

# PUBLIC NOTICE OF CANDIDATE FILING AND PRIMARY

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF SALUDA

## Candidate Filing Period:

The candidate filing period for County Council Chair Special Election for Saluda County will open at noon on February 25, 2022, and close at noon on March 5, 2022. Any candidate seeking a political party's nomination for this office must file with the county board of Voter Registration and Elections in the candidate's county of residence during this period. Must be "ready to file" when entering the office.

## Filing Location:

*Saluda County Voter Registration and Elections Commission, 702 Batesburg Hwy., Saluda, SC 29138 (864)445-4500 ext.2361*

## Filing Hours:

Weekdays: *Monday-Friday, 8:30AM-5PM*

Weekends: *The office will be open Saturday, March 5, 2022 from 9AM-12PM.*

Filing Form: The Statement of Intention of Candidacy & Party Pledge (SICPP) form required for filing is available in the "Candidate Information" section of [scvotes.gov](http://scvotes.gov) and the county Voter Registration and Elections Office.

Filing Fee: The filing fee for this office is \$100. Filing fees are paid at the time of filing by candidates seeking the nomination of a party nominating by primary. Filing fee checks should be made payable to the appropriate state political party. A candidate seeking the nomination of a party nominating by convention does not pay a filing fee.

State Ethics Filings: Candidates are required to file a State of Economic Interests and a Campaign Disclosure online with the State Ethics Commission at <http://ethicsfiling.sc.gov>. Failure to file these documents may result in a candidate fine but will not disqualify a candidate from the election. Contact the State Ethics Commission at 803-253-4192 for more information.

## Notice of Primary:

If any party primary is necessary to determine the party nominee (multiple candidates file for a party nomination), primaries will be held on April 19, 2022. Any necessary runoffs will be held on May 3, 2022. Any person wishing to vote in these primaries and runoffs must be registered no later than Friday March 18, 2022. Voter registration by mail forms will be accepted if postmarked by Friday March 18, 2022. The Special Election will be held on June 21, 2022.

At 9:00 AM on the day of the primary and the day of the runoff, the County Board of Voter Registration and Elections will begin its examination of the absentee ballot return envelopes at 702 Batesburg Hwy., Saluda, SC 29138.

On Thursday, April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022, at 9:00AM the County Board of Canvassers will hold a hearing to determine the validity of all provisional ballots cast in the primary. On Thursday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9:00AM

the County Board of Canvassers will hold a hearing to determine the validity of all provisional ballots cast in the runoff. These hearings will be held at 702 Batesburg Hwy., Saluda, SC 29138.

The following precincts and polling places will be open during the primaries and special election from 7:00AM until 7:00PM:

<u>Precincts</u>	<u>Polling Place</u>
Centennial	Hopewell Church 774 Old Chappells Ferry Rd Saluda, SC 29138
Fruit Hill	Community Center 1711 Greenwood Hwy Saluda, SC 29138
Higgins Zoar	Bethel Iglesia Congregacional Church 884 Yarborough Rd Saluda, SC 29138
Holly	Rehobeth Methodist Church 936 Holley Ferry Rd. Leesville, SC 29070
Hollywood	Hollywood Ruritan Club 1274 Hollywood Rd. Saluda, SC 29138
Holstons	West Creek Baptist Family Life Center 325 Goff Rd Batesburg, SC 29006
Pleasant Grove	Community Center 3133 Prosperity Hwy Leesville, SC 29070

Richland

ST. Williams Catholic Church  
1199 Ridge Spring Hwy  
Ward, SC 29166

Ridge Spring-Monetta

Ridge Spring Civic Center  
906 W Main St.  
Ridge Spring, SC 29129

Saluda No 1

St. Paul United Methodist  
102 E Butler Ave  
Saluda, SC 29138

Saluda No 2

St. Paul United Methodist  
102 E Butler Ave  
Saluda, SC 29138

Sardis

Community Center  
232 Sardis Rd  
Batesburg, SC 29006

Ward

Mine Creek Baptist Church  
1799 Johnston Hwy  
Johnston, SC 29832

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