

**Candidate Qualifying List**

**This list reflects the names of those candidates who have submitted qualifying papers to the Office of the Secretary of State and to State Party Executive Committee listed below.**

Pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. Section 23-15-299, independent candidates for statewide and state district officer file their qualifying papers and fee with the Mississippi Secretary of State's Office. The State Board of Election Commissioners determines whether each statewide or state district candidate who has qualified as an independent candidate meets the qualifications for the office sought prior to his or her name being placed on the General or Special Election Ballot. Political party candidates for statewide or state district file qualifying papers with their respective state party executive committee. State party executive committees are not required to provide the Mississippi Secretary of State's Office with information on candidates who have submitted paperwork until February 1st at 6:00 p.m. but the below political parties have provided lists in advance of the required date.

All candidates for county and county district office file qualifying papers with their respective Circuit Clerk's Office. All candidates for municipal and municipal ward office file qualifying papers with their respective Municipal Clerk's Office. This list is updated as of February 1, 2023 at 4:15 pm.

***Candidates for State of Mississippi Governor***

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Election Date: November 7, 2023</b>
Tate	Reeves	Republican	
John	Witcher	Republican	
David Grady	Hardigree	Republican	
Gregory	Wash	Democrat	
Brandon	Presley	Democrat	
Gwendolyn	Gray	Independent	

***Candidates for State of Mississippi Lt. Governor***

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Election Date: November 7, 2023</b>
Delbert	Hosemann	Republican	
Shane	Quick	Republican	
Tiffany	Longino	Republican	
Chris	McDaniel	Republican	

***Candidates for State of Mississippi Attorney General***

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Election Date: November 7, 2023</b>
Lynn	Fitch	Republican	

***Candidates for State of Mississippi Secretary of State***

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Election Date: November 7, 2023</b>
Michael	Watson	Republican	
Shuwaski	Young	Democrat	

***Candidates for State of Mississippi Treasurer***

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Election Date: November 7, 2023</b>
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David

McRae

Republican

*Candidates for State of Mississippi Agriculture Commissioner*

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Election Date:</b> November 7, 2023
Andy	Gipson	Republican	
Robert	Bradford	Democrat	
Bethany	Hill	Democrat	

*Candidates for State of Mississippi State Auditor*

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Election Date:</b> November 7, 2023
Shad	White	Republican	

*Candidates for State of Mississippi Insurance Commissioner*

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Election Date:</b> November 7, 2023
Mike	Chaney	Republican	
Mitch	Young	Republican	

*Candidates for State of Mississippi State Senator*

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Election Date:</b> November 7, 2023
Michael W.	Mclendon	1	Republican	
Steve	Hopkins	1	Republican	
Gail	Lyons	1	Democrat	
David L.	Parker	2	Republican	
Pam	McKelvy	2	Democrat	
Kathy Leath	Chism	3	Republican	
Ritta Potts	Parks	4	Republican	
Jon	Newcomb	4	Independent	
Daniel H.	Sparks	5	Republican	
Chad	McMahan	6	Republican	
Lauren	Smith	6	Republican	
Hob	Bryan	7	Democrat	
Robert	Mitchell	7	Republican	
Benjamin A.	Suber	8	Republican	
Nicole Adkins	Boyd	9	Republican	
Ricky	Caldwell	9	Republican	
Neil S.	Whaley	10	Republican	

Andre	DeBerry	10	Democrat
Robert	Jackson	11	Democrat
Derrick	Simmons	12	Democrat
Mark	Buckner	13	Democrat
Sarita	Simmons	13	Democrat
Lydia	Chassaniol	14	Republican
Bart	Williams	15	Republican
Alan	Sibley	15	Republican
Angela	Turner-Ford	16	Democrat
Chuck	Younger	17	Republican
Jennifer	Branning	18	Republican
Kevin	Blackwell	19	Republican
Walter	Hopper	19	Republican
Sandy	Kerr	19	Democrat
Josh	Harkins	20	Republican
Barbara	Blackmon	21	Democrat
Chastity May	Magyar	22	Republican
Joseph	Thomas	22	Democrat
Briggs	Hopson	23	Republican
Marty	Evans Jr.	24	Republican
David	Jordan	24	Democrat
Everette	Hill	24	Democrat
Curressia M.	Brown	24	Independent
Walter	Michel	25	Republican
John	Horhn	26	Democrat
Hillman	Frazier	27	Democrat
Marvin	Hightower	27	Democrat
Sollie	Norwood	28	Democrat
David	Blount	29	Democrat
Micheal	Carson	29	Republican
Dean	Kirby	30	Republican
Tyler	McCaughn	31	Republican
Rod	Hickman	32	Democrat
Jeff	Tate	33	Republican
Juan	Barnett	34	Democrat
Andy	Berry	35	Republican
Brian	Rhodes	36	Republican
Jared	Morrison	36	Republican
Albert	Butler	37	Democrat
Shirley	Sandifer	37	Democrat
Gary	Brumfield	38	Democrat
Trischell LaRice	Veal	38	Libertarian

Kelvin E.	Butler	38	Independent	
Willye R.	Powell	38	Independent	
Jason T.	Barrett	39	Republican	
Angela Burks	Hill	40	Republican	
Andy	Rishton	40	Republican	
Thomas	Lehr	40	Democrat	
Joey	Fillingane	41	Republican	
Robert	Cole	41	Republican	
Robin	Robinson	42	Republican	
Don	Hartness	42	Republican	
<del>Noel</del>	<del>Rogers</del>	42	<del>Republican</del>	Withdrew Candidacy 1/31/2023
Dennis	Debar Jr.	43	Republican	
John A.	Polk	44	Republican	
Chris	Johnson	45	Republican	
Philip	Moran	46	Republican	
Philman A.	Ladner	46	Republican	
Mike	Seymour	47	Republican	
Scott	Strickland	47	Republican	
George "Tony"	Uram	47	Independent	
Mike	Thompson	48	Republican	
Mathew	Adams	48	Libertarian	
Joel R	Carter Jr.	49	Republican	
Glen A.	Lewis	49	Libertarian	
Scott	DeLano	50	Republican	
Jeremy	England	51	Republican	
Lynn M.	Bowker	51	Libertarian	
Artis T.	Burney	51	Green	
Brice	Wiggins	52	Republican	

***Candidates for State of Mississippi House of Representatives***

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Election Date: November 7, 2023</b>
Bubba	Carpenter	1	Republican	
Corrie Nicole	Linton	1	Republican	
Chris	Wilson	2	Republican	
Nick	Bain	2	Republican	
Brad	Mattox	2	Republican	
William Tracy	Arnold	3	Republican	
Sergio	Warren	3	Republican	
Jody	Stevenson	4	Republican	
Donald Merle	Scott	4	Libertarian	
John	Faulkner	5	Democrat	
Justin	Keen	6	Republican	

James "Jimmy"	Wallace	6	Republican
Jarvis	Cook	6	Democrat
Amos A.	Thompson	6	Libertarian
Kimberly	Remak	7	Republican
Progeorlan M.	Walker	7	Republican
James "Jamey"	Goodkind	7	Republican
Trey	Lamar	8	Republican
Cedric	Burnett	9	Democrat
Brady B.	Williamson	10	Republican
Josh	Hawkins	10	Republican
Lofton	Gray	10	Republican
Lataisha	Jackson	11	Democrat
Clay	Deweese	12	Republican
Steve	Massengill	13	Republican
Sam J	Creekmore IV	14	Republican
Beth Luther	Waldo	15	Republican
Rickey	Thompson	16	Democrat
Shane	Aguirre	17	Republican
Jerry R.	Turner	18	Republican
Randy P.	Boyd	19	Republican
Rodney	Hall	20	Republican
Charlie	Hoots	20	Republican
Donnie	Bell	21	Republican
Jon	Lancaster	22	Republican
Andy	Stepp	23	Republican
Jack Thomas	Willis Jr.	23	Republican
Andy	Clark	23	Independent
Perry	Bailey	23	Republican
Jeff	Hale	24	Republican
David	Olds	24	Democrat
Sandy	Kerr	24	Democrat
Dan	Eubanks	25	Republican
Orlando	Paden	26	Democrat
Kenneth	Walker	27	Democrat
James	Woods	27	Democrat
Tonya	Wilder	27	Republican
John T.	Williams	28	Republican
W. I. "Doc"	Harris	28	Republican
Robert	Sanders	29	Democrat
Tracey	Rosebud	30	Democrat
Sedrick	Smith	30	Democrat
Otis	Anthony	31	Democrat

Soloman	Osborne	32	Democrat
Dennis	Nowell	33	Republican
Jim	Estrada	33	Republican
Jonathan	Dantzler	33	Republican
Kevin	Horan	34	Republican
Joey	Hood	35	Republican
Karl	Gibbs	36	Democrat
Terell	Harris	36	Democrat
Andy	Boyd	37	Republican
Cheikh	Taylor	38	Democrat
Dana Underwood	McLean	39	Republican
Charlie	Roberts	40	Republican
Jacob	Hisaw	40	Republican
Hester	Jackson	40	Democrat
Kabir	Karrien	41	Democrat
Claude	Simpson	41	Libertarian
Carl	Mickens	42	Democrat
Shantell	Stevens	42	Libertarian
Rob	Roberson	43	Republican
Kenneth	Aasand	43	Republican
C. Scott	Bounds	44	Republican
Justin	James	44	Republican
Phillip E.	Pope	44	Libertarian
Kenny	Rush	45	Democrat
Keith	Jackson	45	Democrat
Lindsey	Kidd	45	Democrat
Trent	Rickles	45	Independent
Karl	Oliver	46	Republican
William E. (Bill)	Downs	46	Republican
Bryant	Clark	47	Democrat
Cliff	Hays	48	Republican
Jason	White	48	Republican
Willie	Bailey	49	Democrat
Stacy	Smith	49	Libertarian
John	Hines	50	Democrat
Rufus	Straughter	51	Democrat
Larry	Bradford	51	Democrat
Dianne	Black	52	Democrat
Bill	Kinkade	52	Republican
Vince	Mangold	53	Republican
Kevin	Ford	54	Republican
Oscar	Denton	55	Democrat

Clay	Mansell	56	Republican
Sharon	Moman	56	Democrat
Edward	Blackmon	57	Democrat
Bob	Anderson	58	Republican
Jonathon	McMillan	58	Republican
Brent	Powell	59	Republican
Fred	Shanks	60	Republican
Gene	Newman	61	Republican
Jeremy	Lee	62	Republican
Lance	Varner	62	Republican
Stephanie	Foster	63	Democrat
Dyamone	White	63	Democrat
Amile	Wilson	64	Republican
Shanda M.	Yates	64	Independent
Christopher	Bell	65	Democrat
Roshund	Harris-Allen	66	Democrat
Fabian	Nelson	66	Democrat
Gregg	Divinity	66	Democrat
Earle	Banks	67	Democrat
Zakiya	Summers	68	Democrat
Tamarra	Butler-Washington	69	Democrat
William	Brown	70	Democrat
Ronnie	Crudup	71	Democrat
Justis	Gibbs	72	Democrat
Synarus	Green	72	Democrat
Rukia	Lumumba	72	Democrat
Ailean	Stingley	72	Democrat
Jill	Ford	73	Republican
Lee	Yancy	74	Republican
Celeste	Hurst	75	Republican
Ryshonda Harper	Beechem	75	Independent
Gregory	Holloway	76	Democrat
Rickey Gene	Smylie	76	Republican
Price	Wallace	77	Republican
Randy	Rushing	78	Republican
Kyle	Cockrell	79	Republican
Mark	Tullos	79	Republican
Omeria	Scott	80	Democrat
Steve	Horne	81	Republican
Ben	Shirley	81	Republican
Charles	Young	82	Democrat
Billy Adam	Calvert	83	Republican

Troy	Smith	84	Republican	
Jeffery	Harness	85	Democrat	
Richard	Buford	85	Democrat	
Michael	Longnecker	85	Libertarian	
Shane	Barnett	86	Republican	
Joseph "Bubba"	Tubb	87	Republican	
Kim Taylor	Fagan	87	Republican	
<del>Robin</del>	<del>Robinson</del>	<del>88</del>	<del>Republican</del>	withdrew to run for Senate District 42 1/31/2023
Robin L. "Buck"	Torske	88	Republican	
Charles "Chuck"	Blackwell	88	Republican	
Thomas D. "Thommy"	Parker	88	Republican	
Christopher	Hodge	88	Republican	
Donnie	Scoggin	89	Republican	
Noah	Sanford	90	Republican	
Robert	Evans	91	Democrat	
Becky	Currie	92	Republican	
Timmy	Ladner	93	Republican	
Robert	Johnson	94	Democrat	
John M.	Barnes	95	Republican	
Jay	McKnight	95	Republican	
Angela	Cockerham	96	Independent	
Sam C.	Mims, V	97	Republican	
Thompson	Benton	97	Democrat	
Lance	Brown	98	Democrat	
Daryl	Porter	98	Democrat	
Lance	Brown	98	Democrat	
Bill	Pigott	99	Republican	
Ken	Morgan	100	Republican	
Jacob	Brogan	100	Republican	
Kent	McCarty	101	Republican	
Missy Warren	McGee	102	Republican	
Percy	Watson	103	Democrat	
Larry	Byrd	104	Republican	
Blake	Nobles	104	Republican	
Elliot	Burch	105	Republican	
Dale	Goodin	105	Republican	
Matt	Brewer	105	Republican	
Jansen	Owen	106	Republican	
Steve	Lott	107	Republican	
Doug	Mcleod	107	Republican	
Stacey	Wilkes	108	Republican	
Alana	Campo	108	Republican	



William"Bill"	Cruse	108	Republican
Manly	Barton	109	Republican
Jeramey	Anderson	110	Democrat
Shira	Stallworth	110	Democrat
Eric G.	Camp	111	Republican
Jimmy	Fondren	111	Republican
David Carson	Futch	111	Republican
John O.	Read	112	Republican
Tim	Aycock	112	Republican
Hank	Zuber III	113	Republican
Jeffery S.	"Jeff" Guice	114	Republican
Casey	Whitehead	114	Libertarian
Felix O.	Gines	115	Republican
Phil	Harding	115	Republican
Zachary	Grady	115	Republican
Casey	Eure	116	Republican
Kevin W.	Felsher	117	Republican
Mark	Simmons	117	Libertarian
Greg	Haney	118	Republican
Raymond	Brooks	118	Republican
Jeffery	Hulum	119	Democrat
Richard	Bennett	120	Republican
Cameron	Roberson	120	Libertarian
Carolyn	Crawford	121	Republican
Jeff	Wallace	121	Republican
John	Dedeaux	121	Democrat
Brent D.	Anderson	122	Republican
Micah	Tinkler	122	Republican
Brice L.	Phillips	122	Libertarian

***Candidates for State of Mississippi Public Service Commissioner***

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Election Date: November 7, 2023</b>
Brent	Bailey	Central	Republican	
Dekeither	Stamps	Central	Democrat	
Mandy	Gunasekara	Northern	Republican	
Tanner	Newman	Northern	Republican	
Chris	Brown	Northern	Republican	
Dane	Maxwell	Southern	Republican	
Nelson Wayne	Carr	Southern	Republican	

***Candidates for State of Mississippi District Attorney***

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Election Date: November 7, 2023</b>
John	Weddle	1	Republican	
W. Crosby	Parker	2	Republican	
Ben	Creekmore	3	Republican	
Dewayne	Richardson	4	Democrat	
Adam	Hopper	5	Republican	
Rosalind H.	Jordan	5	Republican	
Shameca	Collins	6	Democrat	
Tim	Cotton	6	Independent	
Jody	Owens	7	Democrat	
Darla	Palmer	7	Independent	
Steven	Kilgore	8	Republican	
Richard	Smith	9	Democrat	
Kassie	Coleman	10	Republican	
Michael	Carr	11	Democrat	
Brenda	Mitchell	11	Democrat	
Lin	Carter	12	Republican	
Chris	Hennis	13	Republican	
Brandon	Adams	14	Republican	
Joey	Norton	14	Republican	
Patrick	Beasley	14	Democrat	
Hal	Kittrell	15	Republican	
Scott	Colom	16	Democrat	
Marc	Amos	16	Democrat	
J. Douglas "Jase"	Darlymple, II	16	Republican	
Chuck	Easley	16	Republican	
Jay	Hale	17	Republican	
Brad R.	Thompson	18	Republican	
Angel Myers	Mcllrath	19	Republican	
Bubba	Bramlett	20	Republican	
Akillie	Oliver	21	Democrat	
Daniella	Shorter	22	Democrat	
Nickita	Banks	22	Democrat	
Daniella	Shorter	22	Democrat	
Bob	Morris	23	Republican	
Matthew	Barton	23	Republican	

***Candidates for State of Mississippi Transportation Commissioner***

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Election Date: November 7, 2023</b>
Willie	Simmons	Central	Democrat	
Ricky	Pennington, Jr.	Central	Republican	

Charles	Busby	Southern	Republican
Steven Brian	Griffin	Southern	Independent
John	Caldwell	Northern	Republican

***Circuit Court Judge (Special Election)***

<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Election Date: November 7, 2023</b>
Brad A.	Touchstone	15-1	Non-Partisan	