

**INFORMATION SHEET**  
**CITY OF BURKBURNETT MUNICIPAL ELECTION MAY 1, 2021**

**To: All Candidates for City Commissioner, City of Burkburnett**  
**Re: City Commissioners Election**

**ELECTION CONTACT INFORMATION**

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**ELECTED OFFICIALS**

Mayor Carl Law (term ends 5/2022)  
Mayor Pro-Tem Marguerite Love (PLACE 5) (term ends 5/2023)  
**PLACE 1: Commissioner Theophile (Ted) Kwas (term ends 5/2021)**  
**PLACE 2: Commissioner Randy Brewster (term ends 5/2021)**  
PLACE 3: Commissioner Mike Tugman (term ends 5/2022)  
PLACE 4: Commissioner John Beard (term ends 5/2022)  
PLACE 6: Commissioner Bill Lindenborn (term ends 5/2023)

**DATE OF NEXT ELECTION**

Saturday, May 1, 2021

**LOCATION OF NEXT ELECTION**

Burkburnett Community Center  
735 Davey Drive | Burkburnett Texas 76354

**REQUIREMENTS FOR FILING FOR CANDIDACY**

***City Charter Provisions***

Each member of the Board of Commissioners shall be a resident citizen of the City of Burkburnett; shall have the qualification of an elector therein, and shall have been such resident citizen of the City of Burkburnett for a period of not less than one year immediately preceding his election; provided, however, that any qualified elector, who shall have been a resident for a period of not less than one year immediately preceding his election of any of the territory not formerly within the corporate limits of said city, but which is annexed under this Charter, or that may hereafter be annexed in conformity to the provisions of this Charter, shall be eligible to said office. (*Adopted May 8, 1923; Am. Ord. 633, passed 2-5-02*)

***Statutory Provisions***

Sec. 141.001. Eligibility requirements for public office. (a) To be eligible to be a candidate for, or elected or appointed to, a public elective office in this state, a person must:

- 1) be a United States citizen;
- 2) be 18 years of age or older on the first day of the term to be filled at the election or on the date of appointment, as applicable;
- 3) have not been determined mentally incompetent by a final judgment of a court, or partially mentally incapacitated without the right to vote;
- 4) have not been finally convicted of a felony from which the person has not been pardoned or otherwise released from the resulting disabilities;
- 5) have resided continuously in the state for 12 months and in the territory from which the office is elected for six months immediately preceding the deadline for filing an application for a place on the ballot.
- 6) on the date described by Subdivision (5), be registered to vote in the territory from which the office is elected; and
- 7) satisfy any other eligibility requirements prescribed by law for the office.

**DEADLINES FOR FILING FOR CANDIDACY**

***Wednesday, January 13, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.*** - First Day to File for a Place on the General Election Ballot  
***Friday, February 12, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.*** - Last Day to File for a Place on the General Election Ballot  
***Tuesday, February 16, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.*** - Last Day to File a Declaration of Write-in Candidacy

***Candidate Application***

Completion of the ***APPLICATION FOR A PLACE ON THE CITY OF BURKBURNETT GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT***, posted on this webpage: <https://www.burkburnett.org/election-information>

**MEETING NOTICES**

Meeting agendas and minutes are posted on this webpage:  
<https://www.burkburnett.org/agendas-minutes>