



# Candidate Petition

## SPECIAL ELECTION FOR MUNICIPAL OFFICE

To: ELECTION COMMISSION of \_\_\_\_\_,  
*Name of Municipality*

We, the undersigned qualified electors of \_\_\_\_\_,  
*Name of Municipality (Ward, if possible)*

County of \_\_\_\_\_, State of Mississippi, hereby petition that the name of \_\_\_\_\_  
 be placed upon the ballot of the election to be held \_\_\_\_\_,  
 20\_\_\_\_\_, as a candidate for the office of \_\_\_\_\_.

In Compliance with Miss. Code Ann. § 23-15-857 (1972): (2) . . . Each candidate shall qualify by petition filed with the municipal clerk by 5:00 p.m. at least twenty (20) days before the date of the election and such petition shall be signed by not less than the following number of qualified electors: (a) For an office of a city, town or village having a population of one thousand (1,000) or more, not less than fifty (50) qualified electors. (b) For an office of a city, town or village having a population of less than one thousand (1,000), not less than fifteen (15) qualified electors. No qualifying fee shall be required of any candidate, and the election provided for herein shall be held as far as practicable in the same manner as municipal general elections.

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The opening paragraph of each page of signatures MUST include: (1) The name of the candidate, (2) office sought, and (3) date of the election.