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## 2023 Regular Local Election Candidate Resources

### 1. When is the election?

The Regular Local Election will be held on **Tuesday, November 7, 2023.**

### 2. How do I find out who is running?

Visit the Candidate Portal at

<https://candidateportal.servis.sos.state.nm.us/CandidateList.aspx?eid=2858&cty=01>

### 3. How do I request election related data?

To request data, fill out the [Authorization Form \(PDF Format\)](#). For information about costs visit, <https://www.sos.nm.gov/voting-and-elections/data-and-maps/voter-data-information/>

### 4. How do I withdraw my candidacy?

To withdrawal, please fill out the [Affidavit of Withdrawal of Candidacy](#). The last day to withdraw is no later than **Tuesday, September 5, 2023.**

### 5. In which order will the candidates be listed?

The SOS held its randomization of the New Mexico Election Alphabet on December 22, 2022. For the alphabet order, please visit <https://www.sos.nm.gov/candidate-and-campaigns/how-to-become-a-candidate/nm-election-alphabet/>



New Mexico Secretary of State

2023 - 2024 Election Cycle Alphabet Randomization

Start Randomization

Randomization Started At :2022-12-22 11:5:34

Selecting letter 26

Done

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
N	Y	U	I	Z	A	V	X	R	L
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
H	J	E	K	G	M	B	P	O	C
21	22	23	24	25	26				
S	F	T	Q	D	W				

Final List: N,Y,U,I,Z,A,V,X,R,L,H,J,E,K,G,M,B,P,O,C,S,F,T,Q,D,W



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**6. When will I be notified if I have qualified to be a candidate on the ballot?**

No Later than **Friday, September 1, 2023.**

The proper filing officer shall determine whether a candidate filing a declaration of candidacy is registered to vote within the area to be elected to represent and, if required for the office being sought, whether the candidate's nominating petition for that office has been filed with a number of signatures that is equal to or greater than the number required for that office.

If the candidate is so qualified and no withdrawal of candidacy has been filed as provided in the Local Election Act, the proper filing officer shall place the candidate's name on the ballot for the position specified in the declaration of candidacy and notify each candidate in writing no later than 5:00 p.m. on the sixty-seventh (67) day before the local election.

**7. Which positions have campaign finance reporting requirements?**

The position of College Board is a covered office. The following deadlines are application:

- **1st Report due: Tuesday, October 17, 2023**
- **2nd Report due: Thursday, December 7, 2023**

For more information visit, <https://www.sos.nm.gov/candidate-and-campaigns/how-to-become-a-candidate/campaign-finance-reporting-information/>

**8. I am a City of Santa Fe candidate, what are my campaign finance reporting deadlines?**

For City of Santa Fe Public Campaign Finance deadlines, visit

<https://santafenm.gov/news/public-campaign-financing-and-2023-regular-local-election-information>