



2014 Offices Up for Election

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DEFINITIONS

Announced Candidate: Any person who has made a public statement of intent to run for public office. The person **MAY NOT** accept any contributions or expend funds until he/she becomes a filed candidate.

Filed Candidate: Any person who has appointed a campaign treasurer, designated a financial institution for the purpose of depositing campaign contributions, and filed form DS-DE 9 (Appointment of Campaign Treasurer) with the Supervisor of Elections. Campaign can now accept contributions and expend funds. Within 10 days of filing candidate must also file a Statement of Candidate (Form DS-DE 84). Treasurer's reports are due on monthly basis until Qualifying.

Qualified Candidate: Any person who files all of the required forms with the Supervisor of Elections during the qualifying period and either pays the qualifying fee or qualifies by petition. Candidate's name is printed on the ballot.

Write-in Candidate: Any person seeking election by write-in. Must file appropriate forms with the Supervisor of Elections during the qualifying period. Name will not be printed on the ballot. Space will be provided on ballot for write-in candidate. Candidate must educate voters to write-in candidate's name in the space provided on General Election ballot.



The local offices listed below are currently up for election in 2014 and qualify with the Leon County Supervisor of Elections:

- COUNTY COMMISSION
Districts: 1, 3, 5, and At-Large, Group 2
- SCHOOL BOARD
Districts: 1, 3, and 5
- CITY COMMISSION
Seats: 3, 5 and Mayor
- COUNTY JUDGE
Seat 5
- LEON SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT
Districts: 2 and 4
- CAPITAL REGION COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT
Seats: 1, 3, and 5
- PINEY-Z COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT
Seats: 1, 3, and 5

(Additional vacancies may occur prior to the 2014 elections)

LEON COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

www.leoncountyfl.gov/bcc

DISTRICT	INCUMBENT	PHONE	EMAIL	TERM EXPIRES
#1	Bill Proctor	606-5361	proctorb@leoncountyfl.gov	Fall 2014
#2	Jane Sauls	606-5362	saulsj@leoncountyfl.gov	Fall 2016
#3	John E. Dailey	606-5363	daileyj@leoncountyfl.gov	Fall 2014
#4	Bryan Desloge	606-5364	deslogeb@leoncountyfl.gov	Fall 2016
#5	Kristin Dozier	606-5365	dozierk@leoncountyfl.gov	Fall 2014
At Large-Group 1	Mary Ann Lindley	606-5369	LindleyM@leoncountyfl.gov	Fall 2016
At Large-Group 2	Nick Maddox	606-5367	maddoxn@leoncountyfl.gov	Fall 2014

Telephone: (850) 606-5302

Address: Leon County Courthouse
301 South Monroe Street, Suite 503
Tallahassee, FL 32301

Qualifications: Registered Leon County Voter, resident of district at the time of qualifying

Term of Office: 4 years
Partisan/Non-Partisan: Non-partisan

Salary: \$72,221

Qualifying Period: Noon, June 16, 2014 – Noon, June 20, 2014
Petition Deadline: Before Noon, May 19, 2014

Qualifying Method: 1. Qualifying Fee – \$2,888.84 or
2. Petition Method – submit requisite number of petitions equal to 1% of the total number of registered voters for each corresponding district in the 2012 General Election.

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All registered voters in Leon County are eligible to elect County Commissioners based on single member districting. "At-Large" seats are elected countywide.

Each candidate for the office of district County Commissioner shall reside within the district from which such candidate seeks election at the time of qualifying to run for that office, and during the term of office each Commissioner shall reside within the district from which such Commissioner ran for office; except in the year of redistricting where any Commissioner whose residence is removed from a district by redistricting may continue to serve during the balance of the term.

Term begins the 2nd Tuesday after the General Election.

If three or more candidates, none of who is a write-in candidate, qualify for such office, the names of those candidates shall be placed on a non-partisan ballot at the first primary election. If no candidate for such office receives a majority of the votes cast for such office in the first primary election, the names of the two candidates receiving the highest number of votes for such office shall be placed on the general election ballot.

If a vacancy occurs on the County Commission, it shall be filled in accordance with F.S. 100.111.

LEON COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

www.leon.k12.fl.us/newLCShomeFiles/schoolBoardHome.html

DISTRICT	INCUMBENT	EMAIL	TERM EXPIRES
#1	Forrest Van Camp	vancampf@leonschools.net	Fall 2014
#2	Dee Crumpler	crumplerd@leonschools.net	Fall 2016
#3	Maggie Lewis-Butler	lewisbutler@mail.leonschools.net	Fall 2014
#4	Dee Dee Rasmussen	rasmussend@leonschools.net	Fall 2016
#5	Georgia Joy Bowen	jbowen91@comcast.net	Fall 2014

Telephone: (850) 487-7110

Address: Leon County School Board
2757 West Pensacola Street
Tallahassee, FL 32304

Qualifications: Registered Leon County Voter, resident of district at the time of qualifying

Term of Office: 4 years
Partisan/Non-Partisan: Non-partisan

Salary: \$35,409

Qualifying Period: Noon, June 16, 2014 – Noon, June 20, 2014
Petition Deadline: Before Noon, May 19, 2014

Qualifying Method: 1. Qualifying Fee – \$1,416.36; or
2. Petition Method – submit requisite number of petitions equal to 1% of the total number of registered voters for each corresponding district in the 2012 General Election

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All registered voters in Leon County are eligible to elect School Board Members based on single member districting.

Each of the School Board's five members shall be a qualified elector of the district in which he or she serves, shall be a resident of the School Board member residence area from which he or she is elected, and shall maintain said residency throughout his or her term of office.

Term begins the 2nd Tuesday after the General Election.

If two or more candidates, neither of whom is a write-in candidate, qualify for such an office, the names of those candidates shall be placed on the ballot at the primary election. If any candidate for such office receives a majority of the votes cast for such election in the primary election, the name of the candidate who receives such majority shall not appear on any other ballot unless a write-in candidate has qualified for such office. If no candidate for such office receives a majority of the votes cast for such office in the primary election, the names of the two candidates receiving the highest number of votes for such office shall be placed on the general election ballot. F.S. 105.051

If a vacancy occurs on the School Board, it shall be filled in accordance with F.S. 100.111.

LEON COUNTY JUDGES

www.2ndcircuit.leon.fl.us

SEAT 1 Robert R. Wheeler (850) 577-4303	(FALL 2018)	SEAT 3 Ronald W. Flury (850) 577-4318	(FALL 2018)
SEAT 2 Judith W. Hawkins (850) 577-4317	(FALL 2018)	SEAT 4 Augustus D. Aikens, Jr. (850) 577-4314	(FALL 2018)
SEAT 5 Nina Ashenafi Richardson (850) 577-4316		(FALL 2014)	

Telephone: (850) 577-4000

Address: Leon County Courthouse, Suite 265
301 South Monroe Street
Tallahassee, FL 32301

Qualifications: Registered Leon County Voter, resident of the county at the time of qualifying

Term of Office: 6 years
Partisan/Non-Partisan: Non-partisan

Salary: \$134,280

Qualifying Period: Noon, April 28, 2014 – Noon May 2, 2014
Petition Deadline: Before Noon, March 31, 2014

Qualifying Method: 1. Qualifying Fee – \$5,371.20 or
2. Petition Method – submit 1,906 valid petitions which is equal to 1% of the total number of registered voters for each corresponding district in the 2012 General Election.

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All registered voters in Leon County are eligible to elect County Judges as seats are countywide.

Unless otherwise provided by general law, no person is eligible for the office of county court judge unless the person is, and has been for the preceding five years, a member of the bar of Florida.

Term begins 1st Tuesday after 1st Monday in January.

If a vacancy occurs, it shall be filled in accordance with Article V, Section 11 of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

CITY COMMISSION

www.talgov.com/gov/commission.cfm

SEAT	INCUMBENT	EMAIL	TERM EXPIRES
#1	Scott Maddox	Scott.Maddox@talgov.com	Fall 2016
#2	Andrew Gillum	Andrew.Gillum@talgov.com	Fall 2016
#3	Nancy Miller	Nancy.Miller@talgov.com	Fall 2014
#5	Gil Ziffer	Gil.Ziffer@talgov.com	Fall 2014
Mayor	John Marks	John.Marks@talgov.com	Fall 2014

Telephone: (850) 891-8181

Address: Office of City Commissioners
City Hall, 4th Floor
300 South Adams Street
Tallahassee, FL 32301

Qualifications: Registered Leon County Voter, resident of the City of Tallahassee at the time of qualifying

Term of Office: 4 years
Partisan/Non-Partisan: Non-partisan

Salary: \$36,086 Commissioners; \$72,172 Mayor

Qualifying Period: Noon, June 16, 2014 – Noon, June 20, 2014
Petition Deadline: Before Noon, May 19, 2014

Qualifying Method: 1. Qualifying Fee – \$360.86 Commissioners; \$721.72 Mayor; or
2. Petition Method – submit 1,219 petitions which are equal to 1% of the total number of registered voters for the City of Tallahassee in the 2012 General Election.

Qualifying Officer: Ion Sancho, Supervisor of Elections
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All registered voters in the City of Tallahassee are eligible to elect City Commissioners.

Term begins on the 17th day after the general election.

If two or more persons qualify as candidates as provided for in section 7-5 for any of the places to be filled, then a municipal primary election shall be held for election for all vacancies wherein more than one candidate is thus qualified, and for such place where only one candidate has thus qualified such candidate shall be declared by the City Commission to be elected to such vacancy and the name of such candidate shall not be placed upon the municipal primary election ballot. The candidate who shall receive a majority of votes in such municipal primary election in a respective group shall be elected to such vacancy. If no candidate shall receive a majority vote in such primary election in a respective group then the two candidates who shall receive the greatest vote in such primary election in their respective group shall be on the following regular municipal election ballot for such vacancy.

Any vacancy in the Commission, including the office of Mayor, shall be filled by appointment until the following regular municipal election. Any vacancy occurring after the close of qualifying for a regular municipal election in which no candidate has qualified, shall be filled by appointment until the next regularly scheduled biennial election. The term of Commissioners appointed to fill a vacancy shall be for the unexpired term of the position vacated. Any vacancy resulting from a recall election shall be filled in the manner provided for in such cases by the Florida Statutes. If any vacancy is not filled within twenty (20) days after it shall have occurred, an appointment to fill the vacancy shall be made by the governor.

LEON SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

DISTRICT	INCUMBENT	PHONE	TERM EXPIRES
#1	Martha Lang	(410) 370-3654	Fall 2016
#2	Stan Peacock	893-4005	Fall 2014
#3	Tabitha Frazier	766-3217	Fall 2016
#4	Wayne Bertsch	251-1835	Fall 2014
#5	Bill Howell	562-8429	Fall 2016

Telephone: (850) 877-3724

Address: 615 Paul Russell Road
Tallahassee, FL 32301

Qualifications: Registered Leon County Voter, resident of the county at the time of qualifying

Term of Office: 4 years
Partisan/Non-Partisan: Non-partisan

Salary: No salary

Qualifying Period: Noon, June 16, 2014 – Noon, June 20, 2014
Petition Deadline: Before Noon, May 19, 2014

Qualifying Method: 1. Qualifying Fee – \$25.00;
2. Petition Method – submit 25 signatures of voters in the geographical area represented by the office sought

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Term begins 1st Tuesday after 1st Monday in January.

The candidate who receives the largest number of the votes cast within each group of candidates in such election shall be the elected Supervisor for such district. In the case of a newly created district participating in a regular election for the first time, three groups of candidates shall be elected for terms of 4 years, and two groups shall be elected for initial terms of 2 years.

In the event of a vacancy resulting from death, resignation, removal, or otherwise, each vacancy shall be filled by appointment by the remaining Supervisors of the District until the next regular election.

CAPITAL REGION COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

www.capitalregioncdd.com

SEAT	INCUMBENT	PHONE	TERM EXPIRES
#1	Glenda Herrera-Gray	528-3137	Fall 2014
#2	Barry G. Brooks	877-5748	Fall 2016
#3	Eli Nortelus	459-6506	Fall 2014
#4	John Ray	445-5044	Fall 2016
#5	David Ramba	727-7087	Fall 2014

Telephone: (904) 288-9130

Address: James A. Perry, District Manager
Governmental Management Services
14785 Old St. Augustine Road, Suite 4
Jacksonville, FL 32258

Qualifications: Registered Leon County Voter, resident of district at the time of qualifying

Term of Office: 4 years
Partisan/Non-Partisan: Non-partisan

Salary: \$2,400

Qualifying Period: Noon, June 16, 2014 – Noon, June 20, 2014
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Only registered voters residing within the district are eligible to elect Supervisors for this Board.

Term begins 2nd Tuesday after general election.

Once a district qualifies to have any of its Board members elected by the qualified electors of the district, the initial and all subsequent elections by the qualified electors of the district shall be held at the general election in November. If no elector qualifies for a seat to be filled in an election, a vacancy in that seat shall be declared by the Board effective on the second Tuesday following the election. Within 90 days thereafter, the Board shall appoint a qualified elector to fill the vacancy. Until such appointment, the incumbent Board member in that seat shall remain in office.

If, during the term of office, a vacancy occurs, the remaining members of the Board shall fill the vacancy by an appointment for the remainder of the unexpired term.

PINEY-Z COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

www.pineyz.com

SEAT	INCUMBENT	PHONE	TERM EXPIRES
#1	Jan Bridges	878-8735	Fall 2014
#2	Richard Kessler	878-8248	Fall 2016
#3	Rosemary White	385-3187	Fall 2014
#4	Joe Didier	727-753-8529	Fall 2016
#5	Michael Lee	339-9346	Fall 2014

Telephone: (850) 656-4007

Address: Lance Rogers, Property Manager
950 Piney-Z Plantation Road
Tallahassee, FL 32311

Qualifications: Registered Leon County Voter, resident of district at the time of qualifying

Term of Office: 4 years
Partisan/Non-Partisan: Non-partisan

Salary: \$1,200

Qualifying Period: Noon, June 16, 2014 – Noon, June 20, 2014
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- GOVERNOR AND CABINET
Governor, Lt. Governor, Attorney General,
Commissioner of Agriculture, and Chief Financial Officer

#####● CIRCUIT JUDGE 2ND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
Groups: 4, 6, 7, 8, 10, 13, and 16

#####● FLORIDA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Districts: 7, 8, and 9

#####● U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Districts: 2

(Additional vacancies may occur prior to the 2014 elections)



IMPORTANT CONTACT INFORMATION

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Web: LeonVotes.org

Office Hours: Monday – Friday
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

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Janet Olin, Assistant Supervisor of Elections
Karen Williams, Election Records Manager
Christopher Moore, Demographics/GIS Manager