Elector Candidate Vacancy.

Texas Election Code, Title 11, Section 192.004.

https://texas.public.law/statutes/tex._election_code_section_191.004

- (a) <u>An elector candidate may withdraw</u> from the presidential election before presidential election day, <u>by delivering written notice</u> of the withdrawal <u>to</u>:
- (1) the secretary of state; and
- (2) the state chair of the party that nominated the elector candidate or to the independent or write-in candidate for president who named the elector candidate.
- (b) If an elector candidate withdraws, dies, or is declared ineligible before presidential election day, a replacement elector candidate may be named by the party that nominated the elector candidate or by the independent or write-in candidate for president who named the elector candidate.
- (c) An independent or write-in <u>candidate for president</u> naming a replacement elector candidate <u>must file with the secretary of state</u>, before presidential election day, <u>the name and residence address of the replacement candidate</u> and a written <u>statement</u>, signed by the replacement candidate, <u>that the person consents to be a candidate</u>.
- (d) If a political party's rules do not provide the manner of choosing a replacement elector candidate, the party's state executive committee may choose the replacement candidate. The state chair of a political party naming a replacement elector candidate must file with the secretary of state, before presidential election day, the name and residence address of the replacement candidate.