simbli.eboardsolutions.com/SB_ePolicy/SB_PolicyOverview.aspx?S=4067





THOSE RUNNING FOR THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OFFICES AND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OFFICES MUST QUALIFY THROUGH THEIR LOCAL POLITICAL PARTY

Fayette County Democratic Committee: http://www.fayettedems.org

Fayette County Republican Party: https://myfayettegop.org

QUALIFYING FEES:

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, DISTRICT 3	\$625.01
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, DISTRICT 4	\$625.01
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BOARD OF EDUCATION, DISTRICT 2	\$306.00
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BOARD OF EDUCATION, DISTRICT 4	\$306.00

THOSE RUNNING FOR THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OFFICES AND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OFFICES MUST SUBMIT A DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY AND AFFIDAVIT

Executive Committee of the	County/Municipality
Party of State of Georgia	County/trialitopality
DECLARATION OF	CANDIDACY AND AFFIDAVIT
	NTY/MUNICIPALITY)
I, the undersigned, being first duly sworn on oath, do depos	se and say: my name is
my residence address is(Street Number)	(Street)
(City) (County)	(State) (Zip Code)
my post office address is	
my telephone number is(Business)	(Home)
my profession, business, occupation (if any) is	
the name of my precinct is	
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I am seeking is(Circuit, District, or Post if Applicable)	; my date of birth is;
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THOSE RUNNING FOR THE BOARD OF EDUCATION MUST ALSO SUBMIT AN AFFIDAVIT FOR LOCAL BOARD OF EDUCATION

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	for Local Boards of Education. This affidavit is to be filed with erson has qualified to seek said office prior to or at the time of . § 20-2-51(e).
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I hereby affirm that I meet the fo	ollowing qualifications for said office:
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FAYETTE COUNTY STATE COURT JUDGE

Qualifications: The judge of the State Court of Fayette County shall have been a resident of the State of Georgia for three years, next preceding the beginning of said judge's term of office; the judge shall also have been a resident of Fayette County for one year, next preceding the beginning of said judge's term of office. A qualified candidate shall not be less than 25 years of age at the commencement of his or her term of office, shall have been admitted to the practice of law for at least five years, and shall be a member in good standing of the State Board of Georgia. The judge of the State Court of Fayette County shall be a full-time judge and shall not engage in private practice of law.

Ref: Fayette County- State Court, Creation No. 1129 (HB 1668), 1994

THOSE RUNNING FOR THE OFFICE OF STATE COURT JUDGE MUST QUALIFY AT THE LOCAL ELECTIONS OFFICE DURING QUALIFYING HOURS

FAYETTE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS
STONEWALL ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLEX
140 STONEWALL AVENUE WEST, SUITE 208
FAYETTEVILLE, GEORGIA 30214
PHONE: (770) 305-5408



QUALIFYING FEE:

State Court Judge

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THOSE RUNNING FOR THE OFFICE OF STATE COURT JUDGE MUST COMPLETE A

NOTICE OF CANDIDACY AND AFFIDAVIT

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GEORGIA SOIL and WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION



QUALIFICATIONS

Any person seeking nomination to be elected as district supervisor shall be a qualified voter in the county in which he/she is seeking nomination and shall provide to the applicable Election Superintendent, as agent for the Commission, a petition containing the names of not less than twenty-five (25) qualified electors. Such petition must be physically received by the applicable Election Supervisor in his/her office by the deadline for the general election qualifying period.

https://gaswcc.georgia.gov/sites/gaswcc.georgia.gov/files/Chapter%20600-9%20as%20amended.pdf

GEORGIA SOIL and WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR



This is a State Office.

Fayette County is in the Towaliga Soil and Water Conversation District.

District Supervisors serve as unpaid state officials who represent their counties in support of soil and water conservation activities.

Must qualify at the local Board of Elections Office.

There is No Qualifying Fee for this Office.

This is a Nonpartisan Office. It will <u>NOT</u> appear on the Primary Ballot but will appear on the General Election Ballot on November 6.

A Nominating Petition must be provided to the Elections Supervisor during qualifying in March. The petition must have at least twenty-five (25) signatures of qualified county electors.

GEORGIA SOIL and WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOMINATING PETITION OF THE DISTRICT SUPERVISOR

NOMINATING PETITION FOR CANDIDATE FOR THE OFFICE OF DISTRICT SUPERVISOR OFSOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT				
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OTHER DOCUMENTS AND FILINGS FOR THE GEORGIA GOVERNMENT TRANSPARENCY AND CAMPAIGN FINANCE COMMISSION

Declaration of Intention to Accept Campaign Contributions:

- Must be filed <u>PRIOR</u> to accepting contributions.
- A candidate's personal funds expended for their campaign, except for payment of a qualifying fee, are considered campaign contributions.
- A new form must be filed if there is a break in office or if accepting contributions for a different office.
- County and municipal candidates file this form with their local filing officer. All other candidates file with the Georgia Government Transparency & Campaign Commission.

Registration Form for a Campaign Committee:

- This form registers a candidate's campaign committee.
- A committee is required only if a candidate designates someone to file reports, accept money, or expend money on behalf of the campaign.
- A Chairperson <u>and</u> Treasurer are required for a committee; however, they can be the same person and can be the candidate. If either position is vacant, the committee cannot accept contributions.
- The committee registration will remain in effect until the registration is cancelled by the committee or the candidate.
- Filed with the Georgia Government Transparency & Campaign Finance Commission.

Choosing the Option of Separate Accounting:

- Permits candidates to accept contributions for multiple elections within an election cycle. Thus, a candidate may accept contributions for the general election cycle even if the primary election has not occurred.
- A candidate must designate what election the contribution is accepted for on the applicable Campaign Contribution Disclosure Report (CCDR).
- Contributions received for a future election cannot be expended until the current election has occurred.
- If a candidate does not qualify or participate in a future election in an election cycle, the contributions received for the future election must be returned to contributors pro-rata.
- Filed with the Georgia Government Transparency and Campaign Finance Commission.

Campaign Contribution Disclosure Report:

- A CCDR is a report filed by a candidate or campaign committee that discloses all contributions received and expenditures made during a reporting period.
- Six reports are due in an election year and two reports are due in a nonelection year. The filing schedule is located at O.C.G.A. § 21-5-34(c).
- \$125.00 late fee is assessed when a report is filed late. However, there is a seven-day grace period.
- Local candidates may be exempt from filing CCDRs if they file an Affidavit of Exemption and meet certain criteria.
- Candidates for any state or state-wide office must file electronically with the Commission and candidates for county and municipal offices file with their local filing officer.

Final Report and Termination Statement:

- A Final Report and Termination Statement is submitted with the campaign's final Campaign Contribution Disclosure Report.
- The Statement must identify the termination date as well as the person responsible for maintaining campaign records as required by the Act.
- To qualify to file a Final Report and Termination Statement, the filer must have a zero net balance, zero debt, and not be seeking or holding the office.
- Candidates for any state or state-wide office must file electronically with the Commission and candidates for county and municipal offices file with their local filing officer.

Personal Financial Disclosure Statement:

- A Personal Financial Disclosure Statement is filed by a candidate or public official in which the filer discloses information about financial activity for the preceding calendar year.
- A statement must be filed each year, even if information does not change.
- If running for a state-wide position additional information is required to be reported.
- No grace period and a \$125.00 late fee is assessed when a statement is filed after the due date.
- Candidates for any state or state-wide office must file electronically with the Commission and candidates for county and municipal offices file with their local filing officer.
- Those holding the office of Georgia Soil and Water Conservation Commission
 District Supervisor need only file the Personal Financial Disclosure
 Statement per the filing schedule, and they file directly with the State.

Two Day Business Report:

- A Two Day Business Report is a report used to report individual contributions
 (including loans) of \$1,000.00 or more, received between the date of the
 last Campaign Contribution Disclosure Report (CCDR) due prior to the date
 the election for which the candidate has qualified and the date of such
 election.
- These contributions must be reported within two business days of receipt.
- This contribution must also be reported on the next scheduled CCDR.
- Candidates for any state or state-wide office must file electronically with the
 Commission and candidates for county and municipal offices filed with their
 local filing officer.
- No grace period and a \$125.00 late fee is assessed when a statement is filed after the due date.

Electronic Filing Access Code Application:

- Used for identification purposes for local and state candidates.
- Filed with the Georgia Government Transparency and Campaign Finance Commission.

Filing Schedule:

 The State's Filing Schedule, which provides guidance on when documents must be filed, can be located at the following website:

http://ethics.ga.gov/file-schedule/

PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL GEORGIA GOVERNMENT TRANSPARENCY & CAMPAIGN FINANCE COMMISSION FORMS, STATEMENTS, and REPORTS CAN BE LOCATED AT THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE:

http://ethics.ga.gov/formsreportspublications/

QUESTIONS?

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Facebook: Fayette County Elections and Voter Registration

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