

May 17, 2022 Primary Election Candidate Quick Notes

- ❖ **County Candidate Filing Deadlines:** Sept. 9, 2021 - March 8, 2022 at 5 pm
 - Election Filing Officer – Coos County Clerk
- ❖ **Filing Forms required to be filed with County Election Officer for County Positions**
 - Filing by “Declaration”
 - ✓ **SEL 101 Candidate Filing** – Major Political Party or Nonpartisan
 - * Under Filing Method, mark “Fee”
 - * Filing Fee \$50.00
 - Filing by “Prospective” Petition
 - ✓ **SEL 101 Candidate Filing** – Major Political Party or Nonpartisan
 - * Under Filing Method, mark “Prospective Petition, in lieu of filing fee”
 - ✓ **SEL 121 Candidate Signature Sheet** - Nonpartisan
 - * Signatures required, min. 288
 - 1% of votes cast where Governor was elected to a full term
 - * Petition must be approved in writing by the County Clerk before gathering any signatures
 - ✓ **SEL 338 Petition Submission**
 - **Withdrawal of Filing**
 - ✓ **SEL 150 Withdrawal of Candidacy or Nomination**
 - ✓ Deadline to withdraw is March 11, 2022

Reference the following manuals for further instructions:

- **County, City and District Candidate Manual**
- **Circulator Training Manual**

- ❖ **Filing Forms required to be filed with the Secretary of State for State Voters’ Pamphlet. Reference the following manuals for further instructions:**
 - **State Voters’ Pamphlet Manual**
 - **Voters’ Pamphlet Filing Quick Guide**
 - **ORESTAR User Manual: Voters’ Pamphlet Filing**
 - **Deadline Jan. 17, 2022 - March 10, 2022 at 5 pm**
- ❖ **Filing Forms required to be filed with the Secretary of State for the purpose of Campaign Finance Reporting. Reference the following manuals for further instructions:**
 - **Campaign Finance Manual**
 - **Transaction Filing in ORESTAR Quick Guide**
 - **Candidate “Quick Guide” on Campaign Finance Reporting**
 - **ORESTAR User’s Manual: Transaction Filing**
 - **ORESTAR User’s Manual: Statement of Organization**

“County Commissioner” – 4-year terms

Candidate(s) will be printed on the Primary Election Ballot.

- If a candidate receives a majority of votes cast for the office, that candidate is elected at the Primary Election.
- If no candidate receives a majority of votes cast for the office, the two candidates who receive the highest number of votes are nominated and their names will be printed on the General Election ballot.

“County Sheriff” or “County Clerk” Position – 4-year terms

If only 1 or 2 candidate(s) file for the office at the Primary they are both considered nominated and go forward to the General Election and their name(s) will be printed on the **General Election ballot only**. The candidate(s) name(s) **will not** appear on the Primary Election ballot. ORS 249.091 (County Clerk, Sheriff, County Treasurer positions only)

If three (3) or more candidates file for the office at the Primary, their names **will be** printed on the Primary Election Ballot.

- If **one** (1) candidate receives the **majority of votes** that candidate is then “nominated” and his/her name will be printed on the General Election ballot.
- If **no** candidate receives the **majority of votes**, the top two (2) candidates who received the most votes will go forward to the General Election and their names will be printed on the General Election ballot.