



NOTICE OF SOLICITATION OF CANDIDATES

Notice is hereby given by the Board of Elections of the City of New Castle that an Election will be held on April 12, 2025 for the following offices:

<u>OFFICE</u>	<u>YEARLY SALARY</u>	<u>TERM</u>
Council President One Seat	\$3,750	4 Year Term
Councilpersons Two Seats	\$3,150	4 Year Terms

To run for Mayor or Member of the City Council you must: be a citizen of the State of Delaware and a resident of the City of New Castle and have resided in the City for two years before the election and at the time of the election must be a qualified voter of the City, be at least 21 years of age as of the date of the election and have never been convicted of a felony in accordance with State of Delaware and City of New Castle Code.

In order to file your candidacy for election you must:

Request a Candidate Filing form, available at the City Administration office, 220 Delaware Street, during regular business hours - 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. or via email to info@newcastlecity.delaware.gov by the deadline set forth below.

Important Dates:

- February 3rd** First day to file to run for office
- February 28th** Last day to file to run for office (by 5 p.m.)
- March 3rd** Applications for Absentee Ballots will be available from the City Office from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. beginning Monday, March 3rd, and on the City website at www.newcastlecity.delaware.gov/elections.
- March 10th** First day to Vote Absentee
- March 20th** Last day to file to withdraw as a candidate running for office
- April 7th** Last day to register to vote with the State of Delaware Department of Elections.
- April 11th** 8:30 a.m. – 12 p.m. - deadline to request an affidavit for Absentee Ballot from the City Administration office, 220 Delaware Street.

April 11th 4:30 p.m. is the deadline for Absentee Ballots to be turned in to the City Office. Absentee Ballots may also be brought to the polling place on the day of the Election.

April 12th **City Election Day** Voting will take place at the Good Will Fire Company, 401 South Street, New Castle, DE 19720 - 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

April 14th Canvass of Votes: 8:00 p.m.

Please direct questions, comments or concerns about the election process to Board of Elections

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