



**California Secretary of State
DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY
Office of Governor**

September 14, 2021, California Gubernatorial Recall Election (Elections Code §§ 20, 200, 8002.5, 8020, 8040, 8121, 8140, 11381, and 13105)

**For County
Elections and
Secretary of
State Official
USE ONLY**

<p style="text-align: center;">Official Filing Form</p> <p style="text-align: center;">County Elections Official</p> <p>By: _____ Date Issued: _____</p>	<p>Filed in County of: _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">County Elections Official</p> <p>By: _____ Date Received: _____</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">Secretary of State Official</p>
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**Candidate
Name, Office,
and Political
Party
Preference**

1 I hereby declare myself a candidate for the office of **Governor**, to be voted for at the **California Gubernatorial Recall Election** to be held on **September 14, 2021**, and declare the following to be true:

My name is _____
First
Middle/Initial (optional)
Last

I hereby certify at the time of presentation of this declaration, as shown by my current affidavit of registration, I have disclosed the following political party preference, if any: _____

**Ballot
Information
Name and
ballot
designation to
appear on the
ballot**

IMPORTANT NOTE: A ballot designation is optional. If one is requested, a completed **BALLOT DESIGNATION WORKSHEET** must be submitted. If no ballot designation is requested, write "NONE" and initial in the box. (Elections Code §§ 13107, 13107.3)

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

Print Your Name for Use on the Ballot

Print Ballot Designation Requested

2 _____ Candidate initials to acknowledge the Secretary of State will only provide an emailed electronic version and a hard copy version of the Notice to Candidates (which include ballot designations) via United States Postal Service on July 17, 2021, and **will not** notify candidate of any ballot designation changes published after July 17, 2021. To receive an electronic version of the Notice to Candidates on July 17, 2021, please provide an email address in **Section 3** of this form. For updates to the Notice to Candidates after July 17, 2021, please visit our website: <https://www.sos.ca.gov/elections/upcoming-elections/2021-ca-gov-recall>.

_____ Candidate initials to acknowledge they have provided or will provide to the Secretary of State 1) two hard copies of each income tax return the candidate filed with the Internal Revenue Service in the five most recent taxable years, as required by Elections Code sections 8902 and 8903, and 2) the signed Income Tax Return Disclosure Consent and Acknowledgement Form.

_____ I have a character-based name I would like to use instead of a phonetic transliteration. (Please complete Character-Based Name Form.)

Candidate initials box if NO ballot designation is preferred.

IMPORTANT NOTE: The Secretary of State (SOS) will publish one of the addresses below in the Notice to Candidates, Official Contact List of Candidates, and on the SOS website.

- ! Please check the appropriate box to indicate which address you wish to be used for publishing purposes.
- ! If **NO BOX IS CHECKED**, the first address listed and provided below will be published.
- ! If a day telephone number, FAX number, email address, or website is provided, that information will also be published.
- ! If an evening telephone number is provided, and is different from day telephone number, it will not be published and it is for **SOS use only**.

**Addresses,
Telephone,
Fax, Email,
and Website**

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Publish → Mailing Address: _____ Apt or Unit #: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Publish → Residence Address (Required): _____ Apt or Unit #: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Publish → Business Address: _____ Apt or Unit #: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Telephone Numbers: Day: _____ Evening: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____ Website: _____

IMPORTANT: Reverse Side of Page Must Be Completed

Qualifications

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I meet the statutory and constitutional qualifications for this office (including, but not limited to, citizenship and residency). I am at present an incumbent of the following public office (if any): _____

I have not been convicted of a felony involving accepting or giving, or offering to give, any bribe, the embezzlement of public money, extortion or theft of public money, perjury, or conspiracy to commit any of those crimes.

If nominated/elected, I will accept the nomination/election and not withdraw.

X

Signature of Candidate

Political Party History

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(1) I hereby certify that my complete voter registration and party affiliation/preference history from 2011 through the date of signing this document* is as follows:

<u>Party Preference</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Timeframe (by year, e.g. 2011-2012)</u>
		2011 -
		-
		-
		-

*Only 10 years of party affiliation/preference history will be provided on the SOS website, even if additional information is provided.

(2) Pursuant to Section 8002.5 of the Elections Code, select one of the following:

____ Party Preference: _____
(Insert the name of the qualified political party as disclosed upon your affidavit of registration)

____ Party Preference: None (if you have declined to disclose a preference for a qualified political party upon your affidavit of registration)

Dated this _____ day of _____, 20 _____

X

Signature of Candidate

Oath of Office

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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.

X

Signature of Candidate

Notary

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A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of California
County of _____

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on this _____ day of _____, 20 _____, by _____, proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) who appeared before me.

(Seal)

Signature _____

Examined and certified by me this _____ day of _____, 20 _____.

County Elections Official _____

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