

## Public Notice

### Legal Notice- Qualifying Fees

The Irwin County Board of Commissioners, having met in regular session December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025, set qualifying fees for county offices to be filled in the 2026 election cycle.

The fees are 3% of the elected officials' salary in the previous year in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 21-2-131.

The qualifying fee for Irwin County Board of Commissioners Districts 2 and 4 are \$108

The qualifying fees for County School Board Districts 1, 3 and 5 are \$18

Qualifying for placement on the May 19<sup>th</sup>, 2026 General Primary Election Ballots for the Republican and Democratic Parties and for all Non-Partisan offices will take place between the hours of 9:00am and Noon as well as 1:00pm and 5:00pm Monday March 2<sup>nd</sup> at 9:00a.m. through Thursday March 5<sup>th</sup>, as well as 9:00am through Noon Friday March 6<sup>th</sup> in the Irwin County Elections Office at 225 E 4<sup>th</sup> St., Ocilla, GA 31774. Any candidates who submit forms and/or fees outside of this timeframe may be subject to disqualification.

The General Election will take place on November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2026.

Qualifying fees may be paid by cash (exact change only,) money order or check.

For any questions, call at (229)468-0081, email [elections@irwincounty-ga.gov](mailto:elections@irwincounty-ga.gov), or come to our office at 225 E 4<sup>th</sup> St in Ocilla Mon-Fri 8am-5pm.