

FILING FOR PUBLIC OFFICE

**STEP NO. 1: File Appointment of a Campaign Treasurer by a Candidate. (Sec. 252.001)
(FORM CTA)**

Candidates for county & precinct offices file with the County Clerk. (Sec. 252.005(2))

Candidates for Statewide office file with the Texas Ethics Commission. (Sec. 252.005(1))

**Judicial Candidates file Appointment of a Campaign Treasurer by a Judicial
Candidate and Judicial Declaration of Intent Regarding Expenditure Limits
(FORM JCTA)**

Candidates for District Judge file with the Texas Ethics Commission. (Sec. 252.005(1)(C))

Candidates for County Court at Law No. 1, 2, 3 & 4 file with the County Clerk. (Sec. 252.005(2))

**STEP NO. 2: Optional - File Code of Fair Campaign Practices. (Chapter 258)
(FORM CFCP)**

Candidates for county & precinct offices file with the County Clerk. (Sec. 258.003(a))

Candidates for Statewide Offices and District Judge file with Texas Ethics Commission. (Sec. 258.003(a))

STEP NO. 3: File Application for a Place on the Primary Ballot

and pay a filing fee or submit a petition in lieu of filing fee to the party chair. (Sec. 141.031, 172.021, 172.025)