

Qualifications for Councilmember

In Type A General Law municipalities, the qualifications for the office of councilmember are:

1. Must be a United States Citizen.
2. Must be 18 years of age on the date of the election.
3. Must be a registered voter and have lived in the State of Texas for at least 12 consecutive months prior to the filing date for the election, and in your city or ward for at least 6 months prior to the filing date for the election.
4. Must not have been convicted of a felony for which he/she has not been pardoned or otherwise released from the resulting disabilities.
5. Must not have been deemed mentally incompetent by a final judgement of a court.