

CITY OF JUSTIN

QUALIFICATIONS FOR BECOMING A CANDIDATE

As stated in the Home Rule Charter Section VI Section 6.02

Section 6.02 Filing for office.

- (1) Candidates for elective City offices shall file for office in accordance with the Texas Election Code, as amended.
- (2) Candidates for elective City offices shall:
 - (A) be at least eighteen (18) years of age at the time of the election for which they are filing;
 - (B) meet all requirements to be a qualified voter set forth in the Texas Election Code at the time of the election for which they are filing;
 - (C) have resided within the corporate limits of the City, or recently annexed territory, for at least twelve (12) months immediately preceding election day;
 - (D) not have been finally convicted of a felony offense or a misdemeanor offense involving moral turpitude from which the person had not been pardoned or otherwise released from the resulting disability (for purposes of this Home Rule Charter, a crime of moral turpitude shall mean a criminal offense involving fraud, deceit, dishonesty or a criminal offense that is inherently immoral); and
 - (E) comply with all other City ordinances or resolutions that may be applicable
- (3) No employee of the City shall continue in such position after filing for an elective office provided for in this Charter.
- (4) No candidate may file in a single election for more than one (1) office or position as provided by this Charter.
- (5) A candidate must provide along with the application for office consent for a background investigation. Such investigation shall be limited in scope to confirm compliance with this section.