

QUALIFYING FEES AND PETITION REQUIREMENTS FOR 2023

The qualifying fee for partisan candidates is 6% of the annual salary of the office the candidate is seeking.

The qualifying fee for no-party affiliated (NPA) candidates is 4% of the annual salary of the office the candidate is seeking.

Qualifying fees must be paid by check drawn from the campaign account.

To become a qualified candidate for a Duval County office, you must be a qualified elector and a resident of Duval County (and the district you wish to represent) for 183 consecutive days prior to qualifying to run. Mayoral candidates must be residents of Duval County for 365 days prior to qualifying.

A candidate seeking to qualify as a political party candidate may not have been a registered member of any other political party for 365 days before the beginning of qualifying preceding the general election for which the person seeks to qualify (F.S. 99.021 (1)(b)(2)). A candidate may not run with no party affiliation unless they have been a registered voter with no party affiliation for 365 days before the beginning of qualifying.

Allocation of Fees	Partisan	No Party Affiliated (NPA)
Filing Fee	3%	3%
Election Assessment	1%	1%
Party Assessment	2%	0%
Total	6%	4%

Qualifying fees are based upon the authorized salaries as of July 1, 2022
Petitions are based upon registered voters as of the 2022 General Election

Office	Term	Salary	Partisan 6%	NPA 4%	Reg. Voters as of 2022	Petitions (1%)*	Petitions Using Apportionment**
Mayor	4 yrs.	\$230,016	\$13,800.96	\$9,200.64	655,846	6,558	
Sheriff	4 yrs.	\$220,359	\$13,221.54	\$8,814.36	655,846	6,558	
Property Appraiser	4 yrs.	\$184,510	\$11,070.60	\$7,380.40	655,846	6,558	
Tax Collector	4 yrs.	\$184,510	\$11,070.60	\$7,380.40	655,846	6,558	
Supervisor of Elections	4 yrs.	\$184,510	\$11,070.60	\$7,380.40	655,846	6,558	

City Council Dist. 1	4 yrs.	\$56,804	\$3,408.24	\$2,272.16	42,643	426	468
City Council Dist. 2	4 yrs.	\$56,804	\$3,408.24	\$2,272.16	51,755	518	468
City Council Dist. 3	4 yrs.	\$56,804	\$3,408.24	\$2,272.16	50,382	504	468
City Council Dist. 4	4 yrs.	\$56,804	\$3,408.24	\$2,272.16	40,693	407	468
City Council Dist. 5	4 yrs.	\$56,804	\$3,408.24	\$2,272.16	45,431	454	468
City Council Dist. 6	4 yrs.	\$56,804	\$3,408.24	\$2,272.16	52,521	525	468
City Council Dist. 7	4 yrs.	\$56,804	\$3,408.24	\$2,272.16	44,065	441	468
City Council Dist. 8	4 yrs.	\$56,804	\$3,408.24	\$2,272.16	45,729	457	468
City Council Dist. 9	4 yrs.	\$56,804	\$3,408.24	\$2,272.16	38,883	389	468
City Council Dist. 10	4 yrs.	\$56,804	\$3,408.24	\$2,272.16	43,453	435	468
City Council Dist. 11	4 yrs.	\$56,804	\$3,408.24	\$2,272.16	50,649	506	468
City Council Dist. 12	4 yrs.	\$56,804	\$3,408.24	\$2,272.16	46,147	461	468
City Council Dist. 13	4 yrs.	\$56,804	\$3,408.24	\$2,272.16	54,345	543	468
City Council Dist. 14	4 yrs.	\$56,804	\$3,408.24	\$2,272.16	49,150	492	468
At-Large Groups 1-5	4 yrs.	\$56,804	\$3,408.24	\$2,272.16	655,846	6558	

*Refer to FS 99.095(2)(a) 1% of registered voters in the district during the last preceding general election.

**Refer to FS 99.095(2)(d) In year of apportionment, 1% of registered voters in the district during the last preceding general election, divided by the number of districts involved.

1. You may collect from countywide the reapportionment number
2. You may collect from your district only, getting the 1% required, or
3. You may collect the higher number of petitions only from your district

Qualifying Dates

Noon, January 9, 2023 – Noon, January 13, 2023
 Petition deadline: December 12, 2022

Election Dates

First: March 21, 2023
 General: May 16, 2023