SECTION 3.02 QUALIFICATIONS

Each candidate for election or appointment to the City Council or office of Mayor shall be a qualified voter of the City, shall be eighteen (18) years of age or older on the first day of the term to be filled at the election, shall have resided in the City not less than twelve (12) months immediately preceding the date of the regular deadline for a candidate's application for a place on the ballot and shall meet the requirements of the Texas Election Code.

No candidate may file in a single election for more than one (1) office or position as provided by this Charter. No employee of the City shall remain an employee of the City after filing for a seat on the City Council or the office of Mayor. Such filing shall constitute a voluntary resignation.

The City Council is the final judge of all elections and the qualifications of its members and of any other elected officials of the City.