

FILING PROCEDURES FOR NONPARTISAN ELECTIONS

Filing for Multiple Offices Prohibited

A person may file for only one municipal office during the municipal filing period. Also, a person may not run for more than one state, county, municipal, district or township office if the elections are to be held on the same date. [A.C.A. §7-5-111, 14-42-206(e)]

Nonpartisan Judicial Offices & Prosecuting Attorneys [A.C.A. §§7-6-102, 7-10-103, Act 462 of 2023]

Candidates Paying Filing Fees:

- Must file a political practices pledge and pay the filing fee during the period beginning at 3:00 p.m. on the first day of the party filing period and ending at 3:00 p.m. on the last day of the party filing period.
- Justice of the Supreme Court, Judge of the Court of Appeals, circuit judge, district judge, and prosecuting attorney file with the Secretary of State.

The filing period for nonpartisan judicial and prosecutorial candidates seeking election at the **March 5, 2024 Nonpartisan General Election** and running by means of paying a filing fee begins at **3:00 p.m. on November 6, 2023** and ends at **3:00 p.m. on November 14, 2023**.

FILING FEE SCHEDULE FOR NONPARTISAN OFFICE

Nonpartisan Office	Annual Salary Fiscal Year 2022-2023	Year 2023 Fee* (Percentage of Salary)			
		3%	4%	5%	6%
Chief Justice of the Supreme Court	\$219,902.60				\$13,200
Associate Justice of the Supreme Court	\$203,625.03				\$12,220
Judge of the Court of Appeals	\$197,596.42			\$9,880	
Circuit Judge	\$192,918.54		\$7,720		
State District Judge	\$168,803.82	\$5,070			
Prosecuting Attorney Division A	\$183,272.60	\$5,500			
Prosecuting Attorney Division B	\$155,781.66	\$4,680			

*Defined by the State Board of Election Commissioners Rules for Nonpartisan Office Filing Fees §105 and the Independent Citizens Commission Resolution of 11/1/2022