

**** IMPORTANT NOTICE ****
OFFICIAL ELECTION PAMPHLET INFORMATION

Filing to be in the Official Election Pamphlet is a separate process from the Declaration of Candidacy or Retention forms submission.

All candidates who wish to appear in the pamphlet must submit the materials listed below by the statutory deadline. The division recommends filing your materials as soon as possible. Materials should be submitted electronically. Forms for making the submission are available on the division's website at:

<https://www.elections.alaska.gov/Core/oepinfocandidates.php>

1. **Candidate Statement:** A biographical statement of 150 words or less and a position statement of 250 words or less. AS 15.58.030(e)
2. **Photograph:** A 5" x 7" photograph (five inches wide by seven inches high) or comparable resolution digital photograph taken within the last five years and limited to the head, neck and shoulders of the candidate. Digital files are preferred. All photographs will be printed in black and white. AS 15.58.030(f)
3. **Filing Fee:** Submit payment in the appropriate amount to the State of Alaska, Division of Elections. (Cash, check, credit card accepted.) AS 15.58.060(a)
 - a. \$300.00 – President of the United States, Vice President of the United States, United States Senator, United States Representative, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Supreme Court Justice, Court of Appeals Judge
 - b. \$150.00 – Superior Court Judge, District Court Judge
 - c. \$100.00 – State Senator, State Representative

Prior to the General Election, the Division of Elections distributes the Official Election Pamphlet (OEP) to the households of registered voters. The pamphlet contains information about candidates and issues appearing on the General Election ballot. In addition, the information submitted by candidates for the OEP is posted to the division's website prior to the election in which the candidate will appear on the ballot.

*NOTE: For the Primary Elections, a ballot measure only pamphlet is mailed to voters only if a ballot measure appears on the Primary Election ballot. Candidate information **does not** appear in a Primary Election pamphlet.*

Statutory Deadlines:

- Presidential/Vice Presidential Candidates: **Friday, August 30, 2024** (AS 15.58.030(a))
- State/Federal Candidates: **Monday, July 22, 2024** (AS 15.58.030(b))
- Judicial Retention Candidates: **Wednesday, August 7, 2024** (AS 15.58.030(g))

LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Translated Materials Deadlines:

- Presidential/Vice Presidential Candidates: **Wednesday, July 31, 2024** (6 AAC 25.720)
- State/Federal Candidates: **Saturday, June 22, 2024** (6 AAC 25.720)
- Judicial Retention Candidates: **Monday, July 8, 2024** (6 AAC 25.720)

Materials for Alaska Native language translation must be received 30 days before the statutory deadlines. If submitted by this deadline, materials will be translated for a candidate for a federal or statewide office, a candidate for State Senate in Districts C, R, S, or T, a candidate for State Representative in House Districts 5, 36 – 40, or a judicial retention candidate for Supreme Court, Court of Appeals or judicial districts 2, 3 or 4. We **strongly encourage** you to submit your pamphlet material following this requirement so that the division can have your information translated to assist limited English proficient Alaska Native voters. We cannot accept already translated submissions.

**THIS MAY BE YOUR ONLY NOTICE REGARDING
FILING MATERIALS FOR THE OFFICIAL ELECTION PAMPHLET.
PLAN AHEAD AND SUBMIT EARLY.**