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CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT OR MINOR POLITICAL PARTY CANDIDATE NOMINATED BY PETITION FOR CITY OR TOWN OFFICE IN 2021 (CAN-45)

State Form 49027 (R7 / 5-21)
Indiana Election Division (IC 3-8-6-12)

INSTRUCTIONS: This consent must be filed with the certified CAN-44 petition of nomination form by an independent candidate or a candidate of a political party nominated by petition by **NOON, July 15, 2021**. **This form is not used by Democratic, Libertarian, or Republican Party candidates.**

SEE IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON BACK OF FORM.

All candidates seeking a election to a city or town office must file the CAN-12 statement of economic interests WITH this form.

STATE OF INDIANA)
)
COUNTY OF _____)

GENERAL INFORMATION

I, _____ _____ _____ the undersigned,
First Name of Candidate | Middle Name of Candidate | Last Name of Candidate

certify the following:

(1) I am a registered voter of Precinct _____ of the Township of _____, (or of Ward _____ of the City or Town of _____), County of _____, State of Indiana.

(2) I am a candidate for the office of _____, District _____ *(if any)* in the *(check one box)* ☐ City or the ☐ Town of _____ .

(3) I give my written consent under IC 3-8-6-12 to the circulation and filing of a petition under IC 3-8-6 to place my name on the ballot for the municipal election to be held on November 2, 2021, designated as an independent candidate **or** a candidate of the Party stated on the petition of nomination *(CAN-44 form)* attached to this consent. ***(Note: If you claim affiliation with a political party, the name of the party may not be identical with or result in voter confusion due to its similarity with that of a party guaranteed ballot access under Indiana law or which has already filed a petition for ballot placement. (IC 3-8-6-5.5))***

(4) ***(This paragraph does not apply to an independent candidate.)*** I am ☐ OR am not ☐ *(check one box)* affiliated with the same political party as any other candidate or group of candidates that has filed or will be filing a petition of nomination with the county voter registration office. *(You may attach additional information concerning your affiliation with specific candidates of the same political party.)*

(5) I comply with all requirements under the laws of the State of Indiana to be a candidate for this office *(including any applicable residency requirements)*. I am not ineligible to be a candidate due to a criminal conviction that would prohibit me from serving in this office.

CANDIDATE ADDRESS INFORMATION

(6) My residence address is:

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

(7) My mailing address is *(if different from residence address)*:

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

CANDIDATE NAME INFORMATION

(8) I request that my name appear on the general election ballot in the following manner:

_____
*(*Include any Nickname and/or Suffix, Jr. Sr. II III IV)*

I also request that my name on my voter registration record be the same as the name on this consent, and that a copy of this form be forwarded to the county voter registration office for any necessary change.

The candidate's name must comply with the requirements in Indiana Code 3-5-7. If a candidate's name does not comply with this state law, the consent may be challenged under IC 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. EXAMPLE: John R. (Jack) Doe A candidate may not use a title or degree as a designation or a designation that implies a title or degree.

↓ Please complete reverse of form ↓

CANDIDATE CERTIFICATION

(9) By initialing, I acknowledge that I have attached a copy of the CAN-12 statement of economic interests, file stamped by the office of the appropriate circuit court clerk, or a receipt or photocopy of a receipt showing that this statement of economic interest has been filed. *(initial here)* _____

(10) By initialing, I acknowledge that I might be required to file a surety bond before serving in office. *(initial here)* _____

(11) By initialing, I acknowledge that I might be required to complete training or have attained certification related to service in office. *(initial here)* ____

(12) By initialing, I acknowledge that I: am aware of the provisions of IC 3-9 regarding campaign finance and the reporting of campaign finance contributions and expenditures and agree to comply with the provision of IC 3-9. *(initial here)* ____

(13) I have been a candidate for state or local office in Indiana in a previous primary election: ☐ Yes ☐ No *(Check one)*
(If the answer to this question is no, skip paragraph 14 and proceed to paragraph 15.)

(14) I have filed all reports required by IC 3-9-5-10 for all previous candidacies: ☐ Yes ☐ No (*Check one)*

(15) *(This paragraph applies to a candidate for a local office if the local office receives compensation of **at least** $5,000 per year, or to a local office if the local office receives compensation of less than $5,000 but the candidate raises or spends more than $500.)* I have filed a campaign finance statement of organization for my principal candidate's committee with the appropriate county election board **OR** I am aware that I may be required to file the campaign finance statement of organization not later than noon, seven (7) days after the final date to file this declaration of candidacy. *(initial here)* ____

I certify that the information in this Declaration of Candidacy is true and complete, and that I meet the specific requirements of this office.

_____	_____/_____/_____	(_____)_____	(_____)_____
Signature	Date Signed (*MM/DD/YY*)	Telephone *(Day)*	Telephone *(Evening)*

OPTIONAL INFORMATION: Candidate e-mail address: _____ Campaign website: _____

STATE OF _____)
)
COUNTY OF _____)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 2021.

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

SEAL

My Commission expires *(applies only to Notary Public)*: _____

County of Residence: _____

CAMPAIGN FINANCE NOTICE

A candidate's committee must file its first campaign finance report no later than **NOON, Thursday, August 5, 2021,** with the appropriate county election board.

A candidate's committee must file a pre-municipal election campaign finance report no later than **NOON, Friday, October 15, 2021**, with the appropriate county election board.

The candidate's committee must also file a pre-municipal election supplemental report no later than forty-eight (48) hours after the committee receives contributions from a person that total $1,000 or more during the period beginning **October 9, 2021 and ending at 6:00 am, local prevailing time, on October 31, 2021**, with the appropriate county election board. If no such contribution is received, the candidate's committee is not required to file a supplemental report.

A person who fails to file a report with a county election board is subject to a civil penalty of $50 for each calendar day the report is late, with the afternoon of the final date for filing the report being calculated as the first day, for a maximum penalty of not more than $1,000, plus any investigative costs incurred and documented by the county election board.