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Hayden resigns from Commissioners Court to run for County Judge nomination

Hoppy Hayden submitted his resignation as the Precinct 1 representative on the Commissioners' Court, earlier this week. He will be running for the Republican Party nomination for County Judge.

For his resignation to be official, it will have to be accepted, in writing, by County Judge Ken Schawe.

Schawe will have to appoint someone to fill the Precinct 1 position until January

1, 2019. Candidates can file to run as either the Republican or Democratic candidate for the job in the March primaries; and then for the remainder of Hayden's unexpired term in the November general election.

Other Republican hopefuls who have filed to run for public office are: Johnny Lee Spriggs, for County Judge; and Jerry West, for County Commissioner, Precinct 4.

Republicans filing for party offices include: Kathy Haigler - County Chair, and, for Precinct Chairmen, Arnulfo 'Arnold' Alonzo - Pct. 100, Chayo Rodriguez - Pct. 104, Lance W. Camero - Pct. 202, Susan Bair - Pct. 203, Cindy Johson - Pct. 204, Troy Swift - Pct. 301, and Jarrett Cochran - Pct. 302.

Filing for public office continues through 6 p.m. December 11.