

# 2012

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## MICHIGAN ELECTION DATES

Petition Signature Requirements  
For Federal And State Elective  
Partisan Offices Listed



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**Secretary of State**

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## **INFORMATION**

**ELECTIONS:** For information on matters relating to elections, contact your county, city or township clerk. Information can also be obtained from the Michigan Department of State, Bureau of Elections, P.O. Box 20126, Lansing, MI 48901-0726. Phone: (517) 373-2540. Fax: (517) 373-0941.

**FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE:** State candidates, local candidates and political groups have financial disclosure obligations under Michigan's Campaign Finance Act. For information contact your county clerk or the Michigan Department of State, Bureau of Elections.

Candidate running for federal office should contact the Federal Election Commission, 999 E Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20463. Toll free line: (800) 424-9530.

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**August 7, 2012 Primary and November 6, 2012 General Election:  
Easy Reference**

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**Election Dates**

<b>Aug. 7, 2012</b>	State Primary
<b>Nov. 6, 2012</b>	State General Election

**Registration Deadlines**

<b>Jul. 9, 2012</b>	Last day to register for August primary. (168.498)
<b>Oct. 9, 2012</b>	Last day to register for November general election. (168.498)

**Filing Deadlines: Candidates**

<b>By 5:00 p.m., Mar. 26, 2012</b>	Incumbent Appeals Court, Circuit Court, District Court and Probate Court judges file Affidavit of Candidacy and Affidavit of Identity for the August primary. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 5:00 p.m. on March 29. (168.409b, 413a, 414, 433a, 434, 467c and 467d)
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<b>By 4:00 p.m., May 1, 2012</b>	Candidates seeking Appeals Court, Circuit Court, District Court or Probate Court judgeships file nominating petitions, Affidavit of Identity and Affidavit of Constitutional Qualification for the August primary. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on May 4. (168.409b, 409c, 413, 414, 433, 434, 467b and 467d)
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<b>By 4:00 p.m., May 15, 2012</b>	Candidates for county convention delegate (precinct delegate) file an Affidavit of Identity for the August primary. Filing submitted to the clerk of the county, city or township in which candidate resides. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on May 18. (168.624, 624a)
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<b>By 4:00 p.m., May 15, 2012</b>	Partisan and nonpartisan candidates (other than judicial candidates) file nominating petitions (or fees if applicable) and Affidavit of Identity for the August primary. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on May 18.
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- By 5:00 p.m.,  
Jul. 5, 2012** Incumbent Supreme Court Justices file Affidavit of Candidacy for the November general election. (168.392a)
- By 4:00 p.m.,  
Jul. 19, 2012** District Library Board candidates who wish to seek office at the November general election file an Affidavit of Identity and a nominating petition. (A \$100.00 nonrefundable fee may be filed in lieu of a petition.) (397.181) (Special note: If district library includes a school district, District Library Board candidates file by 4:00 p.m. on Aug. 14)
- By 4:00 p.m.,  
Jul. 19, 2012** Candidates without political party affiliation file qualifying petitions and Affidavit of Identity for the November general election. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on Jul. 23. (168.590c)
- By 4:00 p.m.,  
Jul. 27, 2012** Write-in candidates other than write-in candidates who seek precinct delegate positions file Declaration of Intent forms for the August primary. (168.737a)
- By 4:00 p.m.,  
Aug. 3, 2012** Write-in candidates who seek precinct delegate positions file Declaration of Intent forms for the August primary. (As an alternative, candidates for precinct delegate may file form with appropriate precinct board on election day before the close of the polls.) (168.737a)
- By 4:00 p.m.,  
Aug. 14, 2012** Local School Board candidates, Community College Trustee candidates and District Library Board candidates who wish to seek office at the November general election file an Affidavit of Identity and a nominating petition. (A \$100.00 nonrefundable fee may be filed in lieu of a petition.) Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on Aug. 17. (168.303; 397.181; 389.83, 152) (Special notes: If district library does not include a school district, District Library Board candidates file by 4:00 p.m. on Jul. 19. Candidates seeking a Wayne County Community College Trustee position file by 4:00 p.m. on May 15.)
- By 4:00 p.m.,  
Aug. 14, 2012** Village candidates who wish to seek office at the November general election file an Affidavit of Identity and a nonpartisan nominating petition. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on August 17. (168.381)
- By 4:00 p.m.,  
Oct. 26, 2012** Write-in candidates file Declaration of Intent forms for the November general election. (168.737a)

### **Filing Deadlines: New Parties and State Ballot Proposals**

**By 5:00 p.m.,  
May 30, 2012**                      Petitions to place a legislative initiative proposal on the November general election ballot filed with the Secretary of State (258,088 valid signatures required). (168.471)

**By 5:00 p.m.,  
Jul. 9, 2012**                      Petitions to place a proposed constitutional amendment on the November general election ballot filed with the Secretary of State (322,609 valid signatures required). (168.471)

**By 4:00 p.m.,  
Jul. 19, 2012**                      New political parties file petitions to qualify for November general election ballot (32,261 valid signatures required). (168.685)

### **Filing Deadlines: County and Local Proposals**

**By May 15, 2012**                      Petitions to place county and local questions on the August primary ballot filed with county and local clerks. (If governing law sets an earlier petition filing deadline, earlier deadline must be observed.) (168.646a)

**By May 29, 2012**                      Ballot wording of county and local proposals to be presented at the August primary certified to county and local clerks; local clerks receiving ballot wording forward to county clerk within two days. (168.646a)

**By Aug. 14, 2012**                      Petitions to place county and local questions on the November general election ballot filed with county and local clerks. (If governing law sets an earlier petition filing deadline, earlier deadline must be observed.) (168.646a)

**By Aug. 28, 2012**                      Ballot wording of county and local proposals to be presented at the November general election certified to county and local clerks; local clerks receiving ballot wording forward to county clerk within two days. (168.646a)

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**-- 2012 ELECTION DATES --**  
**AUGUST 7 PRIMARY**  
**NOVEMBER 6 GENERAL ELECTION**

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- By Jan. 31** Annual Campaign Statements filed. Books close Dec. 31, 2011.
- By Mar. 1** Republican and Democratic state party chairpersons notify county and district committee chairs of county convention delegate (precinct delegate) allocation requirements. (168.623a)
- By 5:00 p.m.,  
Mar. 26** Incumbent Appeals Court, Circuit Court, District Court and Probate Court judges file Affidavit of Candidacy and Affidavit of Identity for the August primary. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 5:00 p.m. on March 29. (168.409b, 413a, 414, 433a, 434, 467c, 467d)
- By Apr. 1** County political party chairpersons certify number of delegates per precinct to county election commissions. (168.623a)
- By Apr. 9** City and township election commissions finalize precinct boundaries for 2012 election cycle. (168.661)
- By Apr. 9** Qualified political parties certify to Secretary of State any change in vignette for the August primary. (168.684)
- Apr. 24** Vacancies occurring in judicial offices on or before this date must be elected this year. (168.409l, 424, 444, 467m)
- By 4:00 p.m.,  
May 1** Candidates seeking Appeals Court, Circuit Court, District Court or Probate Court judgeships file nominating petitions, Affidavit of Identity and Affidavit of Constitutional Qualification for the August primary. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on May 4. (168.409b, 409c, 413, 414, 433, 434, 467b, 467d)
- May 4** Last date a recall petition can be filed in order for recall question to appear on August primary ballot. (168.963)
- By May 8** Challenges against nominating petitions filed by candidates seeking Appeals Court, Circuit Court, District Court and Probate Court positions submitted. (168.552)

- By May 9** Last date precinct boundary alterations made for 2012 election cycle can go into effect. (168.661)
- By 4:00 p.m.,  
May 15** Candidates for county convention delegate (precinct delegate) file an Affidavit of Identity for the August primary. Filing submitted to the clerk of the county, city or township in which candidate resides. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on May 18. (168.624, 624a)
- By 4:00 p.m.,  
May 15** Partisan and nonpartisan candidates (other than judicial candidates) file nominating petitions (or fees if applicable) and Affidavit of Identity for the August primary. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on May 18.
- By May 15** Petitions to place county and local questions on the August primary ballot filed with county and local clerks. (If governing law sets an earlier petition filing deadline, earlier deadline must be observed.) (168.646a)
- By May 21** City and township clerks forward copies of Affidavit of Identity forms filed by candidates for county convention delegate (precinct delegate) to county clerk. (168.624)
- By May 21** City and township clerks forward names and addresses of partisan and nonpartisan candidates to county clerk. (168.321, 349)
- By May 22** Challenges against nominating petitions filed by partisan and nonpartisan candidates (other than judicial candidates) submitted. (168.552)
- By May 29** Ballot wording of county and local proposals to be presented at the August primary certified to county and local clerks; local clerks receiving ballot wording forward to county clerk within two days. (168.646a)
- By 5:00 p.m.,  
May 30** Petitions to place a proposal on the November general election ballot to initiate legislation filed with the Secretary of State (258,088 valid signatures required). (168.471)
- By Jun. 5** Board of State Canvassers complete canvass of nominating petitions filed by candidates for the August primary; Secretary of State certifies candidates eligible to appear on August primary ballot to county election commissions by June 8. (168.552)
- Jun. 8** Final date cities and townships can establish, move or abolish a polling place for the August primary. (168.662)
- By Jun. 8** Republican and Democratic Parties call fall state conventions. (168.591)
- By Jun. 8** Constitutional amendments and legislative referendums which the legislature wishes to place on the August primary ballot presented to Secretary of State. (Art. 12, Sec. 1)

- By Jun. 23** County clerks deliver absent voter ballots for the August primary to local clerks. (168.714)
- By Jun. 23** County committees of Republican and Democratic Parties call county conventions. (168.592)
- Jun. 28 through Jul. 17** Precinct inspectors for August primary appointed by city and township election commissions. (168.674)
- By Jul. 2** Notice of close of registration for August primary published. (168.498)
- By 5:00 p.m., Jul. 5** Incumbent Supreme Court Justice files Affidavit of Candidacy for the November general election. (168.392a)
- By Jul. 6** Qualified political parties certify to Secretary of State any change in vignette for November general election. (168.684)
- Jul. 9** Last day to register for August primary. (168.498)
- By 5:00 p.m., Jul. 9** Petitions to place a proposal on the November general election ballot to amend the State Constitution filed with the Secretary of State (322,609 valid signatures required). (168.471)
- By 4:00 p.m., Jul. 19** District Library Board candidates who wish to seek office at the November general election file an Affidavit of Identity and a nominating petition. (A \$100.00 nonrefundable fee may be filed in lieu of a petition.) (397.181) (Special note: If district library includes a school district, District Library Board candidates file by 4:00 p.m. on Aug. 14.)
- By 4:00 p.m., Jul. 19** Candidates without political party affiliation file qualifying petitions for the November general election. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on July 23. (168.590c)
- By 4:00 p.m., Jul. 19** New political parties file petitions to qualify for November general election ballot (32,261 valid signatures required). (168.685)
- By Jul. 23** City and township clerks forward names and addresses of candidates without political party affiliation to county clerk. (168.321, 349)
- By Jul. 26** Qualifying petition signature challenges filed with filing official. (168.552)
- By Jul. 27** Pre-Primary Campaign Statements due. Books close Jul. 22.
- By 4:00 p.m., Jul. 27** Write-in candidates other than write-in candidates who seek precinct delegate positions file Declaration of Intent forms for the August primary. (168.737a)
- By Jul. 28** County clerks deliver remainder of ballots and election supplies for August primary to local clerks. (168.714)

- By Jul. 31** Notice of August primary published. (168.653a)
- By Aug. 2** Public accuracy test must be conducted. (R 168.778) Notice of test must be published at least 48 hours before test. (168.798)
- Aug. 3** Last date a recall petition can be filed in order for recall question to appear on November general election ballot. (168.963)
- By 4:00 p.m., Aug. 3** Write-in candidates who seek precinct delegate positions file Declaration of Intent forms for the August primary. (As an alternative, candidates for precinct delegate may file form with appropriate precinct board on election day before the close of the polls.) (168.737a)
- By 2:00 p.m., Aug. 4** Electors who wish to receive an absent voter ballot for the August primary by mail submit absent voter ballot applications. (168.759)
- Up to 4:00 p.m., Aug. 6** Electors qualified to obtain an absent voter ballot for August primary may vote in person in clerk's office. (168.761)
- By Aug. 7** Minor parties hold county caucuses; notify county clerk of nominated candidates within one business day after caucus. (168.686a)
- By Aug. 7** Minor parties hold state conventions; notify Secretary of State of nominated candidates within one business day after convention. Pre-Convention Campaign Statements due 11 days before convention (books close 16 days before convention); Post-Convention Campaign Statements due 30 days after convention (books close 20 days after convention). (168.686a)
- Up to 4:00 p.m., Aug. 7** Emergency absentee voting for August primary. (168.759b)
- Aug. 7** **AUGUST PRIMARY ELECTION**
- 1:00 p.m., Aug. 8** Boards of county canvassers meet to canvass August primary. (168.821)
- By 4:00 p.m., Aug. 14** Local School Board candidates, Community College Trustee candidates and District Library Board candidates who wish to seek office at the November general election file an Affidavit of Identity and a nominating petition. (A \$100.00 nonrefundable fee may be filed in lieu of a petition.) Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on Aug. 17. (168.303; 397.181; 389.83, 152) (Special notes: If district library does not include a school district, District Library Board candidates file by 4:00 p.m. on Jul. 19. Candidates seeking a Wayne County Community College Trustee position file by 4:00 p.m. on May 15.)
- By 4:00 p.m.,** Village candidates who wish to seek office at the November general

- Aug. 14** election file an Affidavit of Identity and a nonpartisan nominating petition. Withdrawal deadline elapses at 4:00 p.m. on August 17. (168.381)
- By Aug. 14** County clerks notify precinct delegates elected at August primary; certify delegate names and addresses to chairpersons of county committees. (168.608)
- By Aug. 14** Petitions to place county and local questions on the November general election ballot filed with county and local clerks. (If governing law sets an earlier petition filing deadline, earlier deadline must be observed.) (168.646a)
- Aug. 15 through Sep. 1** Republican and Democratic Parties hold fall county conventions. (168.592)
- By Aug. 21** Boards of county canvassers complete canvass of August primary; county clerks forward results to Secretary of State within 24 hours. (168.581, 822, 828)
- By Aug. 27** Board of State Canvassers meet to canvass August primary. (168.581)
- By Aug. 28** Ballot wording of county and local proposals to be presented at the November general election certified to county and local clerks; local clerks receiving ballot wording forward to county clerk within two days. (168.646a)
- By Sept. 6** Post-Primary Campaign Statements due. Books close Aug. 27.
- By Sept. 7** Republican and Democratic Parties hold fall state conventions. Pre-Convention Campaign Statements due 11 days before convention (books close 16 days before convention); Post-Convention Campaign Statements due 30 days after convention (books close 20 days after convention). (168.591)
- Sept. 7** Final date cities and townships can establish, move or abolish a polling place for the November general election. (168.662)
- By Sept. 7** Constitutional amendments and legislative referendums which the legislature wishes to place on the November general election ballot presented to Secretary of State. (Art. 12, Sec. 1)
- By Sept. 22** County clerks deliver absent voter ballots for November general election to local clerks. (168.714)
- Sept. 27 through Oct. 16** Precinct inspectors for November general election appointed by city and township election commissions. (168.674)

- By Oct. 2** Notice of close of registration for November general election published. (168.498)
- Oct. 9** Last date to register for November general election. (168.498)
- By Oct. 26** Pre-General Campaign Statements filed. Books close Oct. 21.
- By 4:00 p.m., Oct. 26** Write-in candidates file Declaration of Intent forms for the November general election. (168.737a)
- By Oct. 27** County clerks deliver remainder of ballots and election supplies for November general election to local clerks. (168.714)
- By Oct. 30** Notice of November general election published. (168.653a)
- By Nov. 1** Public accuracy test must be conducted. (R 168.778) Notice of test must be published at least 48 hours before test. (168.798)
- By 2:00 p.m., Nov. 3** Electors who wish to receive an absent voter ballot for the November general election by mail submit absent voter ballot applications. (168.759)
- Up to 4:00 p.m., Nov. 5** Electors qualified to obtain an absent voter ballot for November general election may vote in person in clerk's office. (168.761)
- Up to 4:00 p.m., Nov. 6** Emergency absentee voting for November general election. (168.759b)
- Nov. 6** **NOVEMBER GENERAL ELECTION**
- 1:00 p.m., Nov. 7** Boards of county canvassers meet to canvass November general election. (168.821)
- By Nov. 20** Boards of county canvassers complete canvass of November general election; county clerks forward results to Secretary of State within 24 hours. (168.822, 828)
- By Nov. 26** Board of State Canvassers meet to canvass November general election. (168.842)
- By Nov. 26** Political parties in counties of less than 1.5 million hold county conventions; within 30 days after conventions, officers of county committees are selected. (168.599)
- By Dec. 6** Post-General Campaign Statements filed. Books close Nov. 26.
- 2:00 p.m., Dec. 17** Electoral College members elected in Michigan meet in State Senate Chambers. (168.47)

**Jan. 2, 2013  
through  
Feb. 15, 2013**

Executive committees appoint county committees in counties under 1.5 million. (168.599)

**By Jan. 31, 2013**

Annual Campaign Statements filed. Books close December 31, 2012.

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## **RECOUNT FILING DATES**

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### **All U.S. House and State House Seats**

- Recount petitions must be filed 48 hours after the Board of State Canvassers canvass election.
- Counter petitions must be filed before 4:00 p.m. on the seventh day after the filing of the recount petition.

### **Any Other Office Canvassed by County, City and Township Boards of Canvassers**

- Recount petitions must be filed within six days after the board of canvassers canvass the election.
- Counter petitions must be filed within 48 hours after the filing of the recount petition.

### **Any Other Office Canvassed by the Board of State Canvassers**

- Recount petitions must be filed within 48 hours after the Board of State Canvassers canvass the election.
- Counter petitions must be filed before 4:00 p.m. on the seventh day after the filing of the recount petition.

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## OFFICES TO BE ELECTED IN 2012

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President/Vice President

U.S. Senator (1 seat)

U.S. Representative in Congress (all 14 districts)

State Representative (all 110 districts)

State Board of Education (2 seats)

University of Michigan Regents (2 seats)

Michigan State University Trustees (2 seats)

Wayne State University Governors (2 seats)

Justice of the Supreme Court

Judge of the Court of Appeals

Judge of the Circuit Court

Judge of the District Court

Judge of Probate

County Offices

Specified City Offices

Township Offices

Specified Village Offices

Specified School District Positions

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## 2012 PETITION SIGNATURE REQUIREMENTS

### Federal and State Elective Partisan Offices Supreme Court Justice

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#### **Petition Filing Information: Republican and Democratic Candidates**

- Republican and Democratic candidates can file for the following federal and state elective offices: U.S. Senator, U.S. Representative in Congress and State Representative.
- Republican and Democratic candidates must file a *nominating petition* no later than 4:00 p.m., May 15, 2012. Republican and Democratic candidates who seek the office of State Representative may file a \$100.00 filing fee in lieu of a petition.
- Republican and Democratic candidates who submit a valid filing for office will be placed on Michigan's August 7, 2012 primary ballot.

#### **Petition Filing Information: Candidates Without Political Party Affiliation**

- Candidates without political party affiliation can file for the following federal and state elective offices: U.S. President, U.S. Senator, U.S. Representative in Congress, State Representative, State Board of Education, University of Michigan Regent, Michigan State University Trustee, Wayne State University Governor and Supreme Court Justice.
- Candidates without political party affiliation who seek a partisan office or the office of Supreme Court Justice must file a *qualifying petition* no later than 4:00 p.m., July 19, 2012.
- All signatures submitted on a qualifying petition must have been collected within the preceding 180-day period; signatures which are dated more than 180 days prior to the date the petition is filed are invalid.
- Candidates without political party affiliation who submit a valid filing for office will be placed on Michigan's November 6, 2012 general election ballot.

#### **Affidavit of Identity Required of All Candidates**

All candidates (excluding U.S. Presidential candidates) must submit an Affidavit of Identity in duplicate when filing for office. Affidavit of Identity forms can be obtained from any county clerk or from the Department of State's Bureau of Elections in Lansing. Candidates who fail to comply with the requirement are ineligible to appear on the ballot.

Michigan election law requires any candidate filing an Affidavit of Identity to state on the form that at the date the affidavit was executed, all statements, reports, late filing fees and fines

required of the candidate or any Candidate Committee organized to support the candidate's election under Michigan's Campaign Finance Act have been filed or paid. The campaign finance compliance statement is not required of U.S. Senate, U.S. House or precinct delegate candidates.

**Post-Election Campaign Finance Compliance Statement**

Michigan election law requires any candidate elected to office on the state, county or local level to file an affidavit *prior to assuming office* which states that at the date the affidavit was executed all statements, reports, late filing fees and fines required of the candidate or any Candidate Committee organized to support the candidate's election under Michigan's Campaign Finance Act have been filed or paid. The affidavit is *not* required of an elected candidate who did not receive or expend more than \$1,000.00 during the election cycle. In addition, the form does not have to be filed by an individual elected to a federal office or a precinct delegate position.

A form developed for distribution to candidates who must comply with the filing requirement ("Post-Election Campaign Finance Compliance Statement") is available through any filing official. An elected candidate who is required to file the statement who fails to submit the form is guilty of a misdemeanor.

**Signature Requirements; Filing Location**

The following lists the petition signature requirements for the offices to be filled in 2012.

**U.S. PRESIDENT**

All candidates who seek the office of U.S. President file with the Department of State's Bureau of Elections in Lansing.

REPUBLICAN	DEMOCRAT	NO POLITICAL PARTY AFFILIATION	
		MIN	MAX
Nominated at National Convention	Nominated at National Convention	30,000	60,000

A qualifying petition circulated for the office of U.S. President must be signed by at least 100 registered voters in each of at least 1/2 of the congressional districts in the state. A candidate without political party affiliation who files for the office of U.S. President is also required to submit the name of his or her running mate and the names and addresses of his or her presidential electors. For complete information, contact the Michigan Department of State's Bureau of Elections.

**U.S. SENATOR**

All candidates who seek the office of U.S. Senator file with the Department of State’s Bureau of Elections in Lansing.

<b>REPUBLICAN</b>		<b>DEMOCRAT</b>		<b>NO POLITICAL PARTY AFFILIATION</b>	
<b>MIN</b>	<b>MAX</b>	<b>MIN</b>	<b>MAX</b>	<b>MIN</b>	<b>MAX</b>
15,000	30,000	15,000	30,000	30,000	60,000

A petition submitted for the office of U.S. Senator must be signed by at least 100 registered electors in each of at least ½ of the congressional districts in the state.

**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENT  
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY TRUSTEE  
WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY GOVERNOR  
SUPREME COURT JUSTICE**

All candidates who seek the following offices file with the Department of State’s Bureau of Elections in Lansing: State Board of Education, University of Michigan Regent, Michigan State University Trustee, Wayne State University Governor, Supreme Court Justice.

<b>REPUBLICAN</b>	<b>DEMOCRAT</b>	<b>NO POLITICAL PARTY AFFILIATION</b>	
		<b>MIN</b>	<b>MAX</b>
Nominated at State Convention	Nominated at State Convention	30,000	60,000

A petition for one of the above offices must be signed by at least 100 registered electors in each of at least ½ of the congressional districts in the state.

**U.S. REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS**

**Multi-County Districts:** A candidate who seeks the office of U.S. Representative in Congress in a multi-county district files with the Department of State’s Bureau of Elections in Lansing. The multi-county U.S. House Districts are listed below:

- 1    2    3    4    5    6    7    8    9    10   11   12   14

**Single-County Districts:** A candidate who seeks the office of U.S. Representative in Congress in District 13 files with the Wayne County Clerk’s office.

REPUBLICAN		DEMOCRAT		NO POLITICAL PARTY AFFILIATION	
MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX
1,000	2,000	1,000	2,000	3,000	6,000

**STATE REPRESENTATIVE**

**Multi-County Districts:** A candidate who seeks the office of State Representative in a multi-county district files with the Department of State’s Bureau of Elections in Lansing. The multi-county State House Districts are listed below:

- 17    32    51    58    59    63    65    66    70    72    78    83  
84    85    86    87    93    97    98    99    100   101   102   103  
105   106   107   108   109   110

**Single-County Districts:** A candidate who seeks the office of State Representative in a district not listed above (single-county districts) files with the local county clerk.

REPUBLICAN		DEMOCRAT		NO POLITICAL PARTY AFFILIATION	
MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX
200	400	200	400	600	1,200

Republican and Democratic candidates who seek the office of State Representative may file a \$100.00 filing fee in lieu of a petition.

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