Elections

April 7, 2009 Regular Municipal Mail Ballot Election Results:
Christina Rinderle Thompson - 2423 votes
Doug Lyon - 2389 votes
Paul Broderick - 2133 votes
Aaron Tucson - 1210 votes

Three City Council seats were available and the successful candidates are elected to four-year terms. Council-elect individuals will be sworn in on April 21, 2009 in City Council Chambers.

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The City of Durango will conduct its regular biennial election on Tuesday, April 7, 2009, to elect three City Council members. Council members are elected at-large to represent all residents of the City. Candidates will be elected to four-year terms. The terms of office will commence on Tuesday, April 21, 2009.

As stated in the Colorado Municipal Election Code (copy available in the City Clerk's office), a candidate for the Durango City Council must be:

- a registered elector
- eighteen (18) years old by April 7, 2009 (Election Day)
- a resident of Durango, or a territory recently annexed to Durango, for the twelve (12) consecutive months prior to April 7, 2009.

Candidates for City Council are nominated by petition, without regard to political party affiliation. Petitions and 2009 Candidate Information are obtained from the City Clerk. Nominations petitions may be circulated beginning Wednesday, February 11, 2009. Petitions must be returned to the City Clerk by 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 3, but, if completed earlier, can be filed with the Clerk before the deadline. A petition is valid only if it contains at least 25 signatures of registered City electors. A registered City elector may sign only three nomination petitions no matter how many people are seeking candidacy.

2009 Election Calendar (PDF)