

# LOCKPORT

**Mayor**  
Steven Streit

**City Clerk**  
Kathleen Gentile

**Administrator**  
Ben Benson



## **Alderman**

Karen Kostecki - 1st Ward  
Matt Kairis - 1st Ward  
JR Gillogly - 2nd Ward  
Larry Schreiber - 2nd Ward  
Christina Bergbower - 3rd Ward  
Joanne Bartelsen - 4th Ward  
Renee Saban - 4th Ward  
Mark Lobes – At-Large

## *City of Historic Pride*

222 E. Ninth Street ♦ Lockport, IL 60441-3497

## **AMENDED** **APRIL 4, 2023 CONSOLIDATED GENERAL ELECTION**

### **THE FOLLOWING OFFICES ARE ON THE OFFICIAL BALLOT FOR THE APRIL 4, 2023 CONSOLIDATED ELECTION:**

One (1) Alderperson for each of the four (4) Wards for four (4)-year terms, specifically in Ward 1, Ward 2, Ward 3, and Ward 4, and One (1) Alderperson for the unexpired two (2)-year term in Ward 2 for the vacancy of office due to death.

Please note for Ward 2, please indicate in both the nominating petition and the statement of candidacy for which office the candidate is seeking either for 4-year term or 2-year term due to vacancy.

### **NOMINATING PETITION SIGNATURES REQUIRED:**

**INDEPENDENT** – (10 ILCS 5/10-3) **Not less than 5% - Not more than 8% (or 50 more than the minimum whichever is greater)** of the number of persons who voted in the previous consolidated election for that ward.

### **ALDERMEN/ALDERWOMEN**

### **TOTAL VOTES CAST** **(Per Ward in 2021)**

<b>First Ward</b>	<b>541</b>
<b>Second Ward</b>	<b>1,295</b>
<b>Third Ward</b>	<b>1,127</b>
<b>Fourth Ward</b>	<b>808</b>

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**NEW POLITICAL PARTY** – (10 ILCS 5/10-2) **Signatures required**  
**Not less than 5% - No Maximum**

## **APRIL 4, 2023 CONSOLIDATED GENERAL ELECTION**

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2022** – **FIRST DAY** to circulate petitions for independent candidates and new political party candidates.

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2022** – **FIRST DAY** for independent and new political parties to file nomination petitions and certificates of nomination.

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2022** – **LAST DAY** for independent and new political parties to file nomination petitions and certificates of nomination. (City of Lockport, City Clerk's Office will remain open until 5:00 p.m.)

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2022** – **LAST DAY** for filing State of Economic Interests as required by the Illinois Government Ethics Act, they are to be filed at the County Clerk's Office. The Receipt of Economic Interest must be filed with nomination petitions and certifications of nomination at the City Clerk's Office. (City of Lockport, City Clerk's Office will remain open until 5:00 p.m.)

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2022** – **LAST DAY** to file objections to nomination petitions of new political party, nonpartisan, and independent candidates.

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 28, 2022** – **LAST DAY** to conduct Lottery. Lottery shall be conducted when two (2) or more petitions are received simultaneously for the same office by more than one (1) independent candidate or more than one (1) new political party candidate; or by more than one(1) nonpartisan candidate, as of the opening hour of the filing period (December 12, 2022).

### **SIMULTANEOUSLY PETITION FILING – LOTTERY**

All petitions filed by individuals waiting in line at the Office of the City Clerk of Lockport as of 8:00 a.m. the normal opening hour of such office on the first day of filing are considered simultaneous filings. Petitions filed by mail and received in the Office of the City Clerk in the first mail delivery or pick-up on the first day of filing are also considered simultaneous filings. All petitions received thereafter are filed in the order of actual receipt.

When two or more petitions are simultaneously filed for the same office, the local election official shall break ties and determine the order of filing by means of a lottery or other fair and impartial method of random selection approved by the State Board of Elections.

The City Clerk's Office will remain open until 5:00 p.m. on the last day for filling.

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**NOTICE**

***This information is provided as a courtesy. Neither the City of Lockport, nor the City Clerk of Lockport make any representations regarding the accuracy or validity of these forms. The City Clerk and staff, under Illinois Law, cannot provide legal advice to Candidates or Representatives of Candidates. Be sure to consult with an attorney before taking action based on these forms with respect to the office, the minimum and maximum number of signatures required, the qualifications of signers and circulators, and all other information.***

***For further questions or inquiries, you may go to the State Board of Elections website at [www.elections.il.gov](http://www.elections.il.gov)***