

2024 FINALIZED FILING FEES BY OFFICE

LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA

OFFICE SOUGHT	SALARY Fee Based on 6% Or 4% of Salary	6% Partisan Candidate Fee	4% (NPA) No Party Affiliation or Nonpartisan	<p>No Party Affiliation (NPA) means a candidate who will run for a partisan office without designating a party affiliation. A No Party Affiliation (NPA) candidate <i>is not the same</i> as a candidate who runs for a nonpartisan office.</p> <p>“Nonpartisan office” means an office for which a candidate is prohibited from campaigning or qualifying for election or retention in office based on party affiliation.</p> <p>The following offices are designated as nonpartisan:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>County Court Judge Independent Special District School Board Member</i></p>
CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT AND COMPTROLLER	\$178,407	\$10,704.42	\$7,136.28	
COUNTY COMMISSIONER	\$108,119	\$6,487.14	\$4,324.76	
COUNTY COURT JUDGE	\$180,616		\$7,224.64	
PROPERTY APPRAISER	\$178,407	\$10,704.42	\$7,136.28	
SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER	\$51,938		\$2,077.52	
SHERIFF	\$214,256	\$12,855.36	\$8,570.24	
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS	\$178,407	\$10,704.42	\$7,136.28	
SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS	\$178,407	\$10,704.42	\$7,136.28	
TAX COLLECTOR	\$178,407	\$10,704.42	\$7,136.28	

INDEPENDENT SPECIAL DISTRICT CANDIDATES

OFFICE SOUGHT	⁽³⁾ FEE	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>County Court Judge</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Candidate Petition Deadline Prior to Noon, March 25, 2024</p> <p style="text-align: center;">County Court Judge Qualifying Dates Noon, April 22, 2024 through Noon, April 26, 2024 Pre-qualifying begins April 8, 2024</p>
CAPTIVA EROSION PREVENTION DISTRICT	\$25.00	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>ALL OTHER OFFICES</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Candidate Petition Deadline Prior to Noon, May 13, 2024</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Candidate Qualifying Dates Noon, June 10, 2024 through Noon, June 14, 2024 Pre-qualifying begins May 27, 2024</p>
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS	\$25.00	
FIRE CONTROL DISTRICTS	\$25.00	
LEE MEMORIAL HEALTH SYSTEM BOARD OF DIRECTORS	\$25.00	
LIBRARY DISTRICTS	\$25.00	
MOSQUITO CONTROL DISTRICTS	\$25.00	

6% fee breakdown ⁽¹⁾ (distribution)	4% fee breakdown ⁽²⁾ (distribution)
(1%=election assessment) (2%=party assessment) (3%=filing fee)	(1%=election assessment) and (3%=filing fee)

Candidate Petition Signature Requirements

County Court Judge Candidate (countywide)	School Board Member Candidate (2 & 3 by district) (7, countywide)	Independent Special District Candidate (by district)	All Other Candidates (countywide)
5,180	District 2 = 1,076	25	5,180
	District 3 = 1,137		
	District 7 = 5,180		

A candidate who successfully obtains the required number of valid candidate petition signatures for the office sought will not be required to pay the fee to qualify for office.

⁽¹⁾6% fee = 1% election assessment forwarded to the Florida Elections Commission and 5% (2% party assessment and 3% filing fee), to the state political party of the candidate.

⁽²⁾4% fee = 4% fee (1% election assessment and 3% filing fee), forwarded to the Florida Elections Commission for County Court Judge and School Board Candidate.

⁽²⁾4% fee = 4% fee (1% election assessment), forwarded to the Florida Elections Commission and (3% filing fee) to general revenue fund of the county for NPA candidate.

⁽³⁾\$25.00 filing fee in the general revenue fund of the county for independent special district candidate.