

## NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF HORRY CITY OF CONWAY

Notice is hereby given that a Special Nonpartisan Election will be held in the City of Conway, South Carolina, on Tuesday, June 13, 2023, as prescribed by state law. The purpose of the election is to elect a Council member to fill the vacancy of a term which expires December 31, 2023. The filing opens on Thursday, April 6, 2023, at Noon and closes on Friday, April 28, 2023, at Noon. Candidates must be qualified voters of the city and must have resided within the city for at least four months prior to the date of this election (as of February 13, 2023). Candidates may file in the office of the City Clerk at the Building and Planning Department, 196 Laurel Street. At the time of filing, candidates must submit proof of residency, a Statement of Candidacy, and pay the filing fee of \$325. A Statement of Economic Interest must be filed online at the SC State Ethics Commission website (http://ethics.sc.gov).

## **QUALIFICATIONS FOR VOTING**

Every person offering to vote must be duly registered on the Horry County books of registration as an elector at the precinct in which he offers to vote thirty (30) days prior to the election. The last day to register to vote in this Special Municipal Election is May 12, 2023.

## PRECINCT HOURS/LOCATIONS

Voting hours will be from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 13, at the following precinct locations:

<u>Coastal Carolina</u>—Christ the Servant Lutheran Church; <u>East Conway</u>—Conway Library; <u>Four Mile</u>—Bethany Bible Chapel; <u>Homewood</u>—Homewood Elementary School; <u>Jamestown</u>—South Conway Elementary School; <u>Maple</u>—Maple Baptist Church; <u>North Conway #1</u>—Mary Thompson Building at Collins Park; <u>North Conway #2</u>—Conway Elementary School; <u>Racepath #1</u>—Conway Senior Center; <u>Racepath #2</u>—Whittemore Park Middle School; <u>Red Hill #1</u>—Christ the Servant Lutheran Church; <u>West Conway</u>—Horry County Government & Justice Center; <u>Wild Wing</u>—Christ the Servant Lutheran Church.

The early voting period for this special election begins on Tuesday, May 30, 2023 and ends on Friday, June 9, 2023. You can vote early at the Elections Office located at 1515 4th Avenue, Conway between the hours of 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., Monday - Friday.

Registered electors who cannot vote in person may be eligible to vote absentee by mail. Voters who would like more information about absentee voting by mail you should contact the Horry County Voters Registration Office located at 1515  $4^{th}$  Avenue, Conway.

The absentee ballots will be opened and examined in the Elections office, located at 1515 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue, at 9 a.m. on Tuesday, June 13, 2023.

At the close of the election, tallying of results will be held in City Council Chambers, 229 Main Street, Conway. If a run-off election is necessary, said run-off election will be held on Tuesday, June 27, 2023.

## **CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION**

The Municipal Election Commission will hold a hearing on Wednesday, June 14, 2023, at 10:00 a.m. for the purpose of determining the validity of all provisional ballots and certifying the election results. The certification will be held in the conference room at Conway City Hall, 229 Main Street, Conway.