



# IDAHO SECRETARY OF STATE Elections, Campaign Disclosure and Lobbyists

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## 2010 County Candidate Filing Requirements Filing Period - March 8 through March 19, 2010

**Partisan and judicial candidates** have two options to be placed on the ballot:

1. File declaration of candidacy and pay the filing fee or
2. File declaration of candidacy and nominating petitions, containing certain number of verified signatures.

**Independent candidates** do not have the two options. An independent candidate must file the declaration and petition(s). Independent candidates do not pay a filing fee. Independent candidate residency, age and disclosure requirements are the same as the requirements for partisan candidates.

**The required declaration, petitions/filing fee must be filed with the County Clerk between 8:00 a.m. on March 8th and 5:00 p.m. on March 19th.**

Declaration of Candidacy and Petition forms can be obtained by calling or mailing a written request to the [County Clerk's](#) office.

Office	Residency	Age	Filing Fee or Petition Signatures	Campaign Disclosure	Pursuant to:
County Commissioner Dist. 2 (4 yr. term) Dist. 3 (2 yr. term)	reside within county 1 year preceding general election; US citizen; reside within district <i>which he or she represents 90 days prior to primary election</i>	21	\$40 <b>or</b> 5 signatures from the Commissioner District verified prior to filing	County Clerk C-1 Form & Reports	Sec 34-617, Idaho Code

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County Commissioner Cont'd	reside within county 1 year preceding general election; US citizen; reside within district which he or she represents 90 days prior to primary election	21	\$40 <b>or</b> 5 signatures from the Commissioner District verified prior to filing		
County Clerk	reside within county 1 year preceding general election; US citizen	21	\$40 <b>or</b> 5 signatures from County verified prior to filing	County Clerk C-1 Form & Reports	Sec 34-619, Idaho Code
County Treasurer	reside within county 1 year preceding general election; US citizen	21	\$40 <b>or</b> 5 signatures from County verified prior to filing	County Clerk C-1 Form & Reports	Sec 34-620, Idaho Code
County Assessor	reside within county 1 year preceding general election; US citizen	21	\$40 <b>or</b> 5 signatures from County verified prior to filing	County Clerk C-1 Form & Reports	Sec 34-621, Idaho Code
County Coroner	reside within county 1 year preceding general election; US citizen	21	\$40 <b>or</b> 5 signatures from County verified prior to filing	County Clerk C-1 Form & Reports	Sec 34-622, Idaho Code
Precinct Committee Person	reside within precinct 6 months preceding primary election; US citizen	18	NA	NA	Sec 34-624, Idaho Code
Magistrate Judge	See Code Section	30	\$40	County Clerk C-1 Form & Reports	Sec 1-2206, 1-2220, Idaho Code

Independent candidates must file within the same time frame as partisan candidates from March 8<sup>th</sup> to March 19<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 p.m. They must have 5 verified signatures on their petition and cannot pay \$40 filing in lieu of signatures. They must submit a C-1 form (Appointment and Certification of Political Treasurer for Candidates and Committees) with their petition.