



CITY OF CEDAR PARK CITY COUNCIL

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR CANDIDATES PER CITY CHARTER

In addition to any qualifications prescribed by law, the Mayor and each Councilmember shall meet the conditions of Section 5.02 while in office, and shall reside within the City while in office. (City Charter Section 3.02)

Each candidate for an elective city office shall meet the following qualifications (City Charter Section 5.02):

- (a) Shall be a registered voter of the City and at least eighteen (18) years of age.
- (b) Shall have resided within the corporate limits of the City, including territory annexed prior to the filing deadline, for at least the twelve (12) months immediately preceding the last day for filing for that elective office.
- (c) Shall have paid a filing fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00) or tendered a petition signed by the greater of twenty-five (25) qualified voters residing in the City or one-half of one percent (0.5%) of the total votes received by all candidates for Mayor in the last mayoral election, with each signatory thereto providing their printed name, residential address, date of birth, signature, and date of signing.
- (d) An incumbent seeking re-election must file for the same position number presently held.
- (e) No candidate may file for more than one office or position number per election.
- (f) No employee of the City shall continue in such position after filing for an elective office of the City.
- (g) An elected official filing for any office other than the office presently held, shall resign from such presently held office at least forth-five (45) days prior to the election.