# APPOINTMENT OF A CAMPAIGN TREASURER BY A CANDIDATE

FORM CTA
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See CTA Instruction Guide for detailed instructions.

1 Total pages filed:

**2 CANDIDATE NAME**

MS / MRS / MR: Mr.
FIRST: Mark
MI: H
NICKNAME:
LAST: Schmidt
SUFFIX:

**3 CANDIDATE MAILING ADDRESS**

ADDRESS / PO BOX: [redacted]
APT / SUITE #:
CITY: Kyle
STATE: TX
ZIP CODE: 78640

**4 CANDIDATE PHONE**

AREA CODE: (
PHONE NUMBER: [redacted]
EXTENSION:

**5 OFFICE HELD** (if any)

**6 OFFICE SOUGHT** (if known)

Council person District 3

**7 CAMPAIGN TREASURER NAME**

MS/MRS/MR:
FIRST: Mark
MI: H
NICKNAME:
LAST: Schmidt
SUFFIX:

**8 CAMPAIGN TREASURER STREET ADDRESS** (residence or business)

STREET ADDRESS: [redacted]
APT / SUITE #:
CITY: Kyle
STATE: TX
ZIP CODE: 78640

**9 CAMPAIGN TREASURER PHONE**

AREA CODE:
PHONE NUMBER: [redacted]
EXTENSION:

**10 CANDIDATE SIGNATURE**

I am aware of the Nepotism Law, Chapter 573 of the Texas Government Code.

I am aware of my responsibility to file timely reports as required by title 15 of the Election Code.

I am aware of the restrictions in title 15 of the Election Code on contributions from corporations and labor organizations.

Mark Schmidt
Signature of Candidate

10/30/2026
Date Signed

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# CANDIDATE MODIFIED REPORTING DECLARATION

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| 11 CANDIDATE NAME | Mark H Schmidt |
| 12 MODIFIED REPORTING DECLARATION | **COMPLETE THIS SECTION ONLY IF YOU ARE CHOOSING MODIFIED REPORTING** |

**•• This declaration must be filed no later than the 30th day before the first election to which the declaration applies. ••**

**•• The modified reporting option is valid for one election cycle only. ••**
(An election cycle includes a primary election, a general election, and any related runoffs.)

**• Candidates for the office of state chair of a political party may NOT choose modified reporting. ••**

I do not intend to accept more than $1,140 in political contributions or make more than $1,140 in political expenditures (excluding filing fees) in connection with any future election within the election cycle. I understand that if either one of those limits is exceeded, I will be required to file pre-election reports and, if necessary, a runoff report.

2026 Special Elec.
Year of election(s) or election cycle to which declaration applies

M H Schmidt
Signature of Candidate

**This appointment is effective on the date it is filed with the appropriate filing authority.**

TEC Filers may send this form to the TEC electronically at treasappoint@ethics.state.tx.us
or mail to
Texas Ethics Commission
P.O. Box 12070
Austin, TX 78711-2070

Non-TEC Filers must file this form with the local filing authority
DO NOT SEND TO TEC

For more information about where to file go to:
https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/filinginfo/QuickFileAReport.php

# CODE OF FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES

**FORM CFCP**
**COVER SHEET**

Pursuant to chapter 258 of the Election Code, every candidate and political committee is encouraged to subscribe to the Code of Fair Campaign Practices. The Code may be filed with the proper filing authority upon submission of a campaign treasurer appointment form. Candidates or political committees that already have a current campaign treasurer appointment on file as of September 1, 1997, may subscribe to the code at any time.

*Subscription to the Code of Fair Campaign Practices is voluntary.*

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**1 ACCOUNT NUMBER** (Ethics Commission Filers)

**2 TYPE OF FILER**

CANDIDATE ☒ — *If filing as a candidate, complete boxes 3 - 6, then read and sign page 2.*

POLITICAL COMMITTEE ☐ — *If filing for a political committee, complete boxes 7 and 8, then read and sign page 2.*

**3 NAME OF CANDIDATE** (PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

| TITLE (Dr., Mr., Ms., etc.) | FIRST | MI |
|---|---|---|
| | Mark | H |

| NICKNAME | LAST | SUFFIX (SR., JR., III, etc.) |
|---|---|---|
| | Schmidt | |

**4 TELEPHONE NUMBER OF CANDIDATE** (PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

| AREA CODE | PHONE NUMBER | EXTENSION |
|---|---|---|
| [redacted] | | |

**5 ADDRESS OF CANDIDATE** (PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

| STREET / PO BOX; | APT / SUITE #; | CITY; | STATE; | ZIP CODE |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| [redacted] | | Kyle | TX | 78640 |

**6 OFFICE SOUGHT BY CANDIDATE** (PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

City Council District 3

**7 NAME OF COMMITTEE** (PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

**8 NAME OF CAMPAIGN TREASURER** (PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

| TITLE (Dr., Mr., Ms., etc.) | FIRST | MI |
|---|---|---|
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| NICKNAME | LAST | SUFFIX (SR., JR., III, etc.) |
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# CODE OF FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES

There are basic principles of decency, honesty, and fair play that every candidate and political committee in this state has a moral obligation to observe and uphold, in order that, after vigorously contested but fairly conducted campaigns, our citizens may exercise their constitutional rights to a free and untrammeled choice and the will of the people may be fully and clearly expressed on the issues.

THEREFORE:

(1) I will conduct the campaign openly and publicly and limit attacks on my opponent to legitimate challenges to my opponent's record and stated positions on issues.

(2) I will not use or permit the use of character defamation, whispering campaigns, libel, slander, or scurrilous attacks on any candidate or the candidate's personal or family life.

(3) I will not use or permit any appeal to negative prejudice based on race, sex, religion, or national origin.

(4) I will not use campaign material of any sort that misrepresents, distorts, or otherwise falsifies the facts, nor will I use malicious or unfounded accusations that aim at creating or exploiting doubts, without justification, as to the personal integrity or patriotism of my opponent.

(5) I will not undertake or condone any dishonest or unethical practice that tends to corrupt or undermine our system of free elections or that hampers or prevents the full and free expression of the will of the voters, including any activity aimed at intimidating voters or discouraging them from voting.

(6) I will defend and uphold the right of every qualified voter to full and equal participation in the electoral process, and will not engage in any activity aimed at intimidating voters or discouraging them from voting.

(7) I will immediately and publicly repudiate methods and tactics that may come from others that I have pledged not to use or condone. I shall take firm action against any subordinate who violates any provision of this code or the laws governing elections.

I, the undersigned, candidate for election to public office in the State of Texas or campaign treasurer of a political committee, hereby voluntarily endorse, subscribe to, and solemnly pledge myself to conduct the campaign in accordance with the above principles and practices.

Signature

10/30/2026
Date