## **Candidate Eligibility Requirements:**

## **Council Member**

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- Residence 1 year in state prior to filing deadline: 6 months in the city (or ward) prior to filing deadline (Texas Election Code, Section 141.001(a); Brown v. Patterson, 609 SW 2<sup>nd</sup> 287)
- Age: 18
- Must be a registered voter in territory elected from the filling deadline

## Mayor

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