INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING AS A CANDIDATE FOR CITY OF FARGO OFFICE

Election To Be Held June 12, 2018

- 1. Forms are available in the City Auditor's Office.
- 2. City Commission candidates **<u>must</u>** file a **Campaign Contribution Form**.
- 3. City Commission candidates must file a Statement of Candidacy and file a petition /certification of nomination or pay \$100.00 fee in lieu of filing petitions.
- 4. If petitions are filed, they must contain at least 300 signatures of qualified electors.
- 5. All Candidates must file a Statement of Interest form.
- 6. Filing deadline is no later than <u>4:00 o'clock Monday, April 9, 2018.</u>
- 7. Drawing for position on the ballot will be held at noon on **Tuesday, April 10**, **2018**, in the City Commission Room.
- 8. Please be sure to indicate on your Statement of Candidacy how you would like your name printed on the Ballot.

ELECTION SEATS FOR 2018 CITY ELECTION

MAYOR – (4 year term) Candidates for the governing body must be qualified electors of the city of Fargo and must have been in continuous residence in the city for at least six months prior to filing their nomination papers.

TWO CITY COMMISSIONERS - (4 year term) Must be a qualified elector in the City of Fargo and must have been in continuous residence for the last six months before filing nomination papers.