

**DECLARATION  
OF  
INTENT TO BE A WRITE-IN CANDIDATE**

To: \_\_\_\_\_ in the County of \_\_\_\_\_ and State of Illinois.  
*(Election Authority)*

I, \_\_\_\_\_, state that I am a qualified primary elector of the \_\_\_\_\_  
Party (for use in primary only) and a resident of the \_\_\_\_\_ precinct of the (1)\* township of \_\_\_\_\_  
(2)\* City/Village of \_\_\_\_\_ or (3)\* \_\_\_\_\_ ward in the City of \_\_\_\_\_  
residing at \_\_\_\_\_ in such City, Village or Town, and State of Illinois, that it's my  
intention to be a \_\_\_\_\_ Party (for use in primary only) write-in candidate for the office of  
\_\_\_\_\_, full term or vacancy (circle one) at the \_\_\_\_\_  
election to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ (date of election).

Under penalties as provided by law pursuant to 10 ILCS 5/29-10 the undersigned certifies  
that the statements set forth in this request are true and correct.

\*Fill in either (1), (2) or (3)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Candidate)

Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) by \_\_\_\_\_ before me, on  
*(Name of Candidate)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
(insert month, day, year)

(SEAL)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Notary Public's Signature)

An original Declaration of Intent must be filed with *each* election authority [county clerk(s) or board(s) of election commissioners in the territory] not later than 61 days before the election.