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## Commissioners Corner

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### October 2016 - Commissioner Nielsen

#### Belle Isle Civics 102

The intent of our city charter is to give ultimate control of the City to the citizens who choose to become involved and vote. In March of every year, Belle Isle voters may vote to keep or change some of the commissioners on a rotating basis. Rotation of elections beginning on March 2017 is as follows,

2017: District 1 and 7

2018: District 5 and 6

2019: District 2, 3, 4 and Mayor

In order for there to be an election each year prospective candidates must qualify in November before the March election. City charter designates the second Monday of November as the beginning of the five (5) day qualifying period. Instructions for qualifying can be found on the [Elections Page](#).

Do your part to make us a representative city government according to the charter.