

Southwest Area Commission Candidate Petition

TIMELINE

AUGUST 19	Candidate packets released and posted to SWAC website
AUGUST 19 - SEPTEMBER 2	AC candidate application open
SEPTEMBER 2	Deadline to submit completed candidate election packets to AC Election Chair
SEPT. 2 – 8	AC Elections Committees certify completed candidate packets
SEPTEMBER 22	Election Date If Needed
JAN 1	New Commissioner terms begin

Instructions

1. Complete the *Candidate Profile* and Narrative.
2. To be eligible for participation in the Southwest Area Commission election, all items must be submitted to

Gavin French

at

southwestareacommission@gmail.com

on or before the deadline of *September 2, 2026, by midnight.*

Candidate Profile

Area Commission for which you are applying: _____

How many meetings have you attended? _____

Have you informed the commission of your intention to apply? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Are you applying to be re-appointed to a seat that you currently hold? ☐ Yes ☐ No

*Name: _____ Date: _____

*Home Address: _____

*City / Township: _____ *Zip Code: _____

*Email Address: _____ *Home Phone: _____

*Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Neighborhood: _____



☐ Resident Seat

☐ At-Large Seat *(If yes, please include address)* _____

☐ District Seat *(If yes, please identify the district/area):* _____

☐ Other *(Please specify):* _____

Please provide a brief professional bio that highlights the relevant experience you will bring to the commission and a rationale for your desire to serve on the Commission. Please write legibly below or attach a single page, printed document to this petition. *(Please note, if you are selected, this bio will be submitted with your appointment form to Columbus City Council and the Mayor's Office and will become public record.)*

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