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Texas Peanut Producers Board announces biennial elections for two seats
Nomination process opens November 23

LUBBOCK, Texas (November 19, 2014) – The [Texas Peanut Producers Board](http://www.texaspeanutboard.com) will be holding an election for two expiring directors' seats. The election will be held from Jan. 9-23, 2014, with the nomination process open Nov. 23, 2013, through Dec. 23, 2013.

There is **one seat** open in **Voting Region 3**, which consists of the following 109 counties: Anderson, Angelina, Bandera, Bastrop, Bell, Blanco, Bosque, Bowie, Brazos, Brown, Burleson, Burnet, Caldwell, Callahan, Camp, Cass, Cherokee, Clay, Coke, Coleman, Collin, Comal, Comanche, Concho, Cooke, Coryell, Dallas, Delta, Denton, Eastland, Edwards, Ellis, Erath, Falls, Fannin, Franklin, Freestone, Gillespie, Grayson, Gregg, Grimes, Hamilton, Harrison, Hays, Henderson, Hill, Hood, Hopkins, Houston, Howard, Hunt, Irion, Jack, Johnson, Kaufman, Kendall, Kerr, Kimble, Lamar, Lampasas, Lee, Leon, Limestone, Llano, Madison, Marion, Mason, McCulloch, McLennan, Menard, Milam, Mills, Mitchell, Montague, Morris, Nacogdoches, Navarro, Nolan, Palo Pinto, Panola, Parker, Rains, Real, Red River, Robertson, Rockwall, Runnels, Rusk, Sabine, San Augustine, San Saba, Schleicher, Shelby, Smith, Somervell, Sterling, Sutton, Tarrant, Taylor, Titus, Tom Green, Travis, Trinity, Upshur, Van Zandt, Walker, Williamson, Wise and Wood counties. Nomination applicants must reside in a county listed above to seek nomination in this region.

There is **one seat** open for election of an **At Large** TPPB board member. The At Large member may be from any of the 254 counties in Texas so long as they meet the requirements below.

Any person qualified to vote is also qualified to seek nomination for election to the board as a director. Nomination applicants must have their application signed by the applicant and 10 other eligible voters. Nomination forms will be publicly available Nov. 23, 2013, at peanut buying point locations and [Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service](http://www.texaspeanutboard.com) offices, or they can be requested by mail directly from TPPB at 4205 N. I-27, Lubbock, Texas 79403. If you request a nomination form by mail, please include your county of residence. A form must be filed with TPPB no later than Dec. 23, 2013, in order for it to be valid.

Peanut producers eligible to vote in the elections are persons, including the owner of a farm on which peanuts are produced or the owner's tenant or sharecropper, engaged in the business of producing peanuts or causing peanuts to be produced for commercial purposes for at least one production period during the three years preceding the date of this election (Jan. 23, 2014). The producer must reside within one of the counties stated above to vote in the respective voting region.

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The Texas Peanut Producers Board is a statewide board funded by a voluntary checkoff program. TPPB is responsible for coordinating peanut research, promotion and marketing programs. For more information, visit www.TexasPeanutBoard.com.