

**NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION
TOWN OF AWENDAW, SC
NOVEMBER 2, 2021**

Notice is hereby given that the Charleston County Board of Elections and Voter Registration will conduct a General Election for the Town of Awendaw on Tuesday, November 2, 2021 to fill (1) one seat for the office of Mayor and (3) three Town Council seats.

This is a non-partisan, at-large, municipal election and no party affiliation shall be placed on the ballot. Election results will be determined by plurality method. **Term of office will expire November 2025.**

Candidate filing opens 12:00 noon on Friday, August 20, 2021 and closes 12:00 noon on Tuesday, August 31, 2021.

A Statement of Economic Interest form must be filed electronically (on-line) at <http://ethics.sc.gov> prior to filing a Statement of Candidacy and or Petition. Those requiring electronic filing assistance may contact the South Carolina State Ethics Commission at 803-253-4192.

Residents desiring to file as a candidate for the office of Town Council must file a Statement of Candidacy with the Town of Awendaw, 6971 Doar Road, Awendaw, SC. Filing fees for the office of Mayor is \$100.00, and \$50.00 for the office of Town Council. Please make checks payable to the Town of Awendaw. Office business hours are Monday – Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. You may call the Town Hall at 843-928-3100 for additional information.

The last day that persons may register to be eligible to vote in this election (In Person) is October 1, 2021. (Online deadline is Sunday, October 3, 2021). If submitting a voter registration application by mail or fax, it must be post marked no later than Monday, October 4, 2021.

Registered voters who cannot vote in person may be eligible to vote by absentee ballot. Absentee ballots may be obtained from the Charleston County Board of Elections and Voter Registration. You may call 744-8683 or send an email to absentee@charlestoncounty.org to inquire about the availability of absentee ballots.

At 9:00 a.m., on Monday, November 1, 2021, the Charleston County Board of Elections and Voter Registration will begin the examination of the absentee ballot return envelopes. This process will take place at the Board of Elections office, 4367 Headquarters Road, North Charleston, SC.

On Thursday, November 4, 2021 at **9:00 a.m.**, the Charleston County Board of Canvassers will hold a public hearing at the elections office, 4367 Headquarters Road, North Charleston, SC, to determine the validity of all ballots challenged in this election, and certify election results.

This municipal election will be held under the new rules for providing Photo ID at the polling place listed below. The polls will open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. at the polling location fixed by law in this county.

Awendaw

Awendaw Town Hall, 6971 Doar Road

Christ Church

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