



Notice of Solicitation of Candidates for Town Council May 5, 2026

The Town of Slaughter Beach has three seats on the Town Council up election this year. Each seat has a term of two years.

Anyone desiring to run for one of these three open seats must file a Candidate Filing Form stating their intent to seek election to the Town Council. Candidate Filing Forms may be obtained from the Town by calling (302) 424-7659 or emailing, townofslaughterbeach@comcast.net Candidate Filing Forms can also be found on the town website www.slaughterbeach.delaware.gov. Candidate Filing Forms shall be received by 5:00 p.m. on June 5, 2026, at the Town's office located at 357 Bay Avenue, Slaughter Beach, and no Candidate Filing Forms will be accepted after this deadline.

To be an eligible candidate for Town Council you must:

- **be 21 years of age or older**
- **never have been convicted of a felony or any crime involving moral turpitude**
- **have been a citizen of the United States since July 4, 2026, and since June 4, 2025, have been either domiciled in Slaughter Beach or a freeholder (property holder) in Slaughter Beach.**

An individual wishing to vote by absentee ballot must request an absentee ballot by filing an affidavit of qualifications with the Town no later than 12:00 p.m., on July 3, 2026, (which may be obtained by calling (302) 424-7659 or emailing townofslaughterbeach@comcast.net. For those affidavits received prior to 12:00 p.m. on June 16, 2026, the Town will mail out absentee ballots. For affidavits received after 12:00 p.m. on June 16, 2026, the individual filing the affidavit will be responsible for picking up the absentee ballot from the Town in person.

