



2024 CITY ELECTION INFORMATION PACKET
(7/10/2024)

Dear Prospective Candidate:

Thank you for your interest in serving the citizens of Springfield. The following information is intended to provide information for prospective candidates for election to the position of Springfield Mayor/City Councilor, or Springfield Utility Board (SUB) member.

The information in this City Election Information Packet is provided for general informational purposes only; it does not, and is not intended to, constitute professional legal or financial advice. Candidates and prospective candidates should not rely upon information in this Packet as a substitute for professional legal or financial advice. Candidates and prospective candidates are responsible for independently verifying any and all information regarding state and federal election law.

When is the Election?

The election for members of the Springfield Utility Board will occur at the statewide general election on **Tuesday, November 5, 2024**, pursuant to the Springfield Municipal Code Section 2.210(2) and Springfield Charter Chapter XI, Section 38.

What Positions are Open for Election?

The Springfield Utility Board (SUB) positions open for election at the **November 5, 2024**, General Election are:

<u>Position</u>	<u>Incumbent</u>	<u>Nominated</u>	<u>Elected</u>	<u>Term</u>
SUB Position 1	David C. Willis	At Large	At Large	4 Years
SUB Position 2	Terri Dillon	At Large	At Large	2 Years ¹
SUB Position 4	Vacant	At Large	At Large	2 Years ²
SUB Position 5	Mark A. Molina	At Large	At Large	4 Years

¹ Terri Dillon was appointed to fill a vacancy in SUB Position 2 for the term expiring December 31, 2026. Per the Springfield Charter Chapter XI, Section 39, vacancies in the Utility Board are to be filled for the unexpired term at the next general election. The member elected to SUB Position 2 in the 2024 general election will take office January 1, 2025, and complete the remaining two years of the original term.

² SUB Position 4 is vacant for the term expiring December 31, 2026. Per the Springfield Charter Chapter XI, Section 39, vacancies in the Utility Board are to be filled for the unexpired term at the next general election. The member elected to SUB Position 4 in the 2024 general election will take office January 1, 2025, and complete the remaining two years of the original term.

What is the Filing Process?

Please carefully read the attached information from the *State Candidate Manual*, and this information packet, for information about the filing process and deadlines. Master forms for the 2024 election are provided in this packet. Please contact the City Recorder's Office with any questions about the filing process.

The process requires the candidate to submit the following:

- *Candidate Filing* (SEL 101)
- *Candidate Signature Sheet - Nonpartisan* (SEL 121)
- *Statement of Organization for Candidate Committee* (SEL 220) *
- *Campaign Account Information* (SEL 223) *

The SEL 101 and SEL 121 must be approved by the City Recorder as the City Elections Filing Officer, prior to signatures being gathered.

The first step in the process is to submit the *Candidate Filing* (SEL 101) marked “Prospective Petition” and state whether petition circulators will be paid. Note that ORS 260.569 prohibits paying petition circulators based on the number of signatures obtained for purpose of nominating a candidate for elective office.

At the same time, all candidates must file a *Statement of Organization for a Candidate Committee* (SEL 220) and a *Campaign Account Information* (SEL 223) with the Oregon Secretary of State’s Office through their electronic filing system, ORESTAR (<https://sos.oregon.gov/elections/Pages/orestar.aspx>) unless the candidate is exempt as outlined below. These documents should be filed no later than three (3) business days after first receiving a contribution or making an expenditure or the candidate filing deadline, **whichever occurs first**.

A candidate is not required to establish a campaign account, file a *Statement of Organization* (SEL 220), or file contribution and expenditure transactions, if **all three** of the following conditions are met:

- The candidate serves as the candidate’s own treasurer;
- The candidate does not have an existing candidate committee; **and**
- The candidate does not expect to receive or spend more than \$750 during a calendar year.

However, if at any time the candidate exceeds \$750 in either contributions or expenditures, the candidate must establish a campaign account and file form SEL 220 within three business days of exceeding the \$750 threshold. See the Campaign Finance Manual for additional information <https://sos.oregon.gov/elections/Pages/campaigncommittee.aspx>.

When either the total contributions or total expenditures for a calendar year exceed \$3,500, detailed contribution and expenditure reports must be filed electronically with the State through ORESTAR. Transactions must be reported on a continuous basis with each transaction having its own filing deadline. ORESTAR will automatically calculate transaction due dates. If a committee does not expect to receive a total of more than \$3,500 or spend a total of more than \$3,500 in a calendar year, the committee may file a Certificate of Limited Contributions and Expenditures (PC 7) or file the Certificate electronically using ORESTAR.

The campaign finance reporting information is a summary and candidates are encouraged to review, the entire *Campaign Finance Manual* on the State website listed below:

<https://sos.oregon.gov/elections/Pages/manuals-tutorials.aspx>.

You may also want to review ORS Chapter 260, *Campaign Finance Regulation; Election Offenses*. Information contained in the *Campaign Finance Manual* provides election law reminders to help prevent election law violations.

Following notice of approval of the *Candidate Filing (SEL 101)* provided, in writing, by the City Recorder as the Elections Filing Officer, a candidate may circulate the *Candidate Signature Sheet - Nonpartisan* (SEL 121) to collect the required number of signatures, explained furthered below, from registered voters who reside in the candidate’s Ward (for City Council positions) or in the city limits (for Mayor and SUB positions).

Pursuant to Springfield Municipal Code section 2.215 “Elections,” candidates for City and Springfield Utility Board offices are required to obtain signatures from at least 25 legal voters in the applicable ward for offices that are nominated by ward (City Councilors), or at least 25 legal voters of the City for offices that are nominated at-large (Utility Board members and Mayor). In all cases, it is recommended that a higher number of signatures than is required be obtained to allow for possible invalid signatures.

Candidates filing by petition should review with circulators the guidelines for circulating the petition. All signatures must be original signatures of the signers and witnessed by the petition circulator. The petition circulator must complete the Circulator Certification after witnessing all signatures collected on a sheet. (For information regarding nominating petition signature requirements, see the attached “Petition Guidelines and Requirements” and Springfield Municipal Code section 2.215.)

After a sufficient number of signatures have been collected, candidates must file the *Petition Submission* (SEL 338) and *Candidate Signature Sheet - Nonpartisan* (SEL 121) with the City Recorder. The City Recorder will then verify the signatures for sufficiency and validity with the Lane County Elections Division, 275 W. 10th Avenue, Eugene, OR 97401, 541-682-4234. The signature sheets should be submitted to the City Recorder with ample time for the verification process to be completed before the verification deadline under state law on August 27, 2024. Therefore, it is strongly recommended that signature sheets be received by the City Recorder no later than:

- **5:00 p.m. on August 21, 2024**, for the 2024 General Election

What are the Qualifications to Run for Office?

The Mayor shall be a qualified voter and at all times be a resident of the City of Springfield. Council members shall be qualified voters and at all times be a resident of the ward from which they are elected (Springfield Charter Section 23).

The Springfield Utility Board (SUB) consists of five members who are qualified voters and who have been residents of the City of Springfield for one year prior to their appointment or election to the utility board. No member so appointed or elected shall have any interest in a utility which offers the same or similar utility service that is offered by the City of Springfield in competition with such city (Springfield Charter Section 37).

Where Do I File the Necessary Forms?

The Springfield City Recorder is the Elections Filing Officer for City of Springfield and Springfield Utility Board elections. All documents, excluding financial documents, must be filed with the Springfield City Recorder, City Manager's Office, 225 Fifth Street, Springfield, Oregon, 97477.

Please call ahead (541-744-4061) to schedule an appointment with the Elections Filing Officer to review your forms and answer any questions you may have.

State Voters' Pamphlet

Candidates in cities with a population of 50,000 or more are eligible to file a statement for inclusion in the state voters' pamphlet. Forms for filing can be obtained from the State Elections Division online at <http://sos.oregon.gov/elections/Pages/electionforms.aspx> or the Lane County Elections Official. See the 2023 Candidates Manual for more information.

Springfield Election Information (Online Voters' Pamphlet)

The City of Springfield may publish a voters' pamphlet "*Springfield Election Information*" to be made available on the City website and limited copies available in print from City Hall. The purpose of the *Springfield Election Information* is to provide citizens with valuable information about candidates and measures that will appear on their ballot in Springfield, Oregon.

Candidates for the City of Springfield Mayor and Council, Springfield Utility Board, Springfield Public Schools Board, and Willamalane Park and Recreation District Board may submit information for the *Springfield Election Information*. No other candidates will be included in the *Springfield Election Information*.

There is a \$25 fee to include information in the *Springfield Election Information*.

Who Do I contact for Further Questions or Information?

Linda J. Craig, Interim Elections Filing Officer, at (541) 744-4061.

Thank you for your interest,
Linda J. Craig
Interim Elections Filing Officer

(Attachments Included)

Guidelines for Circulation

ORS 249.061

To ensure compliance with circulating requirements, candidates must educate circulators on the guidelines for circulating and monitor their activities.

Circulator Requirements

Each circulator must:	What this means:
→ personally witness each signature collected;	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Watch the person sign the petition. ⓘ It is not sufficient to merely be present in the same room or vicinity.
→ complete the circulator certification after witnessing all signatures collected on a sheet; and	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Sign the certification using a legal signature. ⓘ A legal signature is defined as a signature possessing obvious and predominantly matching characteristics to signatures on file from a paid circulator’s registration, signatures in the Oregon voter registration file, or the signature on an official government document. ⓘ Initials, signature stamps, illegible or printed script are not sufficient unless verified by exemplar.
→ provide the date when the certification was signed.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ The date must be provided in month, day, year order if written in all numbers.

! A circulator’s failure to comply with these requirements may result in the rejection of the petition signature sheets and a felony conviction for the circulator.

Circulator Prohibitions

It is against the law for circulators to knowingly:

→ circulate a petition containing a false signature;

→ attempt to obtain the signature of a person who is not qualified to sign the petition;

ⓘ Only active Oregon registered voters may sign a petition.

→ make false statements to any person who signs the petition or requests information about it;

→ offer money or anything of value to another person to sign or not sign the petition;



→ sell or offer to sell signature sheets; or

→ write, alter, correct, clarify or obscure any information about the signers unless the signer initials after the changes are made.

ⓘ A circulator may assist a disabled signer who requests assistance in completing their printed name, address and date signed. In such a case, no initials are required.

! Violations of the circulator requirements may result in conviction of a felony with a fine of up to \$125,000 and/or prison for up to 5 years. ORS 260.715 and 260.993


Signer Requirements

Each petition signer must:	What this means:
All Petition Types	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Signers should provide an original signature and should be encouraged to provide their printed name and date signed.  These informational fields, while optional unless otherwise noted below, provide valuable assistance when verifying signatures.  Signers must include printed name for Nomination by Assembly of Electors and for Major Party Presidential Candidates. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Signers must sign the petition using a signature contained in their voter registration record.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Signers should be an active registered voter at the time of signing the petition in the candidate’s electoral district. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Information in the voter's registration record is up to date, and they would be able to vote for the candidate.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Sign a petition sheet that is designated for their county of residence, if applicable. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Signers should sign a petition sheet designated for the county in which they are registered to vote.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Provide a residence or mailing address. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Signers should provide the address at which they are registered to vote.
Nominating Petition Only	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → At the time of signing the petition, signers are encouraged to include the signer’s precinct name or number. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Signers are encouraged to provide precinct information.
Major Party Petition Only	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → At the time of signing the petition, the signer should be a member of the same political party as the candidate. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Information in the voter's registration record is up to date, and they would be able to vote for the candidate at a primary election.

Signature Date

If no date is provided by the signer, the signature is only considered valid if the signer:


- ✓ was an active Oregon registered voter between the date the petition was approved to circulate and the circulator’s certification date; or
- ✓ was originally registered to vote on or after the date the petition was approved to circulate and was an active registered voter between their original registration date and the circulator’s certification date.

 This standard also applies to any signer that provides a date of birth or a date that at the time of verification has not yet occurred instead of the date they signed the petition.

Signer Prohibitions

It is against the law for signers to knowingly:


- sign another person’s name under any circumstances;
- sign a petition more than one time; or
- sign a petition when not qualified to sign it.

 Only active Oregon registered voters may sign a petition. If the signer is not registered to vote or an active voter the signature will be rejected unless a completed registration card is received by a designated voter registration agency or an elections filing officer before 5 pm the day the petition is signed or 11:59 pm if completed electronically online at www.oregonvotes.gov.

Certification of Signature Sheets




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After all signatures on a signature sheet have been collected, circulators complete the certification by signing their legal signature and providing the date when the certification was signed. A legal signature is defined as a signature possessing obvious and predominantly matching characteristics to signatures on file from a paid circulator’s registration, signatures in the Oregon voter registration file, or the signature on an official government document.




 If the circulator certification is not completed or determined to be insufficient the signature sheet will be rejected.

Prior to submission to elections officials the circulator may correct the following defects:

Circulator Signature Defects



If the circulator has:	Then the circulator should:
→ signed using only initials;  Unless verified by exemplar.	✓ sign and re-date certification with legal signature;
→ signed using a signature stamp;  Unless approved under ORS 246.025.	✓ re-sign and re-date certification with legal signature;
→ signed using an illegible signature;  Unless verified by exemplar.	✓ re-sign and re-date certification with legal signature;
→ photocopied or carbon copied the certification; or	✓ sign and re-date certification with legal signature; or
→ signed in a manner that the signature, printed name, and address are all illegible;	✓ re-sign and re-date certification with legal signature.

Certification Date Defects

If the date is:	Then the circulator should:
→ missing;	✓ re-sign and date or date and initial correction;
→ crossed out;	✓ re-sign and re-date or re-date and initial correction;
→ overwritten with a different date;	✓ re-sign and re-date or re-date and initial correction;
→ earlier than all petition signers;  Unless the circulator and the only signer are the same person.	✓ re-sign and re-date or re-date and initial correction;
→ earlier than some, but not all petition signers;  Only those signatures dated on or before the date of the certification will be accepted.	✓ re-sign and re-date or re-date and initial correction;
→ partial or ambiguous; or	✓ re-sign and re-date or re-date and initial correction; or  Date must be provided in month, day, and year order if written in all numeric characters.
→ obscured in any way by white out or other correction fluid or adhesive tape.	✓ re-sign and re-date or re-date and initial correction.

The following defects in the circulator certification cannot be corrected and any signature sheet submitted that contains one of these defects will be rejected:


Incurable Defects

- the original signature of a circulator has been crossed out, and a different circulator's signature is inserted;
 -  Does not apply if the original signature is that of an individual whose signature appears on the same signature sheet as a signer.
- two individuals sign and date as circulator; or
 -  Does not apply if the only signers and the circulators are the same people.
- white-out or other correction fluid or adhesive tape appears on the signature line.

Guidelines for Completing Candidate Filing Forms

ORS 249.031

All forms must be complete before submitting them to the elections official.

-  Failure to provide information for each of the required fields may result in rejection of the candidate filing forms.

 Providing false statements on filing forms is a violation of Oregon Election Law and the candidate may be convicted of a Class C Felony. *ORS 260.715(1) and 260.993*

Counties may create an electronic version of Candidate Filing Forms. Electronic version of Candidate Filing Forms must contain required information listed in the statute and have the same components as the PDF version posted on oregonvotes.gov website.

Additional information may be required and will be discussed further in this section under the specific section.

Original or Amendment

Indicate if the filing is an Original filing or an Amendment that is changing information prior to the filing deadline.

Candidate Information

Complete the following information:

- **Name of Candidate:** This should be the candidate's full name (first, middle initial if applicable, and last). If filing online through ORESTAR, this field is automatically populated from the user profile and cannot be modified.
- **How name should appear on ballot:** Include how the candidate wishes their name to appear on the ballot. If a nickname is used in connection with the candidate's full name, the nickname should be in parentheses. Titles and designations (e.g., Dr., CPA) should not be included as they cannot appear on the ballot.
- **Candidate Residence Address:** Residential address of the candidate, including the county must be used.
- **Mailing Address for Candidate Correspondence:** Include the address where the candidate wishes to receive correspondence from the elections official. To use the residence address as the mailing address for candidate correspondence, click in the checkbox.
- **Contact Information:** Enter valid phone number where the candidate can be reached during normal business hours, fax, email address, and website, if applicable.

The following are guidelines to complete the required fields of occupation, occupational background, educational background, and prior governmental experience on the candidate filing forms. These fields are required and information provided must be accurate. Not every occupational, educational, or prior governmental experience is required to be provided. If the candidate has no relevant experience, “none” or other equivalent must be entered.

Occupation and Occupational Background

- **Occupation (present employment – paid or unpaid):** The current full- or part-time employment or other line of work, business, craft, or professional information (not required to indicate whether paid or not paid). If not employed, enter “Not Employed”.
- **Occupational Background (previous employment – paid or unpaid):** Previous full- or part-time employment or other line of work, business, craft or professional information (not required to indicate whether paid or not paid).

Educational Background

- **Educational Background (schools attended):** This may include schools attended by the candidate, including the last grade level completed, whether a diploma, degree or certificate was received, and the course of study. It is not required that every educational experience be listed, but what is listed must be accurate.
- **Educational Background (other):** Other educational experiences of the candidate.



A degree indicates a college, university or professional school has awarded a title upon the person for completion of a program of study. For this purpose, honorary degrees or degrees from "degree mills" should not be included under this requirement.

Prior Governmental Experience

- **Prior Governmental Experience (elected or appointed):** The current or previous governmental experience, which refers to a person’s involvement in governmental activities, such as appointed boards and commissions, elected boards other elected or appointed public offices or organizations that are recognized by a governmental body. Full- or part-time, paid or unpaid, or volunteer experience may be included (not required to indicate whether paid or not paid). If the candidate has no prior governmental experience, enter “None” or other equivalent.

Candidate Signature and Date Signed

Additional Information Required

The following instructions are for fields on specific forms that are unique to that form.

SEL 101 Candidate Filing – Major Political Party or Nonpartisan

Filing Method

Complete the following information.

- **Fee:** If paying a fee, check this box.
- **Prospective Petition:** If collecting signatures in lieu of paying the filing fee, check this box.
- **Some circulators may be paid:** When collecting signatures, if circulators may be paid to gather the sufficient number of signatures, mark “Yes.” If circulators are volunteering their time to help collect signatures, mark “No.”

Office Information


Complete the following information.

- **Filing for Office of:** Indicate the office the candidate is filing for.
- **District, Position or County:** Indicate the district, position or county of the office the candidate is filing for.
- **Party Affiliation:** Select the candidate’s party affiliation. If entering your candidacy online, “Nonpartisan” will automatically populate if the office indicated is nonpartisan.
- **Incumbent Judge:** If filing for a state judge position, indicate if the candidate is the incumbent judge by selecting “Yes” or “No.”

SEL 110 Candidate Filing – Minor Political Party

Nomination Information

- **Party nomination you are accepting with this filing:** Check the box for the party that is nominating you and whose nomination you are accepting.
- **Order of parties on ballot:** Indicate whether the order of the parties will be in default order or in a specified order. If marking Specified, specify the order in the space provided.

 If you have previously filed a candidacy filing with the filing officer for the current election cycle, skip to the Candidate Nomination Certificate and Candidate Attestation on the form. If you have **not** previously filed a candidacy filing with the filing officer for the current election cycle, fill out all remaining fields.

Candidate Nomination Certificate

Candidate filings by a minor party must be notarized prior to submission. The following fields must be completed.

- **Name of Minor Political Party:** Include the name of the Minor Party nominating the candidate.
- **Signature of the Officer of Minor Political Party:** Include the signature of one of the officers listed on the by-laws of the minor political party.
- **Date Signed:** Include the date the officer of the political party signed the candidate filing form.

Springfield Municipal Code

2.215 Nominations for Elective Office.

(1) The legal voters of the city shall have authority to make nominations for all elective offices to be filled. All nominations for elective offices within the city shall be made by a certificate of nomination signed by at least 25 legal voters in the ward, in the case of ward nominations, or signed by at least 25 legal voters in the city, in the case of nominations at large.

(2) A certificate of nomination shall become a perfected certificate when it has been signed by at least 25 legal voters in the ward, in the case of ward nominations, or at least 25 legal voters in the city, in the case of nominations at large, and such signatures have been verified as legal voters within the city by the county elections division and filed with the elections filing officer. The circulator that collects the signatures shall certify on each signature sheet that the circulator witnessed the signing of the signature sheet by each individual whose signature appears on the signature sheet and believes each individual is an elector registered in the electoral district.

(3) The perfected certificate of nomination must be filed with the elections filing officer no later than the 70th day preceding the date of the election so that the names of the candidates duly nominated may be placed upon the election ballot.

(4) It shall be the duty of the elections filing officer to inspect all petitions filed under terms of this section and to submit to the county elections division no later than the 61st day preceding the date of the election, the names of duly nominated candidates so that they may appear on the ballot.

(5) The elections filing officer shall furnish certificate of nomination forms to all interested persons to be used for nominating candidates. The certificate of nomination forms shall include:

- (a) Name of the elector;
- (b) Residence or mailing address of the elector;
- (c) Declaration as to whether one or more persons will be paid money or other valuable consideration for obtaining signatures of the electors on the certificate;
- (d) Circulation certification of signature witness and elector registration in electoral district. [Section 2.215 amended by Ordinance No. 6322, enacted June 16, 2014.]

Candidate Filing

Major Political Party or Nonpartisan

SEL 101

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Filing Dates		Candidate Filing		Candidate Withdrawal	
Primary Election May 21, 2024	First Day to File Last Day to File	September 14, 2023 March 12, 2024			March 15, 2024
General Election November 5, 2024	First Day to File Last Day to File	June 5, 2024 August 27, 2024			August 30, 2024

Filing Information

This filing is an Original Amendment

Office Information

Filing for Office of:

District, Position or County:

Party Affiliation: Democratic Party Republican Party Nonpartisan

Incumbent Judge (for judicial candidates only): Yes No Nondisclosure on file

Filing Method

Fee

Office	Filing Fee	Office	Filing Fee
United States President	n/a	District Attorney	\$50
United States Vice President	n/a	County Judge	\$50
United States Senator	\$150	MSD Executive Officer, MAD Director	\$100
United States Representative	\$100	MSD Councilor	\$25
Statewide Offices	\$100	County Office	\$50
State senator or Representative	\$25	City Office	Set by charter or ordinance
Circuit Court Judge	\$50	Justice of the Peace	n/a

Prospective Petition, in lieu of filing fee Some circulators may be paid Yes No

Candidate Information

Name of Candidate

First | MI | Last | Suffix

How you would like your name to appear on the ballot

Candidate Residence / Route Address

Street Address | City | State | Zip | County

Candidate Mailing Address and Contact Information Only one phone number and an email is required.

Street Address or PO Box | City | State | Zip

Work Phone | Home Phone | Cell Phone | Fax

Email Address | Web Site, if applicable

Race and Ethnicity Optional

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Occupation (present employment) If not employed, enter "Not Employed".

Occupational Background (previous employment) If no relevant experience, None or NA must be entered.

Educational Background (schools attended)

Complete name of School	Last Grade completed	Diploma/Degree/Certificate	Course of Study
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Educational Background (other) Attach a separate sheet if necessary.

Prior Governmental Experience (elected or appointed) If no relevant experience, None or NA must be entered.

Campaign Finance Information Not applicable to candidates for federal office.

A candidate must file a Statement of Organization not later than three business days of first receiving a contribution or making an expenditure and no later than the deadline for filing a nominating petition, declaration of candidacy, or certificate of nomination, whichever occurs first, unless they meet the criteria for an exemption. To meet the criteria, the candidate must serve as their own treasurer, not have an existing candidate committee, and not expect to spend or receive more than \$750 during the entire calendar year (including in-kind contributions and personal funds).

If you have an existing candidate committee you must amend the statement of organization not later than 10 days after a change in information. This includes changes to the election you are active in and the office you are running for.

See the Campaign Finance Manual for the procedural and legal requirements of establishing and maintaining a candidate committee.


Candidate Attestation

By signing this document, I hereby state that:

- I will accept the nomination for the office indicated above;
- I will qualify for said office if elected;
- All information provided by me on this form is true to the best of my knowledge; **and**
- No circulators will be compensated based on the number of signatures obtained by the circulator on a prospective petition

For Major Political Party Candidates

- if not nominated, I will not accept the nomination or endorsement of any political party other than the one named
- I have been a member of said political party, subject to the exceptions stated in ORS 249.046, for at least 180 days before the deadline for filing a nominating petition or declaration of candidacy (ORS 249.031). Does not apply to candidates filing for the office of US President.

 **Warning** Supplying false information on this form may result in conviction of a felony with a fine of up to \$125,000 and/or prison for up to 5 years. (ORS 260.715). A person may only file for one lucrative office or not more than one precinct committee person at the same election. Unless the person has withdrawn from the first filing, **all** filings are invalid. (ORS 249.013 and ORS 249.170)

Candidate Signature


Date

Candidate Signature Sheet | Nonpartisan

Petition ID _____

SOME Circulators No Circulators for this petition are being paid.


This is a candidate nominating petition. Signers of this page must be active registered voters in the county listed.

 Signatures must be verified by the appropriate county elections official before the petition can be filed with the filing officer.

County _____

Candidate Information	
Name	Office
Election	District or Position Number (include city if applicable)

To the Elections Official/Filing Officer, We the undersigned voters, request the candidate's name be placed on the ballot at the election listed above for nomination to the office indicated.

 Signers must initial any changes the circulator makes to their printed name, residence address or date they signed the petition.

Signature	Date Signed mm/dd/yy	Print Name	Residence or Mailing Address street, city, zip code
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1	_____
2	_____
3	_____
4	_____
5	_____
6	_____
7	_____
8	_____
9	_____
10	_____

Circulator Certification This certification **must** be completed by the circulator and additional signatures **should not** be collected on this sheet once the certification has been signed and dated! I hereby certify that I witnessed the signing of the signature sheet by each individual whose signature appears on the signature sheet, and I believe each person is a voter qualified to sign the petition (ORS 249.061). I also hereby certify that compensation I received, if any, was not based on the number of signatures obtained for this petition.

Circulator Signature

Date Signed mm/dd/yy

Sheet Number

Completed by
Candidate

Printed Name of Circulator

Circulator's Address street, city, zip code

Petition Submission

Candidate, Voters' Pamphlet

SEL 338

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OAR 165-010-0005, 165-016-0000

→ This form must be completed and filed with any submission of signatures.

Election Type			Year		
<input type="checkbox"/> Primary	<input type="checkbox"/> General	<input type="checkbox"/> Special Election	<input type="checkbox"/> 2022	<input type="checkbox"/> 2023	<input type="checkbox"/> 2024

Petition Information
Petition ID/Candidate's Name

Type of Filing	Number of Signatures Submitted
<input type="checkbox"/> Candidate Nominating	
<input type="checkbox"/> Voters' Pamphlet, Candidate	
<input type="checkbox"/> Voters' Pamphlet, Measure	

Candidate's Nominating/Voters' Pamphlet Filing
→ By signing this document, I hereby state that all information on the form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Name	Contact Phone	Email Address
Signature	Date Signed	

Measure Argument Filing
→ By signing this document, I hereby state that all information on the form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Name	Contact Phone	Email Address
Signature	Date Signed	

For office use only	
Submittal number	Number of signatures accepted
Is the petition complete? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Will there be additional submittals? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No