



**CERTIFICATE OF CANDIDATE SELECTION TO FILL
A LATE BALLOT VACANCY FOR A LOCAL OFFICE**

(CAN-35)

State Form 47010 (R12 / 11-23)
Indiana Election Division (IC 3-13-2-5; 3-13-2-8; 3-8-9-5)

INSTRUCTIONS: For use by major political parties in filling ballot vacancies for local office in the final thirty (30) days before election day. This certificate must be filed with the circuit court clerk (or the Indiana Election Division when filing a certificate for a candidate for judge of a circuit, superior, probate, or small claims court or prosecuting attorney) not more than 3 days (excluding Saturdays and Sundays) after selection of the candidate. This form must be accompanied by the candidate's statement of economic interests form (CAN-12).

TO THE _____ COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT CLERK OR INDIANA ELECTION DIVISION:

GENERAL INFORMATION

This is to certify the following:

- (1) As the county chairman of the (check one) Democratic Party **OR** the Republican Party of _____ County, Indiana, I certify the name of the candidate stated below.
- (2) The candidate named in this certificate is a duly qualified and registered voter of the above-named county (and the district or division the candidate seeks to represent), as the candidate for the office of _____, District _____ (if any) to be voted on at the general election to be held on November _____, _____, year, to fill a vacancy now existing on this Party ticket.
- (3) Or, as the presiding county chairman at a meeting of county chairmen under IC 3-13-2-5(b), a meeting was conducted, the County Chairmen have selected the candidate named in this certificate to fill the ballot vacancy.
- (4) The candidate named in this certificate is legally qualified to be a candidate for and to hold the office.
- (5) This certificate is executed to request that this candidate's name be certified to the appropriate election officials so that it will appear on the general election ballot. **The written consent of this person to the nomination has previously been filed with this office or is attached (CAN-31 form). The candidate's statement of economic interests is attached (CAN-12 form).**

(6) CANDIDATE NAME

First Designation	Second Designation	Third Designation	Fourth Designation	Suffix
This can be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The candidate's legal given name. The initial of the candidate's legal given name. The candidate's legal middle name. The initial of the candidate's legal middle name. The candidate's nickname. 	This can be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The candidate's legal middle name. The initial of the candidate's legal middle name. The candidate's nickname. The candidate's legal surname. 	If not used in the first or second designation, this can be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The candidate's nickname. The candidate's legal surname. 	If not used in the third designation, this can be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The candidate's nickname. The candidate's legal surname. 	Examples: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jr. or III CANNOT be a title or degree such as MD, JD

I also request that my name on my voter registration record be the same as the name on this certificate. (IC 3-8-2-7(c))

If a candidate's name does not comply with IC 3-5-7, the certificate may be challenged under Indiana Code 3-8-1-2. A candidate may use a nickname on the ballot only if the nickname is a name by which the candidate is commonly known and does not exceed 20 characters. A candidate may not use a title or degree as a designation or a designation that implies a title or degree. Nicknames are required to be printed on the ballot using parentheses. EXAMPLE: John R. (Jack) Doe

RESIDENCY INFORMATION

(7) Candidate's residence address is:

_____, Indiana _____
 Complete Residence Address Must Be Inserted City ZIP Code

(8) Candidate's mailing address is (if different from residence address):

_____, Indiana _____
 Mailing Address (Write "SAME" if both addresses are identical or leave blank) City ZIP Code

CERTIFICATION OF PARTY CHAIR

I, the Chair of the above-named County (or Chair of the caucus of county chairmen acting to fill a vacancy under IC 3-13-2-5(b)), acting to fill a ballot vacancy for a local office, certify that the information in this Certificate of Candidate Selection is true and complete.

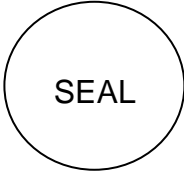
Signature of Chair

Printed Name of Chair

____/____/____
Date Signed (MM/DD/YY)

STATE OF _____)

COUNTY OF _____)



Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, _____
year

Notary Public or Other Official Administering Oath according to IC 33-42-9

My Commission expires (applies only to Notary Public): _____ County of Residence: _____