



2024 City of Dallas Charter Review Commission

Proposed Amendment #53

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CHAPTER IV. ELECTIONS AND REFERENDUMS		
A candidate for mayor or city council, or candidate's committee may not solicit or accept a political contribution except during the 180 days before an election for mayor or council member.		
Rationale:		
Given we have two year terms this assures that city council members are spending most of their time governing and not fundraising for the next election.		
Levels the playing field in elections for challengers which is good for democracy.		