

2020 ELECTION — Candidate Information

IMPORTANT ELECTION DATES

FOUNTAIN HILLS TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE

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03/09/20-04/06/20

File required paperwork (see below)

07/06/20

Last day to register to vote in **Primary Election**

08/04/20

★PRIMARY ELECTION★

10/05/20

Last day to register to vote in General Election

11/03/20

★GENERAL ELECTION★

CANDIDATE PACKET — What Does It Contain?

This <u>Candidate Election Packet</u> for the 2020 Election includes the following:

- → Candidate Information Sheet
- ✓ Statement of Interest



This is a new requirement and MUST BE FILED PRIOR TO COLLECTING PETITION SIGNATURES

- ✓ Statement of Organization
- → Nonpartisan Candidate Petition SAMPLE
- → Nonpartisan Nomination Paper Declaration of Qualification
- ✓ Campaign Finance Report SAMPLE
- → Campaign Finance Reports Handbook of Instructions
- ✓ Financial Disclosure Statement
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FILING YOUR PAPERS

You must file the following documents with the Town Clerk's Office between 03/09/20 and 04/06/20:

- Nonpartisan Nomination Petitions signed by at least 216 and no more than 431 registered voters of Fountain Hills
- ✓ Financial Disclosure Statement

General questions may be directed to the individual above.

WEB LINKS

FOUNTAIN HILLS ELECTIONS

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FORMS

Information for Candidates

Title 16—Elections

Campaign Finance Forms

CANDIDATE CAMPAIGN FINANCE

TO BEGIN THE PROCESS

- ★ **IF** you plan to receive or expend, *in any combination*, **more than \$500** during the election cycle, you must **fi**le a Statement of Organization. The election cycle is 01/01/2019 through 12/31/2020.
- ★ Be sure to maintain all records because **IF** you go over the **\$500** limit during the election cycle, you must file a Statement of Organization within 10 days.

Campaign Finance Reports will be due periodically, as indicated on the Campaign Finance Cover Sheet. While the Town Clerk's Office may send a reminder to the e-mail listed on the Statement of Organization, it is the responsibility of the candidate to ensure reports are filed timely.



REPORT	REPORT	PERIOD	REPORT DUE
2019 ANNUAL	01/01/19 to	12/31/19	01/01/20 to 01/15/20
2020 1ST QUARTER	01/01/20 to	03/31/20	04/01/20 to 04/15/20
2020 PRE-SPECIAL	04/01/20 to	05/02/20	05/03/20 to 05/11/20*
2020 POST-SPECIAL (2Q)	05/03/20 to	06/30/20	07/01/20 to 07/15/20
2020 PRE-PRIMARY	07/01/20 to	07/18/20	07/19/20 to 07/27/20*
2020 POST-PRIMARY (3Q)	07/19/20 to	09/30/20	10/01/20 to 10/15/20
2020 PRE-GENERAL	10/01/20 to	10/17/20	10/18/20 to 10/26/20*
2020 POST-GENERAL (4Q)	10/18/20 to	12/31/20	01/01/21 to 01/15/21
*Extended due to weekend			