

Candidate Filing Guide 2023

1. Filing Period

- Candidate filing periods:
 - Woodfin, Weaverville, and Woodfin Water & Sewer:
12pm July 7th, 2023 → 12pm July 21st, 2023.
- Campaign finance paperwork may be required prior to filing, check Step 4 to ensure your reporting meets the conditions to avoid fines.

2. Requirements

- Must meet residency, age, and supplemental requirements for the office sought.
- Must pay the filing fee by check or money order at the time of filing.
- A filing fee of less than \$50 may be paid in cash.
- Check or money order must be made out to Buncombe County Election Services.

[Click here to review all requirements](#)

3. Submissions

- Candidate filing will be completed at the office: 59 Woodfin Place, Asheville, NC 28801
- Bring a valid driver's license or photo ID, payment method for filing fee, and any completed campaign finance documents.
- Contact victoria.pickens@buncombecounty.org if you will not be filing in person.

4. Campaign Finance

- Campaign finance paperwork must be submitted within 10 days of either:
 - filing for office, or
 - making a public declaration of intent, or
 - receiving contributions, or
 - making expenditures towards the campaign.

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