

**Gila River Indian Community
2020 Community Council Election**

DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY

Districts 1, 3, 4, 5 & 6

**DECLARATION PERIOD:
March 2nd – March 9th**

Qualifications to run for a Community Council seat is defined below:

CONSTITUTION & BYLAWS OF THE

GILA RIVER INDIAN COMMUNITY

ARTICLE VI - QUALIFICATIONS OF OFFICERS

Section 1. No person shall be elected or hold office as Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Chief Judge, Associate Judge or Councilmen unless he:

1. Is a member of the Community;
2. Has reached the age of twenty-five (25) years;
3. Has been living in the particular district he is to represent for at least sixty (60) days immediately preceding the election;
4. Has been living on the Reservation for at least one year immediately preceding the election. Additional qualifications may be prescribed by ordinance.

Section 2. No person who, within the year preceding the election, has been convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude shall be eligible to hold office in the Community.

**Declaration Of Candidacy forms can be picked up at the Tribal Elections Program Office only:
315 W. Casa Blanca Rd., Building 9, Sacaton, Arizona
Call TEP office @ 520-562-9735, or 9758 for more information.**