

Nomination by Petition for General Election

TO THE COUNTY CLERK OF THE COUNTY OF CAPE MAY:

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we reside in the County of Cape May, of the State of New Jersey, and that we are legally qualified to vote for such candidate(s), and pledge ourselves to support and vote for the person(s) named in such petition, and that we have not signed any other petition of nomination for the primary or for the general election for such office, and request that you cause to be printed upon the Official General Ballot the name of the candidate and his designation of party or party principle.

We further certify that the offices for which said persons are named, the residence and post-office addresses of said persons so endorsed are as follows:

CANDIDATES

<u>Name</u>	<u>Municipality, Office & Ward, if any</u>	<u>Residence Address & Mailing Address</u>
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CANDIDATES REQUEST FOR DESIGNATION ON THE OFFICIAL GENERAL BALLOT

The above candidate(s), having been endorsed for the office mentioned in this petition, so or does hereby request that there be printed opposite his or her name(s) on said general ballot the following designation:

(Must not exceed three words)

SIGNATURES OF PETITIONERS

SIGNATURE & PRINTED NAME

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*******NOTICE*******

ALL CANDIDATES ARE REQUIRED BY LAW TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE NEW JERSEY CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXPENDITURES REPORTING ACT. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL THE ELECTION LAW ENFORCEMENT COMMISSION AT (609) 292-8700.

CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am qualified for the office mentioned in said petition; that I am a resident of and legal voter in the jurisdiction of the office for which the nomination is to be made; and that I have not signed an acceptance for nomination for the Primary election or any other petition of nomination for such office.

(Signature of Candidate)

(Signature of Candidate)

(Signature of Candidate)

(Signature of Candidate)

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, COUNTY OF CAPE MAY, ss.

_____ being duly sworn, upon his/her respective oath deposes and says that he/she believes the signers are duly qualified voters in Cape May County; that the said petition is made in good faith; that he/she saw all the signatures made thereto and verily believes that the signers are duly qualified voters.

Sworn to before me this _____ day

of _____ 20 ____

Signature of Deponent

Signature of Officer

Title of Officer

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

"I, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of New Jersey, and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same and to the Governments established in the United States and in this State, under the authority of the people; so help me God."

Signature of Candidate

Printed Name of Candidate

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Sworn to before me this _____ day

of _____ 20 ____

Signature of Officer

Title of Officer

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Read Petition carefully and fill in all blank spaces where required.
2. Contact your County Clerk for the number of signatures required.
3. Petitioners must sign in their own handwriting, giving their printed name and residence address under the words "Signatures of Petitioners", in the presence of someone.
4. The person in whose presence the Petition was signed must make the affidavit before an officer authorized by law to take affidavits.
5. The Candidate or Candidates must sign the Certificate of Acceptance, stating that he/she or they is or are qualified for the office.
6. The Candidate or Candidates must take the Oath of Allegiance before an officer authorized by law to administer oaths.
7. File the Petition with the County Clerk not later than 4:00 p.m. on the day of the Primary Election.