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(Registrar Recorder/County Clerk Use Only)

# Declaration Of Candidacy

(Elections Code §§ 10511 & 10512)

I, \_\_\_\_\_ hereby declare myself \_\_\_\_\_ a candidate for nomination/election to the office of \_\_\_\_\_

Full term, or  Unexpired term ending \_\_\_\_\_, to be voted for at the \_\_\_\_\_ Election to be held on \_\_\_\_\_

I request my name and ballot designation to appear on the ballot as follows:

<p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Print Your Name for Use on the Ballot</p> <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Print Ballot Designation Requested</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Candidate initials if preferring no designation:</p>
<p><b>A ballot designation is optional. If one is requested a completed BALLOT DESIGNATION worksheet must be submitted. If no ballot designation is requested, write in the word "NONE" and initial in the box. (Elections Code 13107, 13107.3)</b></p>	

**NOTE: The Elections Official will publish one of the addresses below in the certified list of candidates and on the BBGHAD website. Please check the appropriate box to indicate which address you wish to be used for these purposes. If no box is checked, the first address listed below will be published.**

**Mailing Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

**Residence Address:**  
(Required) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

**Business Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Web site: \_\_\_\_\_

FAX No. ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Nos. ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime Evening

**IMPORTANT: REVERSE SIDE OF PAGE MUST BE COMPLETED**

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NAME OF PUBLIC OFFICE

"I, \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties upon which I am about to enter."

I meet the statutory and constitutional qualifications for this office (including but not limited to citizenship, residency, and party affiliation, if required). If nominated/elected, I will accept the nomination/election and not withdraw.

I certify (or declare) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed by me in \_\_\_\_\_, California, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Candidate

WARNINGS: Every person acting on behalf of a candidate is guilty of misdemeanor who deliberately fails to file at the proper time and in the proper place any declaration of candidacy in his/her possession which is entitled to be filed under the provisions of the Elections Code (Section 18202).

I am aware that any person who files or submits for filing a declaration of candidacy knowing that it or any part of it has been made falsely is punishable by a fine or imprisonment, or both, as set forth in Section 18203 of the Elections Code.

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FOR USE BY **BBGHAD ELECTIONS OFFICIAL**

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Examined and certified by me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year \_\_\_\_\_.

Donesia Gause-Aldana  
Elections Official

\_\_\_\_\_  
Elections Official



**California Secretary of State  
BALLOT DESIGNATION WORKSHEET**

(Elections Code §§ 13107, 13107.3, 13107.5; California Code of Regulations § 20711)

This entire form **must be completed**, or it will not be accepted and you will **not** be entitled to a ballot designation. **DO NOT LEAVE ANY RESPONSE SPACES BLANK.** If information requested is not applicable, please write "N/A" in the space provided, otherwise the information **MUST** be provided. **UPON FILING, THIS WORKSHEET WILL BE A PUBLIC RECORD.**

<b>Candidate Information</b>	<b>1</b>	Candidate Name: _____	Gender (optional, for translation use only): _____		
		Office: _____	Email: _____		
		Home Address: _____			
		Mailing Address: _____			
		Business Address: _____			
		Phone Number(s) Business: _____	Home/Mobile: _____	Fax: _____	

<b>Attorney Information</b>	<b>2</b>	Attorney Name (or other person authorized to act on your behalf): _____		
		Address: _____		
		Phone Number(s) Business: _____	Mobile: _____	Fax: _____

**You may select as your ballot designation one of the following designations:**

- (a) Your current principal profession(s), vocation(s), or occupation(s) [maximum total of three words, separated by a slash ("/")].
- (b) The full title of the public office you currently occupy and to which you were elected.
- (c) "Appointed [full title of public office]" if you currently serve by appointment in an elective public office and are seeking election to the same office or to some other office.
- (d) "Incumbent" if you were elected (or, if you are a Superior Court Judge, you are a candidate for the same office that you hold) to your current public office and seek election to the same office.
- (e) "Appointed Incumbent" if you were appointed to your current elective public office and seek election to the same office.

<b>Proposed Ballot Designation(s)</b>	<b>3</b>	Proposed Ballot Designation(s): _____		
		Alternate Ballot Designation(s) 1: _____		
		Alternate Ballot Designation(s) 2: _____		

**In the spaces provided on the next page(s):**

- (a) Describe why you believe you are entitled to use the proposed ballot designation.
- (b) If your proposed ballot designation contains one or more slashes ("/") separating words in your ballot designation for separate principal profession(s), vocation(s), or occupation(s) (collectively known as "PVOs"), complete a justification section for each separate PVO.
- (c) Attach any documents or exhibits that you believe support your proposed ballot designation.
- (d) If using the title of an elective office, attach a copy of your certificate of election or appointment.
- (e) Any supporting documents will not be returned to you. **Do not submit originals.**

**It is your responsibility to justify your proposed ballot designation and to provide all requested details.**

If your proposed ballot designation includes the word "volunteer," indicate the title of your volunteer position and the name of the entity for which you volunteer along with a brief description of the type of volunteer work you do and the approximate amount of time involved. You may only use the ballot designation "community volunteer" if you volunteer for a 501(c)(3) charitable, educational, or religious organization, a governmental agency or an educational institution. You may not use "community volunteer" together with another designation.



If your proposed ballot designation contains **one or more slashes (“/”)** separating multiple principal profession(s), vocation(s), or occupation(s) (collectively known as “PVOs”), **complete a justification section for each separate PVO.**

**Justification for use of Proposed Ballot Designation(s)**  
 If you are proposing alternate ballot designations, please provide justification for use of those on **Page 3.**

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<b>Justification for use of 1<sup>st</sup> PVO:</b>		
Current or most recent job title:	Start/End Dates:	
Employer Name or Business:		
<b>Person who can verify this information:</b>		
Name:	Phone Number(s):	Email:
<b>Justification for use of 2<sup>nd</sup> PVO:</b>		
Current or most recent job title:	Start/End Dates:	
Employer Name or Business:		
<b>Person who can verify this information:</b>		
Name:	Phone Number(s):	Email:
<b>Justification for use of 3<sup>rd</sup> PVO:</b>		
Current or most recent job title:	Start/End Dates:	
Employer Name or Business:		
<b>Person who can verify this information:</b>		
Name:	Phone Number(s):	Email:

**Before signing below, answer/initial the following questions. Does your proposed ballot designation:**

- |     |  |  |              |
|-----|--|--|--------------|
| 1)  | Use only a portion of the title of your current elected office?  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial ____ |
| 2)  | Non-judicial candidates: Use only the word “Incumbent” for an elective office to which you were appointed?                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial ____ |
| 3)  | Use more than three total words for your principal professions, vocations, or occupations?                                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial ____ |
| 4)  | Suggest an evaluation of you, such as outstanding, leading, expert, virtuous, or eminent?                                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial ____ |
| 5)  | Refer to a status (Veteran, Activist, Founder, Scholar), rather than a profession, vocation, or occupations?                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial ____ |
| 6)  | Abbreviate the word “retired”?   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial ____ |
| 7)  | Place the word “retired” after the words it modifies? Example: Accountant, retired   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial ____ |
| 8)  | Use an word or prefix (except “retired”) such as “former” or “ex-” to refer to a former profession, vocation, or occupation? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial ____ |
| 9)  | Use the word “retired” along with a current profession, vocation, or occupation? Example: Retired Firefighter/Teacher        | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial ____ |
| 10) | Use the name of a political party or political body?   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial ____ |
| 11) | Refer to a racial, religious, or ethnic group?   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial ____ |
| 12) | Refer to any activity prohibited by law?   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Initial ____ |

**If the answer to any of these questions is “yes,” your proposed ballot designation is likely to be rejected.**

<b>X</b>	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: center; height: 40px;"> <span style="font-size: 2em;">/</span> <span style="font-size: 2em;">/</span> </div>
<b>Candidate’s Signature</b>	<b>Date Signed:    Month    Day    Year</b>



*For your reference, the relevant provisions of Elections Code section 13107 are reproduced below:*

(a) With the exception of candidates for Justice of the State Supreme Court or court of appeal, immediately under the name of each candidate, and not separated from the name by any line, unless the designation made by the candidate pursuant to Section 8002.5 must be listed immediately below the name of the candidate pursuant to Section 13105, and in that case immediately under the designation, may appear at the option of the candidate only one of the following designations:

(1) Words designating the elective city, county, district, state, or federal office which the candidate holds at the time of filing the nomination documents to which he or she was elected by vote of the people.

(2) The word "incumbent" if the candidate is a candidate for the same office which he or she holds at the time of filing the nomination papers, and was elected to that office by a vote of the people.

(3) No more than three words designating either the current principal professions, vocations, or occupations of the candidate, or the principal professions, vocations, or occupations of the candidate during the calendar year immediately preceding the filing of nomination documents.

(4) The phrase "appointed incumbent" if the candidate holds an office by virtue of appointment, and the candidate is a candidate for election to the same office, or, if the candidate is a candidate for election to the same office or to some other office, the word "appointed" and the title of the office. In either instance, the candidate may not use the unmodified word "incumbent" or any words designating the office unmodified by the word "appointed." However, the phrase "appointed incumbent" shall not be required of a candidate who seeks reelection to an office which he or she holds and to which he or she was appointed, as a nominated candidate, in lieu of an election, pursuant to Sections 5326 and 5328 of the Education Code or Section 7228, 7423, 7673, 10229, or 10515 of this code.

(b) (1) Except as specified in paragraph (2), for candidates for judicial office, immediately under the name of each candidate, and not separated from the name by any line, only one of the following designations may appear at the option of the candidate:

(A) Words designating the city, county, district, state, or federal office held by the candidate at the time of filing the nomination documents.

(B) The word "incumbent" if the candidate is a candidate for the same office that he or she holds at the time of filing the nomination papers.

(C) No more than three words designating either the current principal professions, vocations, or occupations of the candidate, or the principal professions, vocations, or occupations of the candidate during the calendar year immediately preceding the filing of nomination documents.

(2) For a candidate for judicial office who is an active member of the State Bar employed by a city, county, district, state, or by the United States, the designation shall appear as one of the following:

(A) Words designating the actual job title, as defined by statute, charter, or other governing instrument.

(B) One of the following ballot designations: "Attorney," "Attorney at Law," "Lawyer," or "Counselor at Law." The designations "Attorney" and "Lawyer" may be used in combination with one other current principal profession, vocation, or occupation of the candidate, or the principal profession, vocation, or occupation of the candidate during the calendar year immediately preceding the filing of nomination documents.

(3) A designation made pursuant to subparagraph (A) of paragraph (1) or paragraph (2) shall also contain relevant qualifiers, as follows:

(A) If the candidate is an official or employee of a city, the name of the city shall appear preceded by the words "City of."

(B) If the candidate is an official or employee of a county, the name of the county shall appear preceded by the words "County of."

(C) If the candidate is an official or employee of a city and county, the name of the city and county shall appear preceded by the words "City and County."

(D) If the candidate performs quasi-judicial functions for a governmental agency, the full name of the agency shall be included.

(c) A candidate for superior court judge who is an active member of the State Bar and practices law as one of his or her principal professions shall use one of the following ballot designations as his or her ballot designation: "Attorney," "Attorney at Law," "Lawyer," or "Counselor at Law." The designations "Attorney" and "Lawyer" may be used in combination with one other current principal profession, vocation, or occupation of the candidate, or the principal profession, vocation, or occupation of the candidate during the calendar year immediately preceding the filing of nomination documents.

(d) For purposes of this section, all California geographical names shall be considered to be one word. Hyphenated words that appear in any generally available standard reference dictionary, published in the United States at any time within the 10 calendar years immediately preceding the election for which the words are counted, shall be considered as one word. Each part of all other hyphenated words shall be counted as a separate word.

(e) The Secretary of State and any other elections official shall not accept a designation of which any of the following would be true:

(1) It would mislead the voter.



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(2) It would suggest an evaluation of a candidate, such as outstanding, leading, expert, virtuous, or eminent.

(3) It abbreviates the word "retired" or places it following any word or words which it modifies.

(4) It uses a word or prefix, such as "former" or "ex-," which means a prior status. The only exception is the use of the word "retired."

(5) It uses the name of any political party, whether or not it has qualified for the ballot.

(6) It uses a word or words referring to a racial, religious, or ethnic group.

(7) It refers to any activity prohibited by law.

(f) If, upon checking the nomination documents and the ballot designation worksheet described in Section 13107.3, the elections official finds the designation to be in violation of any of the restrictions set forth in this section, the elections official shall notify the candidate by registered or certified mail return receipt requested, addressed to the mailing address provided on the candidate's ballot designation worksheet.

(1) The candidate shall, within three days, excluding Saturday, Sunday, and state holidays, from the date he or she receives notice by registered or certified mail, or from the date the candidate receives actual notice of the violation, whichever occurs first, appear before the elections official or, in the case of the Secretary of State, notify the Secretary of State by telephone, and provide a designation that complies with subdivision (a) or (b).

(2) If a candidate fails to provide a designation that complies with subdivision (a) or (b) within the three-day period specified in paragraph (1), a designation shall not appear after the candidate's name.

(g) A designation given by a candidate shall not be changed by the candidate after the final date for filing nomination documents, except as specifically requested by the elections official as specified in subdivision (f) or as provided in subdivision (h). The elections official shall maintain a copy of the ballot designation worksheet for each candidate that appears on the ballot in the county for the same period of time as applied to nomination documents pursuant to Section 17100.

(h) The designation shall remain the same for all purposes of both primary and general elections, unless the candidate, at least 98 days before the general election, requests in writing a different designation which the candidate is entitled to use at the time of the request.

***For your reference, Elections Code section 13107.3 is reproduced below:***

(a) A candidate who submits a ballot designation pursuant to subdivision (a) of Section 13107 shall file a ballot designation worksheet that supports the use of that ballot designation by the candidate, in a format prescribed by the Secretary of State.

(b) The ballot designation worksheet shall be filed with the elections official at the same time that the candidate files his or her declaration of candidacy.

(c) In the event that a candidate fails to file a ballot designation worksheet in accordance with subdivision (a), no designation shall appear under the candidate's name on the ballot.

***For your reference, Elections Code section 13107.5 is reproduced below:***

(a) A candidate's ballot designation as "community volunteer" shall constitute a valid principal vocation or occupation for purposes of subdivision (a) of Section 13107, if not otherwise in violation of any of the restrictions set forth in that section, and subject to the following conditions:

(1) A candidate's community volunteer activities constitute his or her principal profession, vocation, or occupation.

(2) A candidate is not engaged concurrently in another principal profession, vocation, or occupation.

(3) A candidate may not use the designation of "community volunteer" in combination with any other principal profession, vocation, or occupation designation.

(b) The Secretary of State shall by regulation define what constitutes a community volunteer for purposes of this section.

***For your reference, California Code of Regulations section 20711 is reproduced below:***

(a) In order to facilitate review of a candidate's proposed ballot designation by the Secretary of State pursuant to Elections Code § 13107, the candidate shall submit, at the time of filing his or her proposed ballot designation on the Declaration of Candidacy, a completed Ballot Designation Worksheet on a form provided by the Secretary of State.

(b) All Ballot Designation Worksheets filed with the Office of the Secretary of State or the county elections officials pursuant to this section shall be public records and shall be available for inspection and copying at the public counter of the Elections Division of the Office of the Secretary of State, Fifth Floor, 1500 11th Street, Sacramento, California 95814, or at the office of the applicable county elections official.



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(c) The Secretary of State shall provide a master copy or copies of the Ballot Designation Worksheet to all elections officials responsible for providing and accepting the nomination documents for candidates in elections for offices certified by the Secretary of State. The Ballot Designation Worksheet shall request that the candidate proposing the ballot designation provide the following information:

- (1) The candidate's name, home, business and mailing addresses, telephone numbers, e-mail address, if available, and fax number;
- (2) A designation of the office for which the candidate is seeking election;
- (3) The name, home, business and mailing addresses, telephone numbers, e-mail address, if available, and fax number of the attorney representing the candidate or for any other person to be contacted in the event the Secretary of State requires further information regarding the proposed ballot designation;
- (4) The proposed ballot designation submitted by the candidate;
- (5) The candidate may submit one or more proposed alternate ballot designations ranked in order of the candidate's preference;
- (6) A brief statement identifying the factual basis upon which the candidate claims the proposed ballot designation and each proposed alternate ballot designation, including the following:
  - (A) If the candidate holds elected office and is submitting his or her proposed ballot designation pursuant to Elections Code § 13107, subdivisions (a)(1) or (a)(2), the candidate shall indicate the elective office he or she currently occupies and may attach a copy of his or her Certificate of Election;
  - (B) If the candidate is a judicial officer and is submitting his or her proposed ballot designation pursuant to Elections Code § 13107, subdivisions (a)(1) or (a)(2), the candidate shall indicate the elective office he or she currently holds and may attach either (A) a copy of his or her Certificate of Election or (B) a copy of his or her commission or certificate of appointment, issued at the time the candidate was appointed to the judicial office which he or she currently occupies;
  - (C) If the candidate submits a ballot designation pursuant to Elections Code § 13107, subdivision (a)(3), the candidate shall indicate:
    - (i) The title of the position or positions which he or she claims supports the proposed ballot designation;
    - (ii) The dates during which the candidate held such position;
    - (iii) A description of the work he or she performs in the position;
    - (iv) The name of the candidate's business or employer;
    - (v) The name and telephone number of a person or persons who could verify such information; and
    - (vi) A statement that the professions, vocations or occupations relied upon to support the proposed ballot designation constitute the primary, main or leading professions, vocations or occupations of the candidate, in accordance with the definition of the term "principal" as set forth at § 20714, subdivision (b).
  - (D) If the candidate submits a ballot designation pursuant to Elections Code § 13107, subdivision (a)(4), the candidate shall indicate the date on which he or she was appointed to the office for which he or she is an appointed incumbent.
- (d) The candidate may attach or append any supporting documents or other exhibits to his or her Ballot Designation Worksheet which he or she believes support his or her proposed ballot designation. Such attached documents or other exhibits shall be deemed to be incorporated by reference as part of the candidate's Ballot Designation Worksheet and shall be considered as such by the Secretary of State.
- (e) If a candidate requests a change of his or her ballot designation pursuant to Elections Code § 13107(e), that request shall be accompanied by a Ballot Designation Worksheet.

# CANDIDATE'S STATEMENT INFORMATION SHEET

Complete this form, and submit with your candidate statement. Please use all regular lower case letters (do not use all caps). Provide a brief description of no more than 200 words, of the candidate's education and qualifications. Be sure to include the official title of the office you are a candidate for, your name, age, and occupation.

(see bottom of reverse side for sample format)

Enter the candidates' name and the office title:

Enter the name of the jurisdiction to which the office belongs, if other than the name of the city (i.e., the name of the school district).

Candidates Name

Male

Female

Jurisdiction Name

Office Title (i.e. Mayor, Member of the City Council, City Clerk, Member of the Board of Education, etc.)

I DO NOT WANT to file a candidate statement.

I DO WANT my English Candidate Statement to be printed in the Voter Information Guide & on the city website for electronic distribution.

Signature of Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

**STATE LAW PROVIDES** (per Election Code Section 13307, 13308):

1. A Candidate Statement is optional and available to all candidates for nonpartisan offices.
2. The statement may include candidate's age, occupation and a brief description of education and qualifications (expressed by the candidate himself or herself).
3. Each local jurisdiction determines:
  - a. the maximum number of words allowed, usually 200 words
  - b. responsibility for payment, the candidate or the jurisdiction
  - c. whether the costs are to be paid in advance.
4. Reference to political party affiliation or mention of any partisan political membership or activity is not permitted.
5. Reference to other candidates for that office or to another candidate' s qualifications, character, or activities are prohibited.
6. **No changes of any kind are allowed AFTER the statement is filed.**
7. The statement may be withdrawn (in writing) up to 5:00 pm of the next working day after the close of the nomination period.
8. Statements are confidential until after the close of the nomination period.
9. A candidate may request that the statement also be printed in other languages and included in the Voter Information Guide mailed to all voters in the election area. An additional fee may be required to print the additional languages.

## CANDIDATE STATEMENTS MUST BE FILED AT THE TIME NOMINATION PAPERS ARE FILED.

Election Official: a.Send one copy of this page and the candidate statement to the vendor/printer b. keep original set for your files c. make one copy for candidate



## CANDIDATE'S STATEMENT INFORMATION SHEET

Please type using regular lowercase letters, do not use all CAPS.  
Type your statement clearly and legibly - DO NOT handwrite or print.

Section 13307 of the Elections Code of the State of California sets forth guidelines for candidate's statements.  
Please follow them:

1. The statement of each candidate shall be printed in type of uniform size and darkness and with uniform spacing.
2. The statement shall not include any party affiliation or membership or activity in partisan political organizations.
3. Reference to other candidates for that office or to another candidate's qualifications, character, or activities are prohibited.
4. Your statement will be printed as submitted; therefore you are advised to carefully check for errors in punctuation and grammar. Spelling however, will be corrected by the computer automatically.
5. Remember to sign this form and any supplemental sheets if used and attach them to your statement. If you wish to have a Foreign language translation of your statement prepared for printing in the Voter's Pamphlet, be sure to check the space(s) provided on the front of this form.

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### WORD COUNT STANDARDS

As stated in Section 9 of the Elections Code.

(a) Counting of words, for purposes of this code, shall be as follows:

- (1) Punctuation is not counted.
- (2) Each word shall be counted as one word except as specified in this section.
- (3) All proper nouns, including geographical names, shall be considered as one word; for example, "City and County of San Francisco" shall be counted as one word.
- (4) Each abbreviation for a word, phrase, or expression shall be counted as one word. *E.G. UCLA, PTA, L.A.P.D.*
- (5) Hyphenated words that appear in any generally available standard reference dictionary, published in the United States at any time within the 10 calendar years immediately preceding the election for which the words are counted shall be considered as one word. Each part of all other hyphenated words shall be counted as a separate word.
- (6) Dates shall be counted as one word, in either format, i.e. *April 10, 1990* or *4/10/90*.
- (7) Any number consisting of a digit or digits shall be considered as one word. Any number which is spelled, such as "one," shall be considered as a separate word or words. "One" shall be counted as one word whereas "one hundred" shall be counted as two words. "100" shall be counted as one word.
- (8) Telephone numbers shall be counted as one word.
- (9) Internet web site and email addresses shall be counted as one word.

(b) This section shall not apply to counting words for ballot designations under Sections 13107 and 13107.5.

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#### FOR MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL

**JOHN SMITH**

**Age: 45**

**Occupation:** Businessman

I have been a 30 year resident of this City and thoroughly enjoy living here. I would like to increase citizen education and police resources to stop the gang and graffiti activity that are overtaking our city.

I would like to implement environmental standards for cleaner water and air quality.

I respectfully ask for your support and thank those of you who cast your vote for me. A vote for me is a vote for a better City Council.

/s/ John Smith

#### SAMPLE OF STATEMENT FORMAT



Please use Helvetica 10 pt type.