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**AND NAME MUST BE PRINTED ON THE LINE PROVIDED.**

PRINTED NAME

ADDRESS

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**D. VERIFICATION**

State of New Jersey }  
County of Gloucester } ss.

The undersigned being duly sworn upon his/her/their oath saith that he/she/they personally circulated the petition; that the petition is signed by each of the signers thereof in his/her/their proper handwriting; that the signers are to the best knowledge and belief of the affiant legal voters of the Municipality set forth on the first page hereof, and belongs to the political party named in the petition, and that the petition is prepared and filed in absolute good faith for the sole purpose of endorsing the person or persons therein named in order to secure his/her/their nomination as candidate(s) for the office as stated in the petition. The person who circulates the petition shall be a registered voter in this State whose party affiliation is of the same political party named in the petition.

Subscribed and sworn to before me

the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_

(Signature of Circulator/Witness)

(Officer Authorized to Administer Oath)

(Type or Print Name of Circulator/Witness)

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**E. CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE**

TO THE MUNICIPAL CLERK:

The undersigned hereby certify that I am or we are member(s) of the political party named in the foregoing petition; that I am or we are qualified for the office heretobefore set forth, that I or we consent to stand at the ensuing Primary Election as candidate(s) for the nomination and that if nominated, I or we agree to accept the nomination. And I or we do further certify that I am or we are resident(s) and legal voters of the Municipality hereinbefore set forth.

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(Signature of Candidate)

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(Signature of Candidate)

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(Type or Print Name of Candidate)

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## **F. OATH, AFFIRMATION, OR DECLARATION OF ALLEGIANCE**

**State of New Jersey }  
County of Gloucester } ss.**

**“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.”\***

\* No individual is required to swear that part of an oath which states “So help me God” and may instead state “I do solemnly, sincerely and truly declare and affirm” or “I, do declare, in the presence of Almighty God, the witness of the truth of what I say”.

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(Signature of Candidate)

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(Signature of Candidate)

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(Type or Print Name of Candidate)

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**Subscribed and sworn to before me**

the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_

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(Officer Authorized to Administer Oath)

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Read Petition carefully and fill in all blank spaces where required.
2. Under Section C, Petitioners must sign in their own handwriting and give their address, in the presence of the Circulator/Witness.
3. The Circulator/Witness in whose presence the Petition was signed must take the oath and sign the affidavit before an officer authorized to administer oaths.
4. The Candidate or Candidates must sign the Certificate of Acceptance, stating that he/she/they is or are qualified for the office and a member of the political party mentioned in the Petition.
5. File Petition with the Municipal Clerk not later than 4:00 p.m., 71 days prior to the date of Primary Election.

## NUMBER OF SIGNATURES REQUIRED

(19:23-8)

Contact your Municipal Clerk for the number of signatures required for your petition.

## RESIDENCY AND REGISTRATION OF CANDIDATE(S)

(40A:9-1.13)

No person shall be eligible to be a Candidate unless: (1) Person is registered to vote in the local unit to which the office pertains. (2) Person 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.

### PRIMARY ELECTION PETITION ALL MUNICIPALITIES

City \_\_\_\_\_  
Township of \_\_\_\_\_  
Borough \_\_\_\_\_

### PETITION NOMINATING

### CANDIDATE(S) FOR

Party \_\_\_\_\_  
(Republican or Democratic)

Filed the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_ a.m./p.m.

Municipal Clerk

**NOTE** - This petition must be filed with the  
Municipal Clerk before 4:00 p.m.  
71 days prior to the Primary Election.

## INFORMATION ON CIRCULATING AND FILING PETITIONS

(19:23-10)

A Circulator/Witness may circulate one or more petitions and one or more petitions may be filed on behalf of candidate(s) providing:

1. All petitions are filed on or before 4:00 p.m. on the 71st day preceding the day of Primary Election.
2. The aggregate number of valid signers of the petition(s) must equal or exceed the number required by law.
3. The signers are qualified voters and reside in the political subdivision for which the candidate stands for office.
4. The candidate(s) endorsed in the petition fully complete and execute one or more petitions with respect to Section E. Certificate of Acceptance and Section F. Oath/Affirmation/Declaration of Allegiance (19:23-7).

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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 ELEC AT (609) 292-8700.**

