



# WRITE-IN CANDIDATES - PRIMARY ELECTION CANDIDATE FILING INFORMATION

This information is subject to amendatory change during the 2020 session of the Idaho Legislature. If changes occur, an updated version will be made available.

## CANDIDATE FILING DEADLINE *(I.C. 34-702A)*

April 21, 2020

## FILING OPTIONS

**A candidate has one option when filing to have their name counted when written-in on the Primary Election ballot:**

1. File a Declaration of Intent. *(I.C. 34-702, 34-1205)*

After the Primary Election is Canvassed: If a write-in candidate wins the party's nomination in the Primary Election by receiving the most votes for the selected office on the Party's Primary Election Ballot and receives at least 5 votes, the write-in candidate must file a Declaration of Candidacy and pay the required filing fee for the selected office in order for the candidate's name to be placed on the General Election Ballot. The Declaration and Filing fee must be filed with the County Clerk's Office no later than June 1, or 10 days after the County Board of Canvassers meet, whichever comes first.

## ALL CANDIDATES: DECLARATION OF INTENT - FORM EC-12

When completing the Declaration of Intent, be sure to complete all fields and questions. Also, please note:

1. You must be registered and affiliated with the political party whose Primary you intend to participate in. (Contact your County Clerk to verify that you are affiliated with the party of your choice.)
2. The signature of the candidate must be notarized.

***Any incomplete or missing information may void your filing.***

## CAMPAIGN FINANCE INFORMATION

All candidates for County Office should contact the County Clerk's Office for information on reporting requirements prior to announcing candidacy, accepting donations or spending money.

Should you have additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact the County Clerk's Office.

## QUESTIONS

Contact the County Clerk's Office:

**Email:**

**Personal Delivery:**

**Mailing Address:**

**Phone:**

**Fax:**



# WRITE-IN CANDIDATES - PRIMARY ELECTION COMPLETING THE DECLARATION OF INTENT

## SECTION 1: OFFICE INFORMATION

1. Enter the name of the office that you will be a candidate for to the right of "Write-In for the Office of."
2. Select the party that you are affiliated with and for which you will be a candidate.

## SECTION 2: CANDIDATE INFORMATION

1. Enter your First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name and Suffix, if applicable, as it appears on your voter registration record.
2. Enter your Residence Address, including the street number, street name, City, State, Zip Code and County, as it appears on your voter registration record. (Note: This must be your physical address. PO Boxes are not allowed as a residence address.)
3. Enter your Mailing Address if it is different than your Residence Address.

## SECTION 3: CERTIFICATION

1. Carefully read the certification.
2. In the presence of a notary, sign and date the Declaration of Candidacy.
  - a. The notary will then complete the bottom portion of the Declaration of Candidacy.

## WINNING CANDIDATES

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CANDIDATE FILING DEADLINE	OFFICE INFORMATION
April 21, 2020	<b>Write-In for the Office of:</b>
	<b>Party Affiliation:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Constitution <input type="checkbox"/> Democratic <input type="checkbox"/> Libertarian <input type="checkbox"/> Republican

CANDIDATE INFORMATION				
<b>Candidate Name</b> <i>(As it appears on your voter registration record.)</i>				
First	MI	Last	Suffix	
<b>Residence Address</b> <i>(As it appears on your voter registration record.)</i>				
Street Address	City	State	Zip Code	County
<b>Mailing Address</b>				
Street Address	City	State	Zip Code	County

CERTIFICATION	
<p>I, the undersigned, being a resident of the State of Idaho and the County listed above, and registered with the party selected, do hereby declare myself intent to be a write-in candidate for the office entered above to be voted on at the Primary Election to be held on the 19th day of May, 2020 and I certify that the information on this Declaration is true and accurate.</p> <p>I further certify that I possess the legal qualifications to hold said office.</p>	
Dated:	Candidate Signature:

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public in and for the State of Idaho, residing at

\_\_\_\_\_

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

