

**Notice of Offices for Which
Candidates are to be Nominated
at the August 4, 2020 Primary Election**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to persons wishing to file a declaration of candidacy to appear as a candidate for nomination at the primary election that filing will open on Tuesday, February 25, 2020 at 8:00 a.m. and will continue until Tuesday, March 31, 2020 at 5:00 p.m.

Filing for the following offices will take place in the office of the Honorable John R. Ashcroft, Missouri Secretary of State, in the James C. Kirkpatrick State Information Center at 600 West Main Street in Jefferson City, Missouri:

Governor

Lieutenant Governor

Secretary of State

State Treasurer

Attorney General

Representatives in Congress - 4th Congressional District

State Senator - 21st District

State House of Representatives - 51st Legislative District
State House of Representatives - 52nd Legislative District
State House of Representatives - 53rd Legislative District
State House of Representatives - 54th Legislative District

FURTHER NOTICE IS GIVEN that filing for the following offices will take place in the office of Diane Thompson, County Clerk & Election Authority, Johnson County, in the Johnson County Courthouse, 300 N Holden St, Warrensburg, Missouri.

County Commissioner - Eastern District
County Commissioner - Western District
Sheriff
Assessor
Treasurer
Public Administrator
Coroner
Surveyor

Declarations of candidacy may be filed for the following political officers who are to be **elected** at the Primary Election:

Township Committeeman
Township Committeewoman

**Notice of Voter
Registration Accessibility**

FURTHER NOTICE IS GIVEN that at least one-half of the sites provided for voter registration shall be accessible to handicapped persons (RSMo 115.140). In addition, a disabled or elderly citizen may register to vote by alternative means including registration by mail, and curbside registration.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON REGISTRATION AND VOTING: Persons may contact their local election authority by telephone at 660-747-6161 or 7414 or by mail at Diane Thompson, County Clerk & Election Authority, Johnson County Courthouse, 300 N Holden St Suite 205, Warrensburg, MO 64093.

The Missouri Secretary of State's office provides a toll free number for persons with hearing impairments who have access to a Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD). TDD users may call 800-669-8683 to obtain information on voter registration, polling place location and accessibility, absentee balloting, and other election-related services available in their local jurisdictions and from the State of Missouri.

CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION OFFICIALS

Given under my hand and official seal at the Capitol in the City of Jefferson, State of Missouri, this 13th day of December, A.D., 2019.

(SEAL)

/s/ John R. Ashcroft
Secretary of State

I, Diane Thompson, County Clerk & Election Authority with-in and for the county of Johnson do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct list as certified to me by JOHN R. ASHCROFT, Secretary of State, State of Missouri, of the offices for which candidates are to be nominated or elected at the PRIMARY ELECTION to be held August 4, 2020.

(SEAL)

/s/ Diane Thompson
County Clerk & Election Authority

ELECTION 2020 COUNTY OFFICE FILING PROCEDURES

When/Where to file

Candidates who wish to file for county offices on the 2020 August primary ballot may do so at the County Clerk Office located in the Johnson County Courthouse, at 300 N. Holden Street, Warrensburg, Missouri. Filing will begin at 8:00 a.m. February 25, 2020. The filing period ends at 5:00 p.m. on March 31, 2020. The filing process must be completed by 5:00 p.m. Any filing not completed by that time will not be accepted. Independent candidates have until 5:00 p.m. on July 27, 2020, to file a nomination petition with the county clerk in order to be placed on the November 3, 2020 General Election ballot.

Placement on Ballot

The order in which candidates will appear on the August 2020 Primary ballot will be determined by the order in which they file except on the first day of filing, the order will be determined by a random drawing. The names of candidates filing on the first day of filing for each office on each ballot shall be listed in ascending order of the numbers drawn. Candidate filings after the first day of filing will be taken on a first come first served basis. Candidates will be placed on the ballot as explained previously except that in the general election, the Republican candidate will be first on the ballot as Missouri has a Republican Governor in office.

Documents required for filing:

1. **Proof of identity** (RSMo 115.355.4) – Voter ID card, Missouri Driver's license, birth certificate, other form of certified or photo ID.
2. **Filing fee** (RSMo 115.357.1) or receipt from central committee in the amount of \$50.00.
Checks to: Treasurer of the (Republican, Democratic, etc.) Central Committee
3. **Affidavit of Tax Payments** (Form 5120) (RSMo 115.342) notarized. Must be presented at time of filing.
4. **Candidates for Treasurer and Public Administrator:** must present an affidavit signed by a bonding agent showing that they will meet the bonding requirements for their office if they are elected

www.dor.mo.gov/tax/candidates/5120.pdf

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