

CITY OF DORAL NOTICE OF QUALIFYING PERIOD (FOR THE NOVEMBER 8, 2016 CITY OF DORAL GENERAL ELECTION)

The City of Doral will hold a **General Election on Tuesday, November 8, 2016** for the positions of **Mayor, Councilmember Seat 1 and Councilmember Seat 3**.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Doral will have a **Qualifying Period for the November 8, 2016 General Election** that shall run from <u>no earlier than noon (12:00 p.m.) on *Tuesday, July 5th, 2016* through no later than noon (12:00 p.m.) on *Tuesday, July 19th, 2016* for all persons interested in qualifying as candidates for the above-referenced seats during the 2016 General Election. The requirements for qualifying, as specified in the City of Doral Charter, the City of Doral City Code, and Florida Statutes are are as follows:</u>

- > Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository for Candidates (DS DE 9)
- > Statement of Candidate (DS DE 84)
- > Candidate Oath (DS-DE 25)
- > Voluntary Declaration for Candidates
- > 2015 FORM 1
- Voter Registration Card
- Proof of residency in the City of Doral for two (2) years prior to qualifying.
- > Candidate Affirmation
- > Qualifying fee of \$200.00
- > Sign bond in the amount of \$500.00
- ➤ Fee of \$120.00 for Candidates for Council seats; or fee of \$500.00 for Candidates for Mayoral seat which will be forwarded to the Florida Elections Commission for deposit into the Election Commission Trust Fund (F.S. 99.093)
 - o The Sign Bond, the Qualifying Fee, and the Fee for the Election Commission Trust Fund are payable to the City of Doral and provided to the City Clerk at the time of qualification. **Note:** funds <u>must</u> be drawn from the candidate's campaign account.

For further information, all interested persons should contact Connie Diaz, City Clerk, at cityclerk@cityofdoral.com between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Connie Diaz, CMC City Clerk