



LEGAL NOTICE

In accordance with the Georgia Election Code Sections 21-2-131a(1)(A) and a(1)(B), the Fulton County Board of Commissioners has set the qualifying fees for county offices to be elected by eligible Fulton County citizens in 2012.

| Fulton County Office | Qualifying Fee |
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| State Court Judge | \$4,378.98 |
| Fulton County Solicitor | \$4,387.17 |
| Fulton County Sheriff | \$3,421.21 |
| Fulton County Judge of Probate Court | \$3,282.77 |
| Fulton County Clerk of Superior Court | \$3,282.77 |
| Fulton County Tax Commissioner | \$3,282.77 |
| Fulton County School Board District 1 | \$555.00 |
| Fulton County School Board District 3 | \$555.00 |
| Fulton County School Board District 4 | \$555.00 |
| Fulton County Surveyor | \$100.00 |

The qualifying fee for candidates seeking nomination to the offices of State Court Judge, Fulton County Solicitor and Fulton County School Board must be set at 3% of the total gross salary paid in the preceding calendar year, including all supplements authorized by law if a salaried office. In addition, the qualifying fee for candidates seeking nomination to the offices of Fulton County Sheriff, Judge of Probate Court, Clerk of Superior Court, and Tax Commissioner must be set at 3% of the minimum salary specified in the respective subsections of the Georgia Code; §15-16-20, §15-9-63, §15-6-88, §48-5-183, exclusive of supplements, cost-of-living increases, and longevity increases. The office of Surveyor is not a salaried office, therefore, a reasonable fee is set by the governing authority of the county.

Qualifying Period: May 23, 2012 (beginning at 9:00 A.M.) through May 25, 2012 (ending at 12:00 P.M.) are the qualifying dates for a Political Party Candidate to file a Declaration of Candidacy to have his/her name placed on the General Primary/Non-Partisan Ballot, O.C.G.A. §21-2-153 (c)(1); and for a Non-Partisan Candidate to file a Notice of Candidacy to have his/her name placed on the General Primary/Non-Partisan Ballot, O.C.G.A. §21-2-132, 21-2-172, 21-2-187.