

Office of \_\_\_\_\_

**NOMINATION BY PETITION FOR GENERAL ELECTION  
FOR INDEPENDENT – COUNTY AND LOCAL CANDIDATE(S)**

**PETITION MUST BE FILED WITH THE COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE ON OR BEFORE  
PRIMARY ELECTION DAY BY 4:00 P.M. (19:13-9)**

**TO: Passaic County Clerk**

Each signer of this petition certifies that the following statements are true:

- 1) I reside in the State of New Jersey in the County of Passaic \_\_\_\_\_  
(city or town)
- 2) I am a qualified voter therein;
- 3) I endorse the person hereinafter mentioned as candidate for the nomination;
- 4) I have not signed any other petition of nomination for the primary or the general election for such office;
- 5) I request that you cause to be printed upon the official general ballot of the said party the name of said person(s) as the candidate(s) for such nomination.

**CANDIDATE(S)**

NAME	RESIDENCE ADDRESS, CITY AND ZIP CODE	EMAIL ADDRESS
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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**CANDIDATE'S REQUEST FOR SLOGAN (OPTIONAL)**

(PLEASE GIVE TWO CHOICES IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE)

The candidate herein having been indorsed for the office mentioned in this petition, does hereby request that there be printed opposite the name of the candidate on the said general election ballot the following designation of party or principle: (**Designation of the party or principle must not exceed three words and must be in accord with N.J.S.A. 19:13-4. The designation shall not contain the designation name, derivative, or any party thereof as a noun or an adjective of any political party entitled to participate in the primary election.**)

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(First choice – Must not exceed three (3) words)

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(Second choice – Must not exceed three (3) words)

## NOMINATION BY PETITION FOR GENERAL ELECTION INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Read Petition carefully and fill in all blank spaces where required.
2. Petitioners must sign in their own handwriting matching the signature in the voter registry records. They must provide their correct residence or post office address in the presence of the Affiant/Circulator.
3. For local elections, the Mayor must file a separate petition from Council.
4. For a joint petition, place the names in the order the way they are to appear on the ballot.
5. No nicknames or titles may be used for candidates unless they are legally registered by that name or title.
6. The circulator is not required to be a registered voter, but shall be voter eligible, which means at least 18 years of age, a resident of this State, a citizen of the United States, and not otherwise disqualified under the New Jersey Constitution (N.J.S.A. 19:13-7)
7. The Candidate(s) must sign the Certificate of Acceptance stating that he/she/they is/are qualified for the office in the Petition. Candidate must be a registered voter and resident of Passaic County 1 year prior to the date of the next General Election. (Chapter 94 Laws of 1980)
8. The Petition must be signed by legally qualified voters of the State of N.J. residing in the County of Passaic if the Petition is for County Office and/or residing in the Municipality if the petition is for Municipal Office. The Petition must be signed by at least 2% of the legally qualified voters of the entire vote cast for Members of the General Assembly at the last preceding General Election for which nominations for the General Assembly were made in the County in the case of County Officers or in the Municipality in the case of Municipal Officers provided that no more than 100 signers are required in any case. (N.J.S.A. 19:13-5).

SIGNATURE SHEET

Signature and residence address of Registered Voter:

1.	_____ Signature	_____ Print Name	
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**AFFIDAVIT OF PERSON WHO CIRCULATES THIS PETITION AND WITNESSES SIGNATURES**

The witness taking the affidavit below must be the person who obtained the names on this set of signatures or several sets of signatures. The witness must take the affidavit for each set he/she solicits and sign in the presence of a person authorized to administer affidavits (e.g., notary public).

**State of New Jersey** :  
: SS.

**County of** \_\_\_\_\_ :

I \_\_\_\_\_ being duly sworn (or affirm), upon my oath say that  
(Print Name of Circulator/Witness)

the petition was signed by each of the signers thereof in his/her own proper handwriting; that each of such signers is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, a legal voter of the County of Passaic, and that such petition is prepared and filed in absolute good faith for the sole purpose of endorsing the person herein named in order to secure his or her nomination or selection.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at

\_\_\_\_\_, NJ

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Circulator/Witness)

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Street Address of Circulator/Witness)

\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City or Town)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Zip Code)

**TOTAL NUMBER OF SIGNATURES ON THIS PETITION** \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL NUMBER OF SIGNATURES ON ALL PETITIONS** \_\_\_\_\_

The names and mailing addresses of the three members named as a committee on vacancies are as follows:

Name	Number and Street	City
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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The Circulator is not required to be a registered voter, but shall be voter eligible, which means at least 18 years of age, a resident of this State, a citizen of the United States, and not otherwise disqualified under the New Jersey Constitution



**OATH OF ALLEGIANCE**

State of New Jersey :  
: SS.  
County of \_\_\_\_\_:

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: 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

Sworn and subscribed to before me this  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_.

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(Candidate need only sign this page once for all petitions)

**CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE TO BE SIGNED BY CANDIDATE**

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am a resident of and a legal voter in the jurisdiction of the office for which the nomination is being made; that I have not signed an acceptance for primary nomination or any other petition of nomination under this chapter for such office. (R.S. 19:13-8)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Candidate)

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(Printed or Typewritten name of Candidate)

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(Residence Address)

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(City or Town) (Zip Code)

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Phone Number

**Notice**

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