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Campaign Finance Disclosure Reports, School Trustee Candidate Filing

LARAMIE COUNTY, WY- Two election filing periods launch this week: the Primary election **campaign finance disclosure filing period** begins Aug. 4 and the 20-day **candidate filing for school and college trustees and special district directors** kicks off Aug. 5.

County and municipal candidates and those with active candidate committees, local political action committees, and organizations with electioneering communications or independent expenditures are required to file the Primary Election campaign contributions and expenditures reports with the County Clerk. Reports can be filed beginning Aug. 4. The filing deadline is Aug. 11.

According to County Clerk Debra Lee, all county and municipal candidates and active committees are required to file, even if they did not have contributions or expenditures. Those who miss the deadline have their names posted in the election office and are given warnings about the consequences of failing to file-- civil penalties of up to \$200 per day for candidates and their committees. Reports filed with the Laramie County Clerk will be posted on the [Secretary of State's campaign finance page](#).

Applications for school and college boards of trustees will be accepted in the election office Aug. 5 through 24. Seats on the Laramie County School District #1 Board include one representative each for an at-large position and for Areas 1, 2 and 3. All are four-year terms. Laramie County School District #2 positions include three at-large four-year-term positions, one for residence area D, and one two-year position to fill an unexpired term for residence area F. Candidates for area representatives must reside within their respective residence areas.

Candidate applications are available on the Campaign Corner of the County Clerk's election page at www.laramiecountywy.gov or at the election office in the Laramie County Governmental Complex, 309 W 20th St., Suite 1500.

Candidates may file in person during business hours or send applications by email to election@laramiecountywy.gov, subject line Trustee Candidate [Candidate name], or fax 307-633-4240. There is no filing fee.

For more information on campaign finance disclosure reporting or school/college trustee candidate filing, call the election office at 633-4242 or visit in person at the Laramie County Governmental Complex, 309 W 20th St., Suite 1500.

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