

2020 STATE AND FEDERAL OFFICES AND FILING FEES

Candidates for these positions submit the Declaration for Nomination/Oath of Candidacy and filing fee to the Secretary of State's office.

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Office	District	Qualifications	Annual Salary	Filing Fee
State Representative 2-year term	House Districts 17, 70, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84	18 years of age, U.S. Citizen, reside in the state 1 year preceding general election, resident of county (or of the district if it is a multi-county district) for 6 months preceding general election.	n/a	\$15.00
State Senator 4-year term	Senate Districts 35, 40	18 years of age, U.S. Citizen, reside in the state 1 year preceding general election, resident of county (or of the district if it is a multi-county district) for 6 months preceding general election.	n/a	\$15.00
District Court Judge 6-year term	District 1, Dept. 3	18 years of age, U.S. Citizen, reside in the state for 2 years immediately before taking office, admitted to practice law in Montana 5 years prior to the date of election. Resident of District after election/appointment.	\$132,567	\$1,325.67
Supreme Court Justice 8-year term	#5, #6	18 years of age, U.S. Citizen, reside in the state for 2 years immediately before taking office, admitted to practice law in Montana 5 years prior to the date of election.	\$149,681	\$1,496.81
Attorney General 4-year term	Statewide	25 years of age, U.S. Citizen, reside in state 2 years preceding general election, admitted to practice law in Montana for 5 years prior to date of election.	\$141,023	\$1,410.23
Secretary of State 4-year term	Statewide	25 years of age, U.S. Citizen, reside in state 2 years preceding general election.	\$98,104	\$981.04
Superintendent of Public Instruction 4-year term	Statewide	25 years of age, U.S. Citizen, reside in state 2 years preceding general election. Shall have such educational requirements as provided by law.	\$116,379	\$1,163.79
Governor 4-year term	Statewide	25 years of age, U. S. Citizen, reside in state 2 years preceding general election.	\$118,397	\$1,183.97

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United States Representative 2-year term	Statewide	25 years of age, U.S. Citizen for 7 years, inhabitant of the state when elected.	\$174,000	\$1,740.00
United States Senator 6-year term	Statewide	30 years of age, U.S. Citizen for 9 years, inhabitant of the state when elected.	\$174,000	\$1,740.00
President of the United States 4-year term	Statewide	35 years of age, U.S. Citizen for 14 years, natural born citizen	\$400,000	\$1,740.00* *Note: Per §13-10-202 MCA a filing fee is required for candidates in a presidential preference primary.