

COUNTY CLERK

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Fall Partisan Candidates,

It's time to get ready for the **August 13**, **2024 Partisan Primary** and **November 5**, **2024 General Election**! Nomination papers for Partisan County Candidates may not be circulated before April 15, 2024.

Please review the information in this packet as there have been a few changes from previous years.

Use only updated forms for filing your candidate documents. A blank copy of each form has been included in this packet. You may visit the Wisconsin Elections Commission and Wisconsin Ethics Commission websites for their respective form fill documents.

Be consistent with the name you use on each of the filing documents. Refer to the included examples.

All candidates must complete a CF-1 Local Candidate Campaign Finance Registration Statement and have it on file with the County Clerk before campaign funds are collected or spent (including the use of their own money) and prior to submitting nomination papers. This can be filed any time prior to the deadline.

<u>New candidates</u> must file a **Registration Statement** (CF-1) before campaign funds are collected or spent and before submitting nomination papers.

<u>Continuing candidates</u> must amend their current registration, indicating the office sought and the new election date before funds are collected or spent and before submitting nomination papers.

Candidates are responsible for their own reports and to follow the Campaign Finance Report Schedule included in this packet. The County Clerk is the filing officer, but staff cannot assist in completion of the reports.

Candidates may file their campaign documents at any time. The last day to file all required campaign documents is no later than 5:00 p.m., Monday, June 3, 2024, with the County Clerk.

Included in this packet you will find:

- Campaign Finance Checklist for 2024 Partisan County Candidates
- Campaign Finance Overview Local Candidates Manual (Rev. 2023)
- (Blank) Campaign Finance Registration Statement CF-1 Local Candidates (Rev. 9/2023)
- Campaign Finance Guidance packet (including reporting schedule)
- Contribution Limits for Local Elected Offices
- 2024 Ballot Access Checklist for Partisan County Candidates
- (Blank) Nomination Papers for Partisan Office EL-168 (Rev. 2016-03)
- Preparing Nomination Paper for Partisan Office
- Guidance EL-168 Nomination Paper for Partisan Office
- Memorandum re: Felony Statement on Declaration of Candidacy EL-162 (Rev. 2019-08)
- (Blank) Declaration of Candidacy EL-162 (Rev. 2019-08)
- (Blank) Statement of Economic Interest and Financial Disclosure
- 2024 Fall Election Dates to Remember
- Political Signs
- Kenosha County Municipal Code Chapter 20 Ethics Code for Officials and Employees
- Notification of Non-Candidacy EL-163 (Rev. 04/2009)

If you have any questions, please contact the County Clerk's Office at (262) 653-2552 or email countyclerk@kenoshacounty.org. You may also contact the Wisconsin Election Commission at (608) 261-2028 o. For campaign finance questions contact the Wisconsin Ethics Commission at (608) 266-8123 or campaignfinance@wi.gov.

Best of luck!