

2023 Primary Candidate List

Per ORC 3513.30 (E) Candidates who withdraw less than 70 days before election day will have their names printed on the ballot but no votes will be tallied.

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Amherst City

Candidate	Party	Office	Vote for not more than...	Term In Years	Filed	Contact Info
Becky Harmych	Democratic	2nd Ward Council	1	4	1/30/2023	819 S. Main St., Amherst, OH 44001
Nicole Janik	Democratic	2nd Ward Council	1	4	1/31/2023	522 Seaton Ct., Amherst, OH 44001

Avon Lake City

Candidate	Party	Office	Vote for not more than...	Term In Years	Filed	Contact Info
Amy Gentry		3rd Ward Council	1	4	1/30/2023	64 Landings Way, Avon Lake, OH 44012
Deanna M. Leitner		3rd Ward Council	1	4	1/31/2023	168 Fairfield Road, Avon Lake, OH 44012
Holly Moore Kowalski		3rd Ward Council	1	4	1/31/2023	32555 Captains Galley, Avon Lk, OH 44012

Avon Lake Muni Court

Candidate	Party	Office	Vote for not more than...	Term In Years	Filed	Contact Info
Wayne R. Nicol	Democratic	Judge	1	6	1/30/2023	2571 Fairfield Dr., Avon, OH 44011
Geoffrey R. Smith	Democratic	Judge	1	6	1/5/2023	32956 Durrell Ave., Avon Lake, OH 44012
Paul M. Kocsis	Republican	Judge	1	6	1/27/2023	3349 Barrington Dr., Avon, OH 44011
Allison L. Manning	Republican	Judge	1	6	1/20/2023	4317 S. Fall Lake Dr., Avon, OH 44011

Elyria City

Candidate	Party	Office	Vote for not more than...	Term In Years	Filed	Contact Info
Alice Gobeille	Republican	Mayor	1	4	1/26/2023	121 Harrison St., Elyria, OH 44035
Honey Howard	Republican	Law Director	1	4	2/1/2023	894 Hartford Dr., Elyria, OH 44035
John Gall	Republican	Council-at-Large	4	2	1/30/2023	424 Augusta Dr., Elyria, OH 44035
Garry Gibbs	Republican	Council-at-Large	4	2	2/1/2023	1610 Park Ave., Elyria, OH 44035
James L. Miller	Republican	Council-at-Large	4	2	1/31/2023	5546 Riveredge Dr., Elyria, OH 44035
Ray Noble	Republican	Council-at-Large	4	2	1/26/2023	209 Naples Dr., Elyria, OH 44035
Maurice E. Corbin III	Republican	3rd Ward Council	1	2	1/17/2023	443 Augusta Dr., Elyria, OH 44035
Jeff Baxter	Republican	4th Ward Council	1	2	1/30/2023	160 Burns Rd., Elyria, OH 44035
Leigh Ann Arroyo	Democratic	5th Ward Council	1	2	1/31/2023	247 Massachusetts Ave, Elyria, OH 44035
Kim Black-Brown	Democratic	5th Ward Council	1	2	1/26/2023	637 State St., Elyria, OH 44035
Keandra Shores	Democratic	5th Ward Council	1	2	2/1/2023	331 South Maple St, Elyria, OH 44035
Brenda W. Warren	Democratic	5th Ward Council	1	2	1/30/2023	436 10th St., Elyria, OH 44035
Marcio Tolentino	Republican	6th Ward Council	1	2	1/30/2023	127 Cheshire Dr., Elyria, OH 44035

Elyria Muni Court

Candidate	Party	Office	Vote for not more than...	Term In Years	Filed	Contact Info
Greg Fanning	Republican	Clerk	1	6	1/31/2023	6025 Havencrest Ct., N. Ridgeville, OH 44039
Mike Musto	Republican	Clerk	1	6	2/1/2023	16449 S Boone Rd, Columbia St, OH 44028

Lorain City

Candidate	Party	Office	Vote for not more than...	Term In Years	Filed	Contact Info
Jack W. Bradley	Democratic	Mayor	1	4	1/13/2023	1358 2nd. St., Lorain, OH 44052
Mitchell J. Fallis	Democratic	Mayor	1	4	1/31/2023	1529 W. 30th St., Lorain, OH 44052
Mary Springowski	Democratic	Mayor	1	4	1/27/2023	2122 Skyline Dr., Lorain, OH 44053
Joel P. Arredondo	Democratic	President of Council	1	2	1/24/2023	607 Allison Ave., Lorain, OH 44052
Karen A. Shawver	Democratic	Auditor	1	4	1/30/2023	5812 Plymouth Dr., Lorain, OH 44053
Patrick D. Riley	Democratic	Law Director	1	4	1/17/2023	4860 Pheasant Dr., Lorain, OH 44053
Tony Dimacchia	Democratic	Council-at-Large	3	2	2/1/2023	3920 Cornerstone Way, Lorain, OH 44053
Sylvia DuVall	Democratic	Council-at-Large	3	2	1/31/2023	1321 W. 5th St, Lorain, OH 44052
Anthony Eliopoulos	Democratic	Council-at-Large	3	2	2/1/2023	5941 Plymouth Dr., Lorain, OH 44053
Rita Linda Garcia	Democratic	Council-at-Large	3	2	1/31/2023	1054 Hawthorne Ave, Lorain, OH 44052
Daniel W. Given	Democratic	Council-at-Large	3	2	1/27/2023	3945 Woodstock Dr., Lorain, OH 44053
Joseph F. Koziura	Democratic	Council-at-Large	3	2	2/1/2023	3850 Heron Dr., Lorain, OH 44053
Kyriecce Brooks	Republican	Council-at-Large	3	2	2/1/2023	3250 Camden Ave., Lorain, OH 44055
Raymond J. Dennis	Republican	Council-at-Large	3	2	2/1/2023	839 W. 14th St., Lorain, OH 44052
Gilbert Garcia	Republican	Council-at-Large	3	2	2/1/2023	4211 Washington Ave., Lorain, OH 44052
Marlin Linger	Republican	Council-at-Large	3	2	2/1/2023	1729 W. 42nd St., Lorain, OH 44053
Beth Henley	Democratic	1st Ward Council	1	2	1/27/2023	2923 Cleveland Blvd., Lorain, OH 44052
Victoria Kempton	Democratic	2nd Ward Council	1	2	1/31/2023	1746 Oakdale Ave., Lorain, OH 44052
Pamela M. Carter	Democratic	3rd Ward Council	1	2	1/30/2023	1910 Pole Ave., Lorain, OH 44052
Dan Nutt	Democratic	4th Ward Council	1	2	2/1/2023	825 W. North Ridge Rd., Lorain, OH 44053
Antonio Barrios	Democratic	5th Ward Council	1	2	2/1/2023	1218 Industrial St., Lorain, OH 44055
JoAnne Moon	Democratic	5th Ward Council	1	2	1/23/2023	3543 Toledo Ave., Lorain, OH 44055
Antonio L. Baez	Democratic	6th Ward Council	1	2	2/1/2023	2123 E 42nd St., Lorain, OH 44055
Cory L. Shawver	Democratic	7th Ward Council	1	2	2/1/2023	2117 11th St., Lorain, OH 44052
Mary E. Spellacy	Democratic	7th Ward Council	1	2	1/27/2023	3827 Woodstock Dr., Lorain, OH 44053
Joshua Thornsberry	Democratic	8th Ward Council	1	2	1/6/2023	4504 Crossing Trl., Lorain, OH 44053

North Ridgeville City

Candidate	Party	Office	Vote for not more than...	Term In Years	Filed	Contact Info
Kevin Corcoran	Republican	Mayor	1	4	1/30/2023	32563 Bluffstone Cir, N. Ridgeville, OH 44039
Holly A. Swenk	Republican	1st Ward Council	1	4	1/24/2023	36259 Center Rdg, N. Ridgeville, OH 44039
Eric Todd Shaffer	Republican	2nd Ward Council	1	4	1/31/2023	5845 Avon Belden, N. Ridgeville, OH 44039
Bruce F. Abens	Republican	3rd Ward Council	1	4	1/11/2023	9373 Kenmore Way, N Ridgeville, OH 44039
Clifford B. Winkel	Republican	4th Ward Council	1	4	1/18/2023	5640 Broad Blvd., N. Ridgeville, OH 44039

Sheffield Lake City

Candidate	Party	Office	Vote for not more than...	Term In Years	Filed	Contact Info
Dennis Bring		Mayor	1	4	1/9/2023	5389 Lake Rd., Sheffield Lake, OH 44054
Romolo DeBottis		Mayor	1	4	11/28/2022	868 Lake Breeze Rd., Sheffield Lk, OH 44054
Rocky Radeff		Mayor	1	4	1/13/2023	800 Oakwood Ave, Sheffield Lk, OH 44054

**No Primary Election will be held for the following
Candidates, and their names will not appear on ballots for
the Primary Election.**

**Candidates are certified to the General Election ballot per
RC 3513.02 or the cited section of their city charter.**

Amherst City

Candidate	Party	Office	Vote for not more than...	Term In Years	Filed	Contact Info
Mark L. Costilow	Republican	Mayor	1	4	1/24/2023	186 Lincoln St., Amherst, OH 44001
Anthony R. Pecora	Democratic	Law Director	1	4	1/27/2023	139 Westchester Dr., Amherst, OH 44001
Brian Dembinski	Democratic	1st Ward Council	1	4	1/30/2023	782 Peregrine Pl., Amherst, OH 44001
Kevin DeLong	Republican	1st Ward Council	1	4	1/30/2023	810 Woodbridge Ct., Amherst, OH 44001
Jerry Gach	Republican	2nd Ward Council	1	4	1/30/2023	617 Eastpointe Ct., Amherst, OH 44001
Jake Wachholz	Democratic	3rd Ward Council	1	4	1/13/2023	340 Jackson St., Amherst, OH 44001
Stephanie Smith Pinsky	Democratic	4th Ward Council	1	4	2/1/2023	829 Lincoln St., Amherst, OH 44001
Matthew W. Nahorn	Republican	4th Ward Council	1	4	1/4/2023	46900 Cooper Foster, Amherst, OH 44001

Avon Lake City

Per Chapter XII, Section 62 of the Charter of Avon Lake City

Candidate	Party	Office	Vote for not more than...	Term In Years	Filed	Contact Info
Mark A. Spaetzel		Mayor	1	4	1/17/2023	136 Drummond St., Avon Lake, OH 44012
Karl C. Zuber		Mayor	1	4	1/26/2023	216 Moore Apt 3W, Avon Lake, OH 44012
Tracey Corbo		1st Ward Council	1	4	2/1/2023	595 Parkside Dr., Avon Lake, OH 44012
Rob Shahmir		1st Ward Council	1	4	1/31/2023	31705 Driftwood Ct, Avon Lake, OH 44012
Bob Brooks		2nd Ward Council	1	4	1/31/2023	32163 Teasel Ct., Avon lake, Oh 44012
Jennifer G. Fenderbosch		2nd Ward Council	1	4	1/24/2023	32316 Gable Ln., Avon Lake, OH 44012
David L. Kos		4th Ward Council	1	4	1/24/2023	32901 Redwood Blvd, Avon Lake, OH 44012
John G. Dzwonczyk		Bd. Of Muni Utilities	3	4	1/26/2023	31765 Leeward Ct., Avon Lake, OH 44012
David J. Rickey		Bd. Of Muni Utilities	3	4	1/30/2023	32329 Orchard Pk Dr, Avon Lake, OH 44012
Dana Schnabel		Bd. Of Muni Utilities	3	4	1/27/2023	523 Legends Row, Avon Lake, OH 44012

Elyria City

Candidate	Party	Office	Vote for not more than...	Term In Years	Filed	Contact Info
Kevin A. Brubaker	Democratic	Mayor	1	4	1/25/2023	342 Springbrook Cir., Elyria, OH 44035
Ted M. Pileski	Democratic	Finance Director	1	4	1/26/2023	346 Colgate Ave., Elyria, OH 44035
Amanda R. Deery	Democratic	Law Director	1	4	1/19/2023	380 Windward Dr., Elyria, OH 44035
Thomas G. Callahan	Democratic	Council-at-Large	4	2	1/20/2023	570 Stafford Dr., Elyria, OH 44035
Chad Schneider	Democratic	Council-at-Large	4	2	1/31/2023	234 Crestview Dr., Elyria, OH 44035
Victor F. Stewart III	Democratic	Council-at-Large	4	2	1/27/2023	186 Burns Rd., Elyria, OH 44035
Phil Tollett	Democratic	Council-at-Large	4	2	1/26/2023	121 Overbrook Rd., Elyria, OH 44035
Matthew Van Wormer	Democratic	1st Ward Council	1	2	1/26/2023	235 Denison Ave., Elyria, OH 44035
Brenda K. Davis	Democratic	2nd Ward Council	1	2	1/26/2023	684 Bell Ave., Elyria, OH 44035
Mary F. Siwierka	Democratic	3rd Ward Council	1	2	1/26/2023	119 Fresno Ct., Elyria, OH 44035
Kenny Oswald	Democratic	4th Ward Council	1	2	1/12/2023	237 Pepperdine Dr., Elyria, OH 44035
Donna Mitchell	Democratic	6th Ward Council	1	2	1/11/2023	196 Egret Dr., Elyria, OH 44035
Jack W. Cerra	Democratic	7th Ward Council	1	2	1/26/2023	184 Longfellow St., Elyria, OH 44035

Elyria Muni Court

Candidate	Party	Office	Vote for not more than...	Term In Years	Filed	Contact Info
Eric J. Rothgery	Democratic	Clerk	1	6	1/26/2023	145 Canterbury Rd., Elyria, OH 44035

North Ridgeville City

Candidate	Party	Office	Vote for not more than...	Term In Years	Filed	Contact Info
Paul Wolanski	Democratic	Mayor	1	4	1/20/2023	6048 Opal St., N. Ridgeville, OH 44039
Susan Olsen	Democratic	1st Ward Council	1	4	1/31/2023	7685 Maddock Rd., N Ridgeville, OH 44039
Dennis J. Boose	Democratic	2nd Ward Council	1	4	1/12/2023	6405 Denise Dr., N. Ridgeville, OH 44039
Genevieve Flieger	Democratic	4th Ward Council	1	4	1/23/2023	32797 Chestnut Rdg, N Ridgeville, OH 44039

Sheffield Lake City**Per Chapter IX, Section 1 of the Charter of Sheffield lake City**

Candidate	Party	Office	Vote for not more than...	Term In Years	Filed	Contact Info
Richard Rosso		President of Council	1	4	1/27/2023	4054 Lake Rd., Sheffield Lake, OH 44054
Mark Cizl		Council-at-Large	3	4	1/23/2023	980 Lakewood Beach, Sheffield Lk, OH 44054
Rosa Gee		Council-at-Large	3	4	2/1/2023	272 Gayle Dr., Sheffield Lake, OH 44054
Steve Kovach		Council-at-Large	3	4	1/19/2023	850 Hollyview Dr., Sheffield Lake, OH 44054
Adam Shaw		Council-at-Large	3	4	2/1/2023	165 Pembridge Ct, Sheffield Lk, OH 44054