

**NOTICE OF DEADLINE FOR FILING NOMINATING PETITIONS FOR THE PRIMARY ELECTION AND FOR FILING INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE PETITIONS**

The deadline for filing nominating petitions for the primary election is March 29<sup>th</sup>, 2022, at 5:00 p.m. central time. If a petition is mailed by registered mail by March 29<sup>th</sup>, 2022, at 5:00 p.m. central time, it is considered filed.

The deadline for filing nominating petitions to run as an independent candidate in the general election is April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022, at 5:00 p.m. central time. If a petition is mailed by registered mail by April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022, at 5:00 p.m. central time, it is considered filed. For the offices of County Commissioner District 1, County Commissioner District 3, County Commissioner District 5, County Auditor, County Register of Deeds, County Sheriff nominating petitions must be filed in the office of the McPherson County Auditor 706 Main Street, PO Box 390, Leola, SD 57456, and nominating petitions for the offices of U.S. Senator, U.S. Representative, Governor/Lt. Governor, State Senate District 23, State House District 23, Attorney General, Secretary of State, State Auditor, State Treasurer, Commissioner of School and Public Lands, Public Utilities Commissioner must be filed in the Office of the Secretary of State, State Capitol Building, Pierre, SD 57501.

Nominating petitions for the offices of County Commissioner District 1, County Commissioner District 3, County Commissioner District 5, County Auditor, County Register of Deeds and County Sheriff, Delegates to the Republican Party, Precinct Committeeman and Precinct Committeewoman for the Republican Party shall be filed in the office of the county auditor during regular business hours. Nominating petitions for the offices of U.S. Senator, U.S. Representative, Governor/Lt. Governor, State Senate District 23, State House District 23, Attorney General, Secretary of State, State Auditor, State Treasurer, Commissioner of School and Public Lands, Public Utilities Commissioner and 5<sup>th</sup> Circuit Court Judges—positions A,B,C&D, and Public Utilities Commissioner must be filed in the Office of the Secretary of State, State Capitol Building, Pierre, SD 57501, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. central time.

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