



ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR CANDIDATES APPOINTED TO VACANCY

Cedar Park Home Rule Charter, Sections 3.02 and 5.02

Each candidate for an elective City office shall meet the following requirements of State law and 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; and
- (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 date of the [appointment].

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)

State Law Requirements – Texas Election Code §141.001(a)

- (1) Be a United States citizen;
- (2) Be 18 years of age or older on the first day of the term to be filled at the election or on the date of appointment, as applicable;
- (3) Have not been determined by a final judgment of a court exercising probate jurisdiction to be:
(A) totally mentally incapacitated; or (B) partially mentally incapacitated without the right to vote;
- (4) Have not been finally convicted of a felony from which the person has not been pardoned or otherwise released from the resulting disabilities;
- (5) (E) Have resided continuously in the State for 12 months for an appointee to an office, the date the appointment is made;
- (6) On the date described by Subdivision (5), be registered to vote in the territory from which the office is elected; and
- (7) Satisfy any other eligibility requirements prescribed by law for the office.