

## Press Clippings for 11/28/2022

### – Elgin Courier-News –

## Half dozen candidates in the running so far for spring election to the Elgin City Council

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By Gloria Casas

Six candidates, including two Elgin City Council incumbents, submitted paperwork this week to have their names on the April 2023 election ballot.

Council members John Steffen and Rose Martinez, both seeking reelection to four-year terms, were joined by Anthony Ortiz, Karin Jones, Diana Alfaro and Christina “Tia” Agesen.

Councilwoman Tish Powell has said she plans to run for a fourth term but had not filed her nominating her nominating petitions as of Tuesday afternoon. Councilman Toby Shaw is not seeking reelection.

In addition to four council seats, the mayor’s job is also open. Incumbent Mayor [David Kaptain plans to run for a fourth term](#) but has not yet filed nor have any challengers.

The last day to submit election nominating petitions is Monday, Nov. 28.

Ortiz and Jones have run for council seats previously.

Ortiz is a former U.S. Marine who works with the Kane County State’s Attorney’s Office. He was one of the driving forces behind the renaming of an Elgin street in honor of a fallen Marine Cpl. Alex Martinez and has helped organize Mexican Independence Day events.

Jones is an Elgin Planning and Zoning commissioner as well as a business owner and area volunteer.

Shaw, a Judson University alum and a fiscally conservative voice on the council, said it was time to end his tenure. He was elected in 2013.

“I have really enjoyed my time on the council,” Shaw said. “It’s been a great opportunity to learn and serve the community.”

Once nominating petitions are submitted, objections can be filed at the Elgin City Clerk’s

Office by 5 p.m. Dec. 5.

The spring election will also include races for village, school and park boards, including seats on the **School District U-46 School Board** and the Dundee Township Park Board.

Candidates for those seats will file their nominating petitions Dec. 12-19.

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### **Daily Herald Top 20**

### **Boys basketball**

### **Preseason To 20 with last year's records**

**Nov. 23, 2022**

**Compiled by Joe Stevenson**

Team Comment

1. Rolling Meadows (28-6) Christie one of four returning starters
2. Benet (25-8) Redwings looked good this summer
3. WW South (32-3) Tigers on quite a roll
4. Libertyville (27-8) Veteran team aims for Lake Forest in NSC
5. Stevenson (20-9) Three starters return
6. Hinsdale Central (18-12) Oosterbaan averaged 17 ppg last year
7. Fremd (20-10) Good mix of experience, newcomers
8. Lake Park (22-8) Always a tough-minded team

9. Hersey (8-22) Soph Hupp could lead big turnaround
  10. Downers North (16-10) Plenty of experience, potential
  11. Naperville North (17-16) Regional champ last year
  12. Glenbard West (37-1) Enormous shoes for newcomers to fill
  13. Burlington Central (31-4) Belmont-bound Scharnowski leads way
  14. Palatine (19-13) Missing 5 football players early
  15. York (17-12) Strong junior class joins 4 key returnees
  16. Prospect (18-12) Georgakas finished last year on fire
  17. Willowbrook (20-10) Three starters back for WSC Gold champs
  18. West Aurora (17-14) Blackhawks young and talented
  19. Larkin (31-4) Heavy graduation losses for Royals
  20. Naperville Central (19-10) DVC runner-up has potential
- Others to watch: Bartlett 25-7, Carmel 23-11, Huntley 27-6,

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## **Boys basketball: Top 20**

**Nov. 28, 2022**

Boys basketball

## Team Comment

1. Rolling Meadows (28-6) Fenton champs look in midseason form
2. Benet (4-0) Kunka MVP at St. Charles East
3. Stevenson (3-1) Second to Glenbrook S. at Palatine
4. Fremd (3-1) Only loss to No. 1
5. WW South (3-1) Tigers tripped up by Fremd
6. Glenbard West (3-0) Hilltoppers picking up where they left off
7. Libertyville (3-1) Knocked off by Evanston
8. Hinsdale Central (3-1) Only loss to Oswego East
9. Downers North (3-1) Three straight wins after loss to Lake Park
10. Waubonsie Valley (4-0) Perfect start at Batavia's Windmill Classic
11. Warren (4-0) Won Mundelein Thanksgiving tourney
12. Palatine (3-1) Excellent effort vs. Hersey
13. Crystal Lake South (4-0) Beat Huntley to win Johnsburg tournament
14. Metea Valley (3-1) Impressive showing at Wheaton Academy
15. Barrington (4-0) Tournament champs at Crystal Lake C.
16. West Aurora (3-1) Second to Oswego East at NN/Oswego

17. Hersey (2-2) Late lead slips away vs. Glenbrook S.

18. Lake Park (2-2) Split four games at Wheaton Academy

19. Marmion (3-1) Runner-up at Batavia

20. Huntley (3-1) Runner-up at Johnsburg

Others to watch: York 2-2, Hampshire 3-1, Carmel 3-1, Burlington Central 2-1, Hoffman

Estates 3-0, Naperville Central 2-2, Aurora Christian 4-0, Wheeling 3-1, Prospect 1-3, **Bartlett**

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