

PETITION OF NOMINATION FOR THE PRIMARY ELECTION

TOTAL NUMBER OF SIGNATURES ON THIS PETITION_____

This petition may be used for one or more candidates, **DEADLINE-** before 4pm on or before the 71st day prior to the Primary Election (19:23-14).

**PETITION FILED WITH: PAULA SOLLAMI COVELLO, MERCER COUNTY CLERK
MERCER COUNTY COURTHOUSE ANNEX
209 S. BROAD ST., 2ND FLOOR, ROOM 202
TRENTON, NEW JERSEY 08608**

Residency Requirements for Elective Office (40A:9-1.13 Eligibility for candidacy to local elective office)

Except as provided in section 9 of this act, no person shall, on or after the effective date of this act, be eligible to become a candidate for any local elective office, or to be appointed to any local elective office, unless he is registered to vote in the local unit to which the office pertains, and has been a resident of that local unit for at least 1 year immediately prior to the date upon which the election for the office is to be held.

SIGNATURES REQUIRED – 100 (19:23-8)

COMPLETE ALL INFORMATION ON PAGES 1, 2 & 3 PRIOR TO CIRCULATION

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

1. I reside in Mercer County (19:23-7).
2. I am a qualified voter therein and I am aware that a voter who votes in a Primary Election of a political party shall be deemed a member of that party (19:23-7).
3. **I am a member of the _____ Party (19:23-7).**
4. I intend to affiliate with the said party at the ensuing election (19:23-7).
5. I endorse the person(s) hereinafter mentioned as (a) candidate(s) for the nomination for the office named below (19:23-7).
6. I believe the said person(s) so endorsed is legally qualified under the laws of this State to be nominated for said office and is a (are) member(s) of the political party named in this petition (19:23-7).
7. I request that the name(s) of said person(s) as the candidate(s) for such nomination hereby endorsed be printed upon the official Primary Ballots of the said party for the offices or positions herein mentioned (19:23-7).
8. I believe that the residence(s) and Post Office Address (es) of the person(s) so endorsed is (are) as shown.

THAT IS TO SAY:

NAME OF CANDIDATE
(Print name EXACTLY as to be printed on ballots)

TITLE OF OFFICE

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

NAME OF CANDIDATE	COMPLETE ADDRESS	EMAIL ADDRESS	PHONE NUMBER

By virtue of the authority vested in us pursuant to the provisions of Title 19:23-12, and amendments thereto, we hereby appoint the following three persons as a **COMMITTEE ON VACANCIES**:

NAME

COMPLETE ADDRESS

1.	
2.	
3.	

CANDIDATE’S REQUEST FOR DESIGNATION ON THE PRIMARY BALLOT

We, the undersigned, candidates for the offices written after our respective names, in conformity with the law, do hereby request the Clerk of the County of Mercer to add the designation selected by us, or any of us, after our names or the names of any of us, same to be printed on the Primary Ballot (19:23-17).

SIGNATURE OF CANDIDATE

DESIGNATION (must not exceed six words)

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

CANDIDATE’S REQUEST FOR GROUPING OF NAMES UNDER SAME DESIGNATION

We, the undersigned candidates for nomination in the annexed petition, request that our names be grouped together and that the same designation be printed opposite our names, in a bracket (19:23-18).

SIGNATURE OF CANDIDATE

OFFICE TO BE FILLED

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____

- _____
- _____
- _____
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SIGNATURE SHEET

Signature	Print Name	Residence Address (Number, Street, City, Zip Code)
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PETITIONER AFFIDAVIT

The following affidavit is to be completed by one or more of the signers of the petition who collected and witnessed the signatures of said petition. Affidavit must be taken and subscribed before a person qualified under the laws of New Jersey to administer oaths.

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY
COUNTY OF MERCER**

_____ being duly sworn upon his or her oath saith, that he or she is a New Jersey registered voter of said party hereto annexed and that the said petition is signed by each of the signers thereto in his or her own proper handwriting; that each of the signers is to the best of the knowledge and belief of the affiant, a legally qualified voter of the said County of Mercer, as stated in said petition, and belongs to the political party named in said petition, and that such petition is prepared and filed in absolute good faith for the sole purpose of endorsing the persons therein named in order to secure their nominations as candidates for the offices or positions as stated in said petition (19:23-11).

(Signature of Petitioner)

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED TO BEFORE ME

this _____ day of
_____ A.D. 20 _____

CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that I (we), the undersigned, being the person(s) endorsed in the annexed petition, am (are) qualified for the office named in said petition, and I (we) am (are) (a) member(s) of the political party named therein, and that I (we) consent to stand as candidate(s) for nomination at the ensuing Primary Election and that, if nominated, I (we) agree to accept the nomination (19:23-15).

SIGNATURE OF CANDIDATE

TITLE OF OFFICE

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

(19:23-7)

“I, _____, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support the Constitution of the United States and 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.”

Amended by L. 1949, c. 21, p. 67, 3, eff. April 12, 1949; L. 1971, c. 217 6, 41:1-1

Signature of Candidate

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this _____ day of _____ A.D. 20 _____

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**PRIMARY ELECTION, JUNE _____, 20_____
COUNTY OF MERCER, STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

PETITION &C., OF CANDIDATE OR CANDIDATES, FOR NOMINATION TO COUNTY OFFICES

_____ PARTY

CANDIDATE

OFFICE

Filed _____, 20____

Received By: Paula Sollami Covello, MERCER COUNTY CLERK/DESIGNEE

(Time Stamp Below)