

2022 NWACC CANDIDATE FILING INFORMATION

A.C.A. §6-61-520

PREPARED BY BENTON COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

Any person desiring to be a candidate for a position on the Northwest Arkansas Community College Board of Trustees will:

- File a notarized Statement of Candidacy
- File a Petition containing the signatures of at least twenty-five (25) qualified electors of the zone requesting that the name of such person be placed on the ballot as a candidate for the position on the board.
- Run by zone
- Be elected on a nonpartisan basis
- Must be a resident of the zone within the respective School District.

FILING BY PETITION:

- **May 12, 2020** is the first day for candidates filing by petition to circulate petitions for the General Election being held November 8, 2022. Clerk shall not count as valid any signature dated more than ninety (90) days before the filing deadline (August 10, 2022). A Candidate must **FILE** the Political Practices Pledge, and the Petition during the one-week period beginning August 3, 2022 @12:00 p.m. and ending August 10, 2022 @12:00 p.m.
- Petition forms are available at any of the County Clerk's office locations and on the Benton County Election's website at vote.bentoncountyar.gov

DRAWING FOR BALLOT ORDER A.C.A. §6-14-111(j):

- Deadline for public meeting of County Board of Election Commissioners to determine by lot the order in which names will appear on the ballot is seventy-two (72) days before the election:
 - **August 28, 2022 @ 6:00 p.m. – Tentative Date**

POSITIONS UP FOR ELECTION IN THE NWACC ELECTION ON November 08, 2022 ARE:

Zone	Currently Held By:	School District	Term
1	Lucas Pointer	Bentonville	
2	Deanne Witherspoon	Bentonville	
3	Rachel Harris	Rogers	
4	Todd Schwartz	Bentonville	
5	Ronald Branscum	Bentonville	
6	Mark Scott	Rogers	
7	Jerry Vest	Rogers	
8	Mauricio Herrera	Rogers	
9	Joe Spivey	Rogers	

Forms for filing as a candidate are available at the County Clerk's Offices located at:

215 E. Central Ave, Suite 217
Bentonville AR 72712

2111 W. Walnut St
Rogers AR 72756

Signatures obtained on nominating petitions must be gathered from the respective school district zones. The candidate receiving the highest number of votes for each position will be elected to that particular position. Those elected to the Board of Trustees take office January 1, 2023.

PETITION FOR NOMINATION (COMMUNITY COLLEGE BOARD)

TO: THE BENTON COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS:

We, the undersigned, duly qualified electors of the **Northwest Arkansas Community College District**, each signer hereof residing at the address set out opposite his/her signature, propose the name of _____ whose address is _____ be placed on the ballot as a candidate for the office of **Director, Board of Trustees of Northwest Arkansas Community College, Zone No. ____** at the **General Election** to be held on the **8th day of November, 2022**. We further state that each of us for him/her says: I have personally signed this Petition, I am a legal voter of the State of Arkansas and a resident of the zone to be represented, and my printed name, date of birth, residence, and city of residence are correctly written after my signature.

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