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For Immediate Release –

QUALIFICATION PERIOD TO OPEN FOR CITY OF EUSTIS FOR GENERAL ELECTION COMMISSION RACE

EUSTIS - City Clerk, Jim R. Myers, Jr., has announced that the qualification period for the office of City Commission will begin July 20, 2006, at 8:00 a.m., and close on August 9, 2006, at 5:00 p.m.

City Commission Seats #1 and #2 will be up for election, each for a four-year term. Presently, these offices are held by Commissioner Frank E. Royce and Vice-Mayor Commissioner Gwendolyn M. Manning, respectfully. The General Election for these offices will be held on November 7, 2006, at the same time and locations as other Federal, State and County elections within the City of Eustis, Florida.

Applications for qualifying as a candidate for any of these seats will be accepted by the City Clerk between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., each day during the qualification period, except Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays.

The current requirements which each applicant must meet are as follows:

1. Must be a qualified elector of the City of Eustis.
2. Must have been a resident of the City of Eustis for two (2) years immediately preceding this application, and a person who has resided on property annexed into the City for two (2) years, which shall include the time next before annexation and next following annexation prior to application.

All of those who wish to qualify are required to appear in person to file an application with the City Clerk in order to have his or her name placed on the ballot. A five dollar (\$5.00) qualification fee will be required from each applicant. The State of Florida also requires that an Election Assessment fee of fifty-four dollars (\$54.00) be paid at the time of qualifying.

Any eligible person wishing to qualify for election should select a Campaign Depository and Campaign Treasurer prior to qualifying.

Released by: Michael G. Stearman, City Manager