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The first day to file for a place on the ballot for the election for Burleson City Council is Saturday, Feb. 4. Burleson City Hall will be open 10 a.m.-noon. The last day to file is March 5 at 5 p.m. Election day is Saturday, May 12.

Four seats are on the May 2012 ballot. Those seats include mayor, currently held by Ken Shetter; Place 2, currently held by Rick Green; Place 4, currently held by Matt Aiken; and Place 6 (unexpired term), currently held by Larry Pool. Candidates must be at least 18 years old; a citizen of the United States; a qualified voter of the city; a resident of the city or have resided in the city for at least one year immediately preceding the date of the election; not be delinquent in the payment of taxes or other liability due to the City of Burleson; and not be otherwise disqualified from serving on the city council by any other provision of law. The mayor and council members serve two year terms. There are no term limits. Council meets on the first and third Mondays and in special meetings and workshops throughout the year.

For more information about the May 12, 2012, Burleson City Council election, call the city secretary's office at 817-426-9661 or email elections@burlesontx.com. Burleson City Hall is located at 141 W. Renfro St.