

**A RESOLUTION OF THE LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
SETTING THE QUALIFYING FEES FOR ELECTED COUNTY OFFICES FOR 2020**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Commissioners is the governing authority for Lowndes County, Georgia; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Commissioners is required by O.C.G.A. 21-2-131, to set and publish qualifying fees for county offices not later than February 1 of any year in which a general primary, nonpartisan election, or general election is to be held; and

**WHEREAS**, the qualifying fee is required to be 3% of the base salary (excluding supplements, cost of living adjustment and longevity increases) for the offices shown below except for Coroner and State Court Judge;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, the Lowndes County Board of Commissioners hereby approves the qualifying fees for elected offices for 2020 as follows:

County Office	Qualifying Fee
County Commissioner	\$450.00
Commission Chairman	\$600.00
Sheriff	\$2,424.58
Clerk of Court	\$2,173.02
Coroner	\$1,946.82
Solicitor	\$3,674.19
State Court Judge	\$3,863.70
Magistrate Court Judge	\$2,173.02
Probate Court Judge	\$2,173.02
Tax Commissioner	\$2,173.02

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, these qualifying fees shall be published in the legal organ of the county as required by law.

This 14th Day of January, 2020.

Lowndes County Board of Commissioners

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Bill Slaughter, Chairman

ATTEST:

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K. Paige Dukes, County Clerk