# **Write-in Candidate Declaration of Intent**

VIII 9	Write-in candidate information	First name	Middle name			Last name		
SECTION 1		Residential address			City		ZIP	
		Mailing address, if different than above			City			ZIP
		Phone number		Year of	ear of birth			
		Email address Campaign website						
SECTION 2	Office information	Office name		Jurisdiction		District/circuit/ward		
		☐ If precinct delegate, provide the precinct number						
		I am running for a partisan office, and my political party is						
		Term <i>(check one)</i> Regular term Partial term expiring Recall						
		Judicial candidates only 🔲 Incumbent position 🔲 Non-incumbent position 🔲 New judgeship						
3	ıt	By signing this affidavit, I swear the statements made above are true and do hereby declare my intent to seek the above elective office as a write-in candidate.						
SECTION 3	Statement	Candidate		Date				
		Notary signature	ry signature			Notary name		
01		County of commission		Acting in the County of				
		My commission expires  DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)		Date of notarization DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)				
a		Date of filing Received by						
Office use only		Reviewed by		Campaign finance number				

## **Write-in Candidate Declaration of Intent instructions**

### When to file

By 4 p.m. on the second Friday immediately preceding the election, except precinct delegates. Delegates can file by 4 p.m. on the first Friday immediately preceding the election or on Election Day at the precinct.

#### Where to file

- File with the Michigan Bureau of Elections for a federal or state district that includes more than one county (including statewide) and all judicial races except probate or municipal.
- File with the county clerk for a federal or state district in only one county, a county or probate judge race, and precinct delegates.
- File with the city or township clerk for all city or township offices.
- Contact your county clerk to determine the appropriate filing official for village, school, or library district offices.

## **Campaign finance**

You may have additional filing obligations under Michigan's Campaign Finance Act. Ask your filing official.

## Completing the form

#### Section 1: Write-in candidate information

Section one requires you to provide your information. You may provide a mailing address to receive your ballot proof and other information at an alternate address. Please provide a phone number and email address so your filing official may contact you.

### **Section 2: Office information**

Section two requires detailed information for the office you seek. All office details are required.

- First, provide the name of the office you seek as well as the jurisdiction, and any district/ward defining the office you seek. Precinct delegates should put the precinct number.
- Next, mark your political party affiliation. If running for a partisan office, list your political party in the space provided.
- Third, provide the date of the primary and general election if you intend to run in both elections. If you are filing only for the November general election, only complete the general election date.
- Fourth, select the term of office. If it is a partial term, you must indicate when the partial term is expiring.

#### **Section 3: Statement**

You must mark the box to certify that you are a U.S. citizen and meet the statutory and constitutional requirements for the office sought. Finally, sign and date the affidavit in front of a notary and complete the notarization.