



CITY OF MONROE GENERAL ELECTION 2024

At the 2024 General Election on November 5th, the positions of Mayor and three City Councilors will appear on the ballot. Each candidate for the Mayor or City Council must complete **Form SEL 101** and return it to City Hall by 5:00 PM August 27, 2024.

This form is available on the City Website, at Monroe City Hall, Benton County Elections, and the Secretary of State's office.

If you wish to have your personal information included in the County Voters Pamphlet it should be provided to Benton County Elections by September 9th and a fee of \$25 is required. You can find the filing information on the County Website at <https://re.bentoncountyor.gov/filing-county-voters-pamphlet/> or contact the Benton County Elections Office at 541-766-6756 for more information. Benton County Elections would appreciate receiving materials in advance of the deadline due to the extreme efforts they are faced in preparing for printing the voter's pamphlet in a very short time frame.

Open positions will include those currently held by Mayor Dan Sheets along with City Council incumbents Lisa Lindner, Nick Ritch, and James Winther that each have terms expiring during this election cycle. All positions are non-partisan and volunteer/non-paid. The terms will begin in January, 2025. The mayor's term is for two years and councilors are four years.

The Council's regular meetings are scheduled for the fourth Monday of each month, unless otherwise modified due to holidays or other unforeseen issues. In addition to the monthly Council meeting, there is a monthly work session scheduled for the second Monday of each month and various committee meetings that mostly meet on a quarterly basis or as required.

Newly elected officials are sworn in at a special council meeting on the first available Monday in January. It is staff's expectation that the swearing in of newly elected city officials will be on January 6, 2025, 5:30 PM, at the Monroe Community Center.

Qualifications: To qualify as a candidate for office you must have resided within the City during the twelve months immediately prior to the election and be a registered voter for that same period of time within the City of Monroe.

Please contact the City of Monroe at 541-847-5175 or stop in at 664 Commercial Street should you have any questions or need assistance.

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