

PUBLIC NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF OCONEE

Notice is hereby given that the Oconee County Board of Voter Registration and Elections will conduct a Special Election for the City of Walhalla to fill two City Council Seats (one seat expiring December 2025 and one seat expiring December 2027) on Tuesday, April 22, 2025. This is a non-partisan, municipal special election and no party affiliation shall be placed on the ballot.

The last day that any person may register to be eligible to vote in this election is Sunday, March 23, 2025. If submitting a voter registration application by mail, it must be post marked no later than Monday, March 24, 2025.

Candidate filing opens noon on Friday, February 7, 2025 and closes noon on Tuesday, February 18, 2025. There are no filing fees. Please note the office will be closed on Monday, February 17, 2025 in observance of President’s Day.

Residents desiring to file as a candidate for this office must be a registered voter in Oconee County and reside in the municipality in which they would like to file. Residents desiring to file as a candidate for this office must file a Statement of Intention of Candidacy with the Oconee County Board of Voter Registration and Elections at 415 S Pine Street, Walhalla, SC 29691. Office business hours are Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Statement of Economic Interest forms must be filed electronically (on-line) at <http://ethics.sc.gov>. Those requiring electronic filing assistance may contact the South Carolina State Ethics Commission at 803-253-4192.

At 9:00 a.m. on Election Day, the Oconee County Board of Voter Registration and Elections will begin the examination of the absentee ballot return envelopes at the elections office, 415 S Pine Street, Walhalla, SC 29691.

On Thursday, April 24, 2025 at 10:00 a.m., the Oconee County Board of Canvassers will hold a public hearing at the elections office, 415 S Pine Street, Walhalla, SC, to determine the validity of all provisional ballots cast in this election, and certify election results.

The following precinct and polling place will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.:

Municipality:	Precinct(s):	Polling Location:	Address:
City of Walhalla	Walhalla No. 1	American Legion Post 124	319 Kenneth St Walhalla SC 29691
City of Walhalla	Walhalla No. 2	American Legion Post 124	319 Kenneth St Walhalla SC 29691