

TIGARD MUNICIPAL CODE

Chapter 2.40 NOMINATING PROCEDURE.

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2.40.010 Petition--Form.

(1) The form of nominating petition for all candidates for elective positions within the City shall substantially conform to the form designated by the Secretary of State.

(2) Nomination to an elective city office shall be by petition signed by at least 20 qualified electors. Such qualified electors shall be duly registered voters under the laws of Oregon and shall be currently eligible to vote at any regular or special election of the City of Tigard.

(3) A person filing a nomination petition shall pay a fee, which shall be tendered at the time of filing the completed nomination petition form with the City Recorder. The fee amount will be set by Resolution of the Tigard City Council. (Ord. 08-06, Ord. 86-05 §1, 1986; Ord. 64-19 §1, 1964).

2.40.020 Nomination Acceptance--Form-- Furnished By City Recorder.

The City Recorder is authorized and directed to furnish, upon nomination of a candidate for elective positions within the City, a notification of nomination and acceptance of nomination form conforming to the format adopted by Resolution of the Tigard City Council. (Ord. No. 08-06, Ord. 86-05 §2, 1986; Ord. 64-19 §2, 1964).

2.40.030 Filing Dates--Mayor.

Except as otherwise provided by this section, the filing deadline for all persons filing for the position of Mayor shall be the thirty first day preceding the date the City Recorder is required by law to transmit to the County Clerk a list of the offices to be filled and the names of the persons to appear on the ballot; and

(1) At the time of filing, any councilperson filing for Mayor whose term would overlap with that of Mayor shall submit a resignation in the form required by the Charter; and

(2) Within five days after the filing deadline, the City Recorder shall verify the signatures and shall provide a form to the nominee stating that the correct number of signatures have been submitted and that the signatures are valid; and

(3) Within five days after receipt of the form from the City Recorder verifying the petition, the nominee shall accept or decline the nomination, and if the nominee is a councilperson whose term would be concurrent with that of Mayor, the nominee shall submit a letter of resignation as required by the Charter. (Ord. 86-06 §1, 1986; Ord. 84-05 §1(a), 1984).

2.40.040 Filing Dates--City Council.

The filing deadline for a City Council position shall be eleven days preceding the date the City Recorder is required by law to transmit to the County Clerk a list of the offices to be filled and the names of the persons to appear on the ballot; and:

(1) Within five days after the filing deadline, the City Recorder shall verify the signatures and shall provide a form to the nominee stating that the correct number of signatures have

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been submitted and that the signatures are valid;
and

(2) Within five days after receipt of the form from the City Recorder verifying the petition, the nominee shall accept or decline the nomination. (Ord. 84-05 §1(b), 1984).

2.40.050 Filing Dates--Extension In Case Of Weekend Or Holiday.

In the situation where one of the dates listed in Sections 2.40.030 and 2.40.040 falls on a weekend or legal holiday, the time for filing shall be extended to 4:00 p.m. on the following workday; however, this extension shall not change any of the other prescribed dates. (Ord. 84-05 §2, 1984).■