



Choctaw Nation Election Board

PUBLIC NOTICE - PROSPECTIVE CANDIDATES FILING FOR ELECTIVE OFFICE

To the Tribal Members of The Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

In accordance with the Chief and Tribal Council Election Ordinance, adopted by CB -124 -18 (amended by CB -39 -19, CB -88 -19).

Notice is Hereby Given, That the candidate filing period for the 2019 Choctaw Nation elections ended today, April 24th. The list of prospective candidates filing for the elective offices of Council Districts 1, 2, 3, 5, 8 and 11, and Chief are listed below.

<p><u>Council District 1</u></p> <p>Thomas R. Williston (<i>incumbent</i>)</p>	<p><u>Council District 2</u></p> <p>Jonathan Anthony Ward (Tony) (<i>incumbent</i>)</p> <p>Michael A. Amos</p> <p>Sherrill Battiest</p>
<p><u>Council District 3</u></p> <p>Eddie Bohanan</p>	<p><u>Council District 5</u></p> <p>Ronald Clyde Perry (<i>incumbent</i>)</p> <p>Louisa Tad Gonzalez</p>
<p><u>Council District 8</u></p> <p>Perry Thompson (<i>incumbent</i>)</p> <p>Paul Roberts</p>	<p><u>Council District 11</u></p> <p>Bob Pate (<i>incumbent</i>)</p> <p>Nellie Meashintubby</p> <p>Robert Wayne Karr</p> <p>Arthur (Rob) Robertson</p>
<p><u>Chief</u></p> <p>Gary Batton (<i>incumbent</i>)</p>	

The Contest of Candidacy Period begins at 8:00 a.m. on Thursday, April 25th and ends at 4:30 p.m. Friday, April 26th. Any contests of candidacy can be made in Membership Conference Room #1251 at the Choctaw Nation Headquarters at 1802 Chukka Hina Durant, OK 74701.

All prospective candidates are pending qualification checks. A list of qualified candidates appearing on the ballot will be released at a later date. Early Voting will be July 12th and General Election will be July 13th.

For more information about Choctaw Nation elections, visit <https://www.choctawnation.com/elections> or contact the Election Board Secretary by email at ElectionBoard@choctawnation.com or by phone at [580-924-8280](tel:580-924-8280), ext. 2289 or 2989.