

## December 2023

To: District Director Candidates (for proposed Terrebonne Sanitary District)

From: Steve Dennison, Deschutes County Clerk

Re: Filing Requirements for the March 14, 2023 Special Election

The filing period for the District Director candidates for the March 14, 2023 Special Election ends January 12, 2023 at 5:00 pm.

## To file for District Director Office:

- 1. **Filing of Candidacy by Declaration:** Complete *SEL 190 Candidate Filing District* form and submit \$10 filing fee.
- 2. **Filing of Candidacy by Petition:** Complete *SEL 190 Candidate Filing District* form and *SEL 121 Candidate Signature Sheet Nonpartisan.* Twenty-five signatures from the election district (or zone) **or** at least 10% of the registered voters in your election district are required, **whichever is less**.
- 3. Candidate Statement for County Voters' Pamphlet deadline is January 17, 2023. If you wish to file a Candidate's Statement for the County Voters' Pamphlet, the fee is either \$25 or \$100 depending on whether the position is compensated beyond expenses or not (ORS 251.325).
- 4. **Candidate Information & Campaign Finance**: Each candidate must establish a campaign account and file a Statement of Organization designating a candidate committee unless the candidate meets all three of the following conditions (information available at <a href="https://www.oregonvotes.gov">www.oregonvotes.gov</a> through ORESTAR):
  - The candidate serves as the candidate's own treasurer
  - The candidate does not have an existing candidate committee and
  - The candidate does not expect to receive or spend more than \$750 during a calendar year

Please take a moment to review the Candidate Manual and the Campaign Finance Manual that explain the procedures and regulations necessary to file for candidacy for district director online at <a href="https://www.oregonvotes.gov">www.oregonvotes.gov</a> under Publications.

Complete Candidate Filing Information, including or Deschutes County Clerk's Office (hard copy) 1300 NW Wall Street, Ste 202 www.deschutescounty.gov/elections Bend, OR 97703

**Note:** All filings, in accordance with ORS 192, are public records and subject to disclosure.