

CITY OF HAMPTON  
STATE OF GEORGIA

**RESOLUTION NO. 2019-04**

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council are the governing body of the City of Hampton, Georgia; and

**WHEREAS**, this is an election year for three council seats in the City of Hampton; and

**WHEREAS**, the City is required to set a qualifying fee for the council election by February 1, 2019 in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 21-2-131; and

**WHEREAS**, according to O.C.G.A. § 21-2-131(a)(1)(A), such fee shall be three (3) percent of the total gross salary of the office paid in the preceding calendar year including all supplements authorized by law if a salaried office; and

**WHEREAS**, the salary of the Council seats up for election is \$8,400.00; and

**WHEREAS**, three (3) percent of \$8,400.00 is \$252.00;

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hampton is also required to set qualifying dates for candidates and publish the same at least two weeks prior to the qualifying period in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 21-2-132;

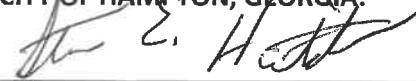
**WHEREAS**, such dates for candidates qualifying for the Council seats shall be Monday, August 19, 2019 through Friday, August 23, 2019 beginning at 9:00 am each day and closing at 5:00 pm. Said qualifying days will allow the Clerk's office an hour lunch break between the hour of 12:30 pm and 1:30 pm in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 21-2-132(d)(4)(B).

**BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED**, the qualifying fee for anyone qualifying for the Council seats for the 2019 election is \$252.00.

**BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED**, the qualifying dates shall be Monday, August 19, 2019 beginning at 9:00 am through Friday, August 23, 2019 ending at 5:00 pm with an hour break each day beginning at 12:30 pm.

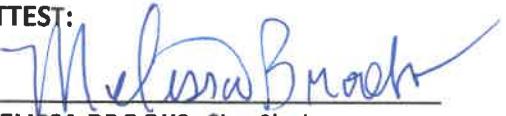
SO RESOLVED, this 8 day of Jan., 2019.

CITY OF HAMPTON, GEORGIA:



STEVE HUTCHISON, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
**MELISSA BROOKS**, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
**L'ERIN BARNES WIGGINS**, City Attorney