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Dear Precinct Committeeman Candidate:

The first date to file is April 30, 2018 and the last date to file is May 30, 2018 by 5:00 p.m. Filings will not be accepted before April 30th or after May 30th. The two forms you will be filing are: **Nomination Paper** and the **Partisan Nomination Petition**. These two forms need to be filed together.

A list of all precincts and state recognized parties, the number of precinct committeemen (PC) allowed for each precinct, and the number of signatures needed by PC candidates for each Party will be available in March. For this information, please check back with your political party or download the information from the Elections website (<http://www.yumacountyaz.gov/government/election-services>).

When filling out your paperwork:

- Be sure you are running as a candidate for your home precinct. If you are unsure which precinct you are in, please call the Records office (928) 373-6034 and they will confirm for you.
- Be sure to sign all your paperwork – unsigned paperwork will not be considered filed until it is properly signed and notarized.

Candidate paperwork may be dropped off at your respective Party office or at the Yuma Elections office. You are encouraged to file your paperwork with your respective Party office, as your filing period coincides with the filing period of County Candidates. The Elections office has limited staff and you may have to wait for service if you choose to file your paperwork directly with our office. PC paperwork will be verified and processed only once per day and each Party will receive a daily receipt for all candidates who have filed. If you choose to mail your paperwork to the Election office, allow enough time for a delay in delivery. Only petitions received by 5:00 p.m. on June 1st will be accepted, regardless of postmark. Petitions received after the filing deadline are not considered filed, and you will not be considered a candidate.

If you have any questions, please call the Elections office at (928) 373-1014.

Respectfully,

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