

Green Party Petitioning for Green Candidates 2007

Please return all signed petition sheets by August 14th to:

Green Party, Roger Snyder, 14 Robin Dr, Huntington, NY 11743-4712.
631-351-5763, chair@gpsuffolk.org

Please make copies of the enclosed petition.

You can start getting signatures July 10th. We need the petitions returned to me by August 14th. (See address above.) It would help if you would return the sheets as they are completed.

To be a witness, (i.e. carry a petition) you must be a registered voter, (in any party, or in no party at all), in New York State. Anyone who is a registered voter in New York State regardless of party affiliation can sign this petition provided they live in NY State.

You have the right to petition in any public space. You do not have the right to petition on private property (such as inside a mall) without the permission of the property's owner. You may also petition door to door, and we can provide you with a list of registered voters arranged by street if you wish. Be sure to ask your friends and neighbors to sign.

Do not number the pages of your petitions. That will be done when we submit them.

The column "Town or City" refers to the township a person lives in, not their post office village. In Suffolk they are Babylon, Brookhaven, East Hampton, Huntington, Islip, Riverhead, Shelter Island, Smithtown, Southampton, and Southold. Suffolk has no cities. If you are not sure leave it blank.

The person signing the petition must sign their name in black or blue ink. It is helpful (but not necessary) if they print their name also. They should enter their street address (not PO Box) and date. Please clarify to the signer the Township box, or fill it in yourself, (or leave it blank if unsure). ZIP code is not required, but can help those readying the petitions. All that is required for the signer to fill in is their signature, so you may help them fill in date, address, and township, (this information is required, but either the signer or you can fill it in). If there is an error made, draw a line through the signature and use the next line.

You must actually witness the signature. If you are giving petitions to someone else to get signatures, (please do) they will be the witness for those signatures. Do not sign the witness statement until you are done with the sheet. Be sure to fill in all the required witness information, including date, number of signatures, address, and township. You cannot witness your own signature; you must have someone else witness you signing.

The petition does not need to be notarized.

If you have any questions, at any time, please contact Ian Wilder (631-422-4702) or me. We need over 1500 signatures county wide this year, and it is important that the petitions are done correctly. This will help get Ahmad Ali Mitchell-EI, the other Green Candidates, and the Green Party on the ballot. It will help the Green Party grow, and work towards making changes we all know are so needed.

Again, please contact me with any question you may have. Thank you very much: Roger Snyder, Chair, Green Party of Suffolk. 631-351-5763 • chair@gpsuffolk.org • www.gpsuffolk.org