Guidelines for Determining When Residency Qualifications for St. Johns County Special District Offices Must be Met

- **Anastasia Mosquito Control District of St. Johns County**
  - At the time of assuming office.
  - See section 388, Florida Statutes
  - 99-449, Laws of Florida, “The board of commissioners of the Anastasia Mosquito Control District shall consist of five (5) members each of whom shall be a registered elector, residing within the boundaries of the district.”
  - Position runs countywide
  - Takes office the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January.

- **St. Augustine – St. Johns County Airport Authority**
  - At the time of qualifying.
  - 2002-347, Laws of Florida, “…no person shall be eligible for appointment or election as a board member except persons residing within the boundaries of the St. Augustine-St. Johns County Airport Authority District.”
  - Position runs countywide
  - Takes office the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January.

- **St. Johns Soil and Water Conservation District**
  - At the time of assuming office.
  - See Section 582.18, Florida Statutes
  - Position runs countywide
  - Takes office the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January.

- **Municipal Service District of Ponte Vedra Beach**
  - At the time of qualifying.
  - Municipal Service District of Ponte Vedra Beach Charter, “To be eligible for election, a person must reside in the district and be qualified to vote in the district.”
  - Position voted on by registered electors residing within the boundaries of the district.
  - Takes office the second Tuesday following such election.

- **St. Augustine Port, Waterway and Beach District**
  - At the time of qualifying.
  - 2000-478, Laws of Florida, “No person shall be appointed or elected as a member of the commission of the district unless he or she resides within the boundaries of the district and is a registered voter within the boundaries of the district.”
  - Position voted on by registered electors residing within the boundaries of the district.
  - Takes office the 10th day following the General Election.

- **Community Development Districts**
  - At the time of assuming office.
  - Section 190.006, Florida Statutes, states “All elected board members must be qualified electors of the district.”
  - Takes office the second Tuesday following the general election.

Any questions regarding residency requirements for officials not expressly stated in the Florida Election Code should be addressed to the Florida Attorney General’s Office at www.myfloridalegal.com.

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