



When do I file?

County Commissioners, Clerk of Court, Register of Deeds, Asheville City Council, and Asheville School Board:

December 4, 2023 at 12:00 P.M. – December 15, 2023 at 12:00 P.M.

Soil & Water Conservation District Board of Supervisors:

June 10, 2024 at 12:00 P.M – July 5, 2024 at 12:00 P.M.

Biltmore Forest, Black Mountain and Montreat:

July 5, 2024 at 12:00 P.M. – July 19, 2024 at 12:00 P.M.

Buncombe County School Board:

July 19, 2024 at 12:00 P.M – August 2, 2024 at 12:00 P.M.

Where do I file?

59 Woodfin Place
Asheville, NC 28801

- Notice of Candidacy will be completed at the office. Candidates do not need to bring this form. If you will not be filing in person, please email victoria.pickens@buncombecounty.org.

What are the qualifications?

- Must be a registered voter of the county.
- Must be at least 21 years old on Election Day.
- Where there is a district, must also reside within that district.
- Buncombe County School Board: must be a resident of the district in which you are filing.
- City of Asheville, Asheville School Board, Biltmore Forest, Black Mountain & Montreat: must be a resident within the municipal corporate limits.

What do I need to bring?

- A valid NC driver license or photo ID, payment method for filing fee (cash, check, cashier's check, or money order), any completed campaign finance documents.

Campaign Finance Information

All candidates are required to open a candidate committee. A candidate committee is required to register within 10 days of:

1. Receiving money or anything of value in support of the campaign; or
2. Spending money in support of the campaign; or
3. Giving consent for anyone else to receive money or spend money for the purpose of bringing about that individual's nomination or election for office; or
4. Filing a notice of candidacy.

Candidate over threshold forms:

<https://bit.ly/2Wsuazx>

Candidate under threshold forms:

<https://bit.ly/38dbmKa>



Date	Time	Event	
Monday, December 4, 2023	12:00 p.m.	Candidate Filing Begins	
Tuesday, December 12, 2023	5:00 p.m.	Deadline to Withdraw Notice of Candidacy	
Friday, December 15, 2023	12:00 p.m.	Candidate Filing Ends	
Office	Contest on Ballot	Filing Fee	Term Length
NC State Senate	District 46 District 49	\$139.51	2 Years
NC House of Representatives	District 114 District 115 District 116	\$139.51	2 Years
Buncombe County	Commissioner District 1 Commissioner District 2 Commissioner District 3	\$289.16	4 Years
	Commissioner Chair	\$376.50	4 Years
	Register of Deeds	\$1,078.30	4 Years
	Clerk of Court (Unexpired Term)	\$1,427.28	2 Years (remaining term)
Asheville	Asheville City Council (3 seats)	\$75	4 Years
Asheville City Schools	Board of Education (3 seats)	\$5	4 Years

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Monday, June 10, 2024	12:00 p.m.	Candidate Filing Begins	
Tuesday, July 2, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline to Withdraw Notice of Candidacy	
Friday, July 5, 2024	12:00 p.m.	Candidate Filing Ends	
Office	Contest on Ballot	Filing Fee	Term Length
Buncombe County	Soil & Water Conservation District Board of Supervisors (1 seat)	\$5	4 Years

Date	Time	Event	
Friday, July 5, 2024	12:00 p.m.	Candidate Filing Begins	
Tuesday, July 16, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline to Withdraw Notice of Candidacy	
Friday, July 19, 2024	12:00 p.m.	Candidate Filing Ends	
Municipality	Contest on Ballot	Filing Fee	Term Length
Biltmore Forest	Mayor	\$5	4 years
	Commissioners (3 seats)		
Black Mountain	Town Council (3 seats)	\$5	4 years
Montreat	Mayor	\$10	4 Years
	Commissioners (2 seats)		



Date	Time	Event	
Friday, July 19, 2024	12:00 p.m.	Candidate Filing Begins	
Tuesday, July 30, 2024	5:00 p.m.	Deadline to Withdraw Notice of Candidacy	
Friday, August 2, 2024	12:00 p.m.	Candidate Filing Ends	
Office	Contest on Ballot	Filing Fee	Term Length
Buncombe County Board of Education	Owen District North Buncombe District Roberson District At Large	\$5	4 Years