

# City of Ruidoso Downs

## PUBLIC NOTICE FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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Mayor Tom Armstrong

**To:** ALL CITIZENS OF RUIDOSO DOWNS  
**From:** Carol Virden, City Clerk/Treasurer  
**Date:** December 19, 2011

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### Declaration of Candidacy Information

If you are interested in becoming a candidate for Mayor, City Councilors or Municipal Judge at large for the City of Ruidoso Downs – Election Day is March 6, 2012. As a potential candidate, there are things you need to know concerning the election process, your rights and responsibilities.

#### When do I file for office?

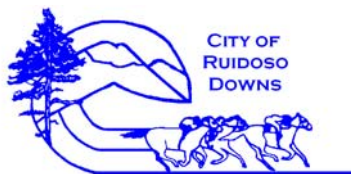
January 10, 2012, between the hours of 8:00 AM and 5:00 PM. this is the only time the city clerk can accept a declaration of candidacy for a candidate.

All candidates must file the following documents:

1. A Declaration of Candidacy form; **AND**
2. A Certified copy of the candidate's current affidavit of voter registration on file with the Lincoln County Clerk which has been certified by that office on a date not earlier than adoption of the election resolution, (November 28, 2011); **AND**

The City Clerk has available potential candidates packets containing all information in regards to the March 6, 2012 Regular Municipal Election. The Declaration of Candidacy forms are included in the potential candidates packet. This is the only form that will be accepted. Please read through the form and understand the requirements of the information you need to provide. Your signature is required to be notarized. There will be a notary available for your signature in the City Clerk's Office, if you need one.

Should you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to call the City Clerk at 378-4422. Thank you.



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