

Instructions on Circulating Nomination Papers for Alex Joers

Thank you so much for agreeing to sign and/or circulate nomination papers for Alex Joers to help get him on the ballot for Wisconsin State Representative. The campaign needs to collect at least 200 signatures to appear on the ballot. However, we are working to gather 400 signatures, the maximum allowed.

Here are some important instructions and points to keep in mind when circulating nomination papers:

- Petition **signers** must be "qualified electors" and reside in the district with which the candidate is seeking election. For this race, that means all signers must reside within <u>Assembly District 81</u>.
- You <u>do not</u> need to be registered to vote to sign the petition but rather *eligible* to register and vote. That
 generally means 18 years or older, a U.S. Citizen, has lived in Wisconsin for at least 28 days, and has not lost the
 right to vote due to a criminal felony conviction for which the person is currently on probation, parole or extended
 supervision.
- Petition **circulators** must **personally witness** each signature, this means papers cannot be left unattended for signature collection.
- Please do not sign and date the bottom until after you have collected the signatures from the public. If the petition includes any signatures dated after your signature date, then those signatures will be invalid.
- Make sure the names and addresses are legible and that all information is filled out in its entirety; all fields are required by the Wisconsin Election Commission and the signature may not be counted if any information is incomplete.
- Before handing in completed petitions, make sure you (the circulator) have signed and dated the bottom of the page.
- Please <u>do not</u> number the pages in the bottom right hand corner; the campaign will enter the page numbers.
- You do not need to fill out all seven signatures on the page. If you can only get a few, that's fine!

You may gather signatures by going door to door, circulating them at appropriate events, or on public property. If you're on private property, you must gain the property owners' permission before gathering signatures there.

We request that nomination papers be submitted back to us by May 20 in order to allow appropriate time to process the forms before submitting them to the Wisconsin Election Commission. Please mail or drop off all completed nomination papers to us at:

Alex for Wisconsin 703 Cricket Lane Unit 3 Middleton, WI 53562

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to call or text our campaign at (608) 698-6643 or email us at alexforwi@gmail.com. We can answer questions about the rules and make suggestions for how to best gather signatures. Thank you!