



## **AP 2100 Board of Education Elections**

### **References:**

ORS 341.326, ORS 341.327, ORS 255.335

The RCC Board of Education members represent Jackson and Josephine counties. They are elected to unpaid four-year terms and may be re-elected without term limits.

Candidates must be at least eighteen years old and reside in the zone for which they are running. In addition, candidates must be a registered voter who has lived within the district for one year prior to the election. Board candidates cannot have contractual, employment, or other financial interest in the College.

Board members are elected by zone. Interested persons should contact the Josephine County Clerk's Office to determine residency in the correct zone. For further information, contact the Assistant to the President – Governance ([www.roguecc.edu/Search/PhoneNumbers/](http://www.roguecc.edu/Search/PhoneNumbers/))

The deadline to file for the election (third Tuesday in May of odd numbered years) typically begins 101 days prior to the election and closes no later than 61 days before the election. All candidates must complete a Declaration of Candidacy (form SEL190, available online at <https://sos.oregon.gov/elections/Documents/SEL190.pdf>) and file the form with the Josephine County Clerk's Office. There is a filing fee plus an additional fee to include a statement in the voter's pamphlet. Applicable forms may be obtained and filed at the Josephine County Clerk's Office, 550 NW Sixth St., Grants Pass. RCC has its home office in Grants Pass. All board filings for the ballot must be filed with Josephine County, including Jackson County seats.

While applications for candidacy must be filed in Josephine County, statements for voters' pamphlets must be filed in the county of residence.

The Josephine County Clerk's office website has more information:

<http://www.co.josephine.or.us/Page.asp?NavID=1967>

The Jackson County Clerk's office website has more information:

<http://jacksoncountyor.org/clerk/Elections/Elections-Office>

The Oregon Secretary of State publishes a Candidate Manual which is available online:

<https://sos.oregon.gov/elections/Documents/county-city-district-candidates.pdf>

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