

**NOTICE OF ELECTION
CITY OF GUNNISON
REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION
MAY 10, 2011**

There will be three (3) City Council positions open and two ballot issues. Any person who is qualified for the office to be filled may be nominated by petition. A petition shall be signed by not fewer than twenty-five (25) qualified electors for each candidate to be elected. A registered elector may sign petitions for as many persons as there are offices to be filled by the election. Therefore, a registered elector can sign up to three petitions in this election. The two persons receiving the highest number of votes shall be elected for a term of office of four years. The third highest number of votes shall be elected for a term of office of two years. All Council seats are non-partisan and represent the entire City. There is only one precinct/district.

To be eligible to be nominated for the City Council vacancies, a person shall be twenty-one (21) years of age or older, and have been a resident of the City of Gunnison for at least one (1) year immediately preceding the last day for filing the original petition (April 8, 2011) for such office.

A petition for nomination can be picked up at the office of the City Clerk, 201 W. Virginia Avenue, Gunnison, Colorado, beginning 8:00 A.M., Friday, March 11, 2011. Petitions will be received by the City Clerk from March 11, 2011, but no later than 5:00 P.M., on Friday, April 8, 2011.

The last date to register to vote in the City election is April 8, 2011. Voter registration is done at the County Clerk's Election Office in the County's Blackstock Government Building across from the Post Office. If you are a current registered voter at the office of the Gunnison County Clerk, you are eligible and registered to vote in the City election, provided you have been a resident of the City of Gunnison for at least thirty-two (32) days prior to the election and you are eighteen (18) years of age or older, and a citizen of the United States.

The Election will be conducted as a Mail Ballot Election. Mail Ballots will be mailed to active registered City electors on April 20, 2011. If you are a registered voter but will not be home between April 20th and May 10th, and would like your ballot mailed to another location, please request an absentee ballot form at the City Clerk's office, 201 W. Virginia Avenue in Gunnison. If you have questions about the Regular Municipal Election, please call City Clerk Gail Davidson at 970-641-8140.

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