DATE OF UPCOMING CITY ELECTION: Saturday, May 6, 2017

REGULAR ELECTION: To elect (1) Mayor and (2) Council members for a two-year term.

1st day to file – January 18, 2017

Last day to file – February 17, 2017

QUALIFICATIONS TO RUN FOR PUBLIC OFFICE:

For Mayor:

* Be a United States citizen
* Must be a registered voter at the time of the election
* Have resided in the State for 12 months prior to filing
* Have resided in the City for at least 12 months preceding the election day.
* Age 18 and older
* Have not been finally convicted of a felony from which the person has not been pardoned or otherwise released from the resulting disabilities
* Have not been determined by a final judgement of a court exercising probate jurisdiction to be:
  + 1) totally mentally incapacitated, or
  + 2) partially mentally incapacitated without the right to vote

For Council member:

Same qualifications as above except residency in the City is 6 months prior to the filing deadline.

For further information call the City Secretary’ s office at 423-8384 or the Secretary of State’s office at 1-800-252-VOTE