

# 2018 ELECTION INFORMATION

## ELECTION DATES

**Primary Election:** Tuesday, August 7  
**General Election:** Tuesday, November 6

## CANDIDATE FILING DEADLINES

**Primary Election:** 12:00 p.m., Friday, June 1  
**Independent Nominations:** 12:00 p.m., Monday, August 6

## OFFICES TO BE ELECTED OR RETAINED

### NATIONAL LEVEL

All four U.S. Representatives

### STATE LEVEL

Governor/Lt. Governor  
 Secretary of State  
 Attorney General  
 State Treasurer  
 Commissioner of Insurance  
 1 State Senator (Dist. 13)  
 All 125 State Representatives  
 State Board of Education (#1, 3, 5, 7, 9)  
 7 Kansas Court of Appeals Judges<sup>1</sup>  
 District Court Judges (46 retained, 27 elected)<sup>1</sup>  
 District Magistrate Judges (18 retained, 3 elected)<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> as of June 7, 2017

### FILING FEES

Office	Filing Fee	GEC/SOS Fee	Total Fee
U.S. Representative	\$1,740	\$20	\$1,760
Governor/Lt. Governor	\$997/\$540	\$670	\$2,207
Secretary of State	\$861	\$670	\$1,531
Attorney General	\$990	\$670	\$1,660
State Treasurer	\$861	\$670	\$1,531
Commissioner of Insurance	\$861	\$670	\$1,531
State Senate	\$75	\$70	\$145
State Representative	\$50	\$70	\$120
State Board of Education	\$25	\$70	\$105
Court of Appeals <sup>2</sup>	N/A	\$20	\$20
District Court Judge <sup>2</sup>	\$1,231	\$70	\$1,301
District Magistrate Judge <sup>2</sup>	\$100	\$70	\$170
County Officers	\$5 or 1% or salary	\$50	N/A
Township Officers	\$1	N/A	\$1

### PETITION REQUIREMENTS

Party Candidates	Independent Candidates <sup>3</sup>
2% party	4% or 5,000
D - 3,507; R - 5,090	5,000
D - 4,263; R - 7,836	5,000
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2% party	4% voters
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200 voters	200 voters
N/A	N/A
2% party	4% voters
2% party	4% voters
3% party	4% voters
3% party	10 or 5%

<sup>2</sup> Judicial officers who are appointed and retained in office, rather than elected, pay only the GEC/SOS fee.

<sup>3</sup> Independent candidates may file for office only by petition. Upon filing a valid petition and paying the GEC/SOS fee, the candidate's name will be placed directly on the general ballot. An independent candidate must be registered as an unaffiliated voter. Percent requirements for petitions are based upon the total number of registered voters in the district as provided by KSA 25-205 and 25-303. Salary Information Sources: U.S. House of Representatives Chief Clerk; Kansas Division of Personnel Services; Kansas Office of Judicial Administration.