

Statement of Intention of Candidacy & Party Pledge

This form must be filed with the appropriate election office by any candidate seeking a political party's nomination. All information on this form will be made available to the public at the time of filing. For more information, visit <https://scvotes.gov/candidates/>.

Name	William H Howard			Party	Republican
Office	Horry County Council			District	2
Voter Reg. #	262266840	Primary or Convention Date	6/9/2026	Election Date	11/3/26
<small>Name on ballot may be any combination of a candidate's given name, derivative of the given name, or nickname. A derivative name or nickname must be used in good faith for honest purposes and may not imply professional or social status, an office, or military rank. A nickname may not exceed 15 letters.</small>					
Name on Ballot	Bill Howard				
Name pronunciation, if necessary, for audio ballot (e.g., Jackson Gervais: jur-VAY)					
16 MAR 2026 PM 1:27					
Candidate Contact Information (address not required to be residence address)					
Address	150 Ave of The Palms	City	Myrtle Beach	Zip	29579
Phone	843 997 0100	Email	BillHoward09@Live.Com		
Party Pledge (Party Pledge not applicable to designees for the Office of Lieutenant Governor)					
I hereby file my notice as a candidate for the nomination as <u>County Council District 2</u> in the primary election or convention to be held on <u>6/9/26</u> . I affiliate with the <u>Republican</u> Party, and I hereby pledge myself to abide by the results of the primary or convention. I shall not authorize my name to be placed on the general election ballot by petition and will not offer or campaign as a write-in candidate for this office or any other office for which the party has a nominee. I authorize the issuance of an injunction upon ex parte application by the party chairman, as provided by law, should I violate this pledge by offering or campaigning in the ensuing general election for election to this office or any other office for which a nominee has been elected in the party primary election, unless the nominee for the office has become deceased or otherwise disqualified for election in the ensuing general election.					
Candidate's Oath					
I hereby affirm that I meet, or will meet by the time of the general or special election, or as otherwise required by law, the qualifications for this office.					
Candidate Signature		<u>William H. Howard</u>		Date <u>3/16/26</u>	
<small>Candidate must sign in the presence of an Election Official or Notary Public.</small>					
Election Official Signature		<u>[Signature]</u>			
Date Received	<u>3/16/26</u>	Time Received	<u>1:27 PM</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> SEC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Hours</u>	County Board
For use if candidate signs in presence of Notary Public					
Name of Notary Public			My Commission Expires		
Signature of Notary Public			Date		