

Madison County Board of Elections

2019 Municipal Election Information

The three municipalities within the boundaries of Madison County (The Town of Hot Springs, The Town of Mars Hill, and The Town of Marshall) will have an election on **November 5th, 2019**.

The following regulations will apply:

- All three municipalities will conduct their election under the “Nonpartisan Plurality” method provided in General Statute 163-279(a1)
 - All three municipalities **DO NOT** provide absentee voting (GS 163-302).
- **There will be no: Civilian Absentee Mail-In Voting, One-Stop Absentee Voting, or Military and Overseas Mail-In Voting (UOCAVA)**
- Any registered voter who resides within the boundaries of the municipality may vote during the election.

The following offices will be open:

Town of Hot Springs Vote for: Mayor, Three Aldermen	Town of Mars Hill Vote for: Two Aldermen	Town of Marshall Vote for: Mayor, Two Aldermen
(Seats Expiring) Mayor: Sidney Harrison Aldermen: Vaughn Barnett Jeanne Gentry Jimmy Moore	(Seats Expiring) Aldermen: Larry Davis Stuart Jolley	(Seats Expiring) Mayor: Jack Wallin Aldermen: Aileen Payne Laura Ponder Smith

Candidate filing will begin on **Friday, July 5th, 2019 at noon**, and will continue during regular business hours until **Friday, July 19th, 2019 at noon**.

The filing fee for all races will be five dollars (\$5.00) and is due when presenting the Notice of Candidacy to the Board of Elections.

Important Dates:

July 16th: *Deadline to withdraw notice of candidacy*

August 2nd: *Deadline to file a challenge to candidacy*

October 11th: *Voter Registration deadline*

November 5th: *Election Day*

November 15th: *County Canvass*

November 19th: *Last day to file an Election Protest (Issue not involving tabulation of ballots)*