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NOMINATING PETITION FOR REPUBLICAN PARTY COUNTY CHAIR IN COUNTIES WITH AT LEAST 8 INCUMBENT PRECINCT CHAIRS

Pursuant to RPT Rule 8A "I know that the purpose of this petition is to entitle _____to have their name placed on the ballot for the office of Republican county chair for _____county. I understand that by signing this petition, I am representing that I am a current Republican precinct chair in that county and that I believe the candidate is qualified for the office of Republican county chair. My signature on this petition is NOT an endorsement of the candidate and I may sign similar petitions for other candidates for the office of Republican county chair in the same election."

Rule No. 8A – (Permanent State Executive Committee Rule) – Persons filing for the office of County Chair in a county with a minimum of eight (8) incumbent precinct chairmen shall include a nominating petition containing the signatures of **at least 10 percent** of the **incumbent precinct chairs serving on the County Executive Committee**, **or two (2) — whichever is greater**, using a form promulgated by the Republican Party of Texas. The nominating petition shall contain the candidate's sworn oath that each of the signatures thereon is of an **incumbent Precinct Chair and was signed in the presence of the candidate**. Any county executive committee of a county with a population of fewer than 300,000 may, by majority vote, opt out of this requirement.

Date Signed	Signature	Printed Name	Chair of Precinct #	County	Address	City	Zip

AFFIDAVIT OF CANDIDATE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF _____ BEFORE ME, the undersigned, on this ___/___/___ (date) personally appeared _____, (name of candidate) who being duly sworn, deposed and says: "Each of the signatures contained on this petition are of current Republican precinct chairs of _____ county and were signed in my presence." SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME THIS DATE

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Signature of Candidate	Signature of Officer Administering Oath	Title of Officer Administering Oath

All oaths, affidavits, or affirmations made within this State may be administered and a certificate of the fact given by, but not limited to a judge, clerk, or commissioner of any court of record, a notary public, a justice of the peace, city secretary, and the Secretary of State of Texas.

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