

ATTENTION CANDIDATES FOR CENTER BOARD OF EDUCATION

Pursuant to Center School District policy and Missouri state law, the annual election of the Board of Education for the Center School District #58 will be held on Tuesday, April 6, 2021. There are two (2) seats available, both with three (3) year terms.

Membership to the Board is open to resident taxpayers of the Center School District #58 who have resided in the state for one (1) year prior to the election and are at least twenty-four (24) years of age. Candidates must be citizens of the United States.

Qualified applicants for the Board may file in person in the District office located at 8701 Holmes Road. Ballot order will be determined by the order of candidate filing. Interested candidates will form a line at the front door of the District office, 8701 Holmes Road. If you have any questions about this process, please review Board Policy BBB-3, located on the District's website. For more information, call Ms. Stephanie Archie, Secretary of the Board of Education at (816) 349-3310.

PLEASE NOTE THAT DUE TO COVID-19, the manner of filing is still consistent with Board policy and Missouri law, but different than prior years. Please review closely and let me know if you have any questions.

Filing will begin on Tuesday, December 22, 2020, from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. Walk-in, in-person filings will be accepted during this one-hour time block.

The District will be closed from December 22, 2020 at 9:01 a.m. through January 2, 2021. The office will also be closed Monday, January 18, 2021 to observe the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday. Filings will not be accepted on these days.

The District will re-open for in-person filing by appointment during regular office hours Tuesday, January 5, 2021 through Monday, January 18, 2021. Office hours during these days is 8:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m. Interested persons filing in this manner will continue to be placed on the ballot in the order of filing.

The deadline for filing is Tuesday, January 19, 2021. Office hours for the last day of filing will be 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Please contact me at 816-349-3310 or email me at sarchie@center.k12.mo.us to schedule an appointment.

- **NO filings will be accepted on days the District offices are closed for holidays inclement weather, Local or State Government shut down or COVID-19 restrictions.**

***Candidates must wear masks, social distance and observe district infection control rules in force at the time of filing.**