

## RESOLUTION R14-02-04

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL MIRAGE, ARIZONA, CALLING FOR A PRIMARY AND GENERAL ELECTION; DESIGNATING THE ELECTION DATES AND PURPOSE OF ELECTIONS; DESIGNATING THE DEADLINE FOR VOTER REGISTRATION; DESIGNATING THE ELECTION FORMAT; AND DESIGNATING THE PLACE AND FIRST AND LAST DATE FOR CANDIDATES TO FILE NOMINATION PAPERS.**

**BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Mayor and Council of the City of El Mirage, as follows:

**Section 1. Call for Elections; Designation of Election Dates; Purpose:**

The Mayor and Council of the City of El Mirage hereby call for a Primary Election in the City of El Mirage to be held on Tuesday, August 26, 2014, for the purposes of a) presenting the option of Permanent Base Adjustment for approval to the citizenry, b) nominating candidates for the three (3) Councilor seats expiring December 2014, and c) nominating candidates for the one (1) Mayoral seat expiring December 2014, whose names shall appear on the ballot at the General Election, should a run-off election be required. Any candidate receiving a majority of all the ballots cast at the Primary Election will be declared elected to the office for which he or she is a candidate effective as of the date of the General Election. The Mayor and Council of the City of El Mirage also hereby call for a General Election in the City of El Mirage to be held on Tuesday, November 4, 2014 if required for the Mayor and/or Council seats only.

**Section 2. Designating Deadline for Voter Registration:**

Maricopa County registration and voting lists will be used for the municipal election. In order to be qualified to vote, a voter must be registered by July 28, 2014 for the August 26, 2014 Primary Election and by October 6, 2014 for the November 4, 2014 General Election.

**Section 3. Designating Election Format**

The election format for both the Primary Election in August, 2014 and the General Election in November, 2014, if needed, shall be by an All Mail-In Ballot pursuant to A.R.S. §16.409(B).

**Section 4. Designating Date and Place to File Candidate Nomination Form:**

Candidates seeking municipal office may obtain at the El Mirage City Clerk's Office, 12145 NW Grand Avenue, El Mirage, beginning February 1, 2014 nomination papers and other materials which must be filed by candidates. Candidates may file nomination papers and other nomination forms no earlier than Monday, April 28, 2014 at 8:00 a.m. and must be filed no later than 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 28, 2014 at the El Mirage City Clerk's Office, 12145 NW Grand Avenue, El Mirage, in order for their names to appear on the Primary Election ballot.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Mayor and Council of the City of El Mirage, Arizona, this 4<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2014.



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Lana Mook, Mayor

ATTEST:



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Sharon Antes, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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Robert M. Hall, City Attorney