





## **CITIZENS FOR ANDREA RAILA**

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### ***Candidate For Cook County Assessor***

#### **Petition Circulation Instructions Please Read Carefully**

#### **Petition circulators:**

- (1) must be a U.S. citizen over 18 years of age and may reside anywhere;
- (2) cannot circulate petitions of candidates of more than one political party in the same election;
- (3) must personally observe each person sign (so you cannot share petition sheets);
- (4) do not need to have someone sign in every blank – a petition with one signature is valid;
- (5) must fill in all blanks on circulator statement and personally appear before a notary public (circulator cannot notarize a petition that he or she circulated);
- (6) must not number the petition pages – this will be done later after all petitions have been collected.

#### **Petition signers:**

- (1) must be a registered voter within the county in which the candidate is seeking nomination;
- (2) must personally sign petition in the same manner in which they signed their voter registration form;
- (3) cannot sign a petition on behalf of someone else;
- (4) must sign in ink;
- (5) cannot sign petitions of candidates of more than one political party in the same election;
- (6) should print their full address including apartment or unit numbers (no ditto marks or non-standard abbreviations) but the circulator can fill it in for them;
- (7) are not obligated to vote for our candidate – they are just helping get the candidate on the ballot so that people can vote for them.

#### **Best practices**

- (1) Ask each signer if they are a registered to vote at their current address. If they are registered at their current address, continue to (2) below.
- (2) Ask the signer if they live in the County (use a map or list of municipalities). If the signer lives in the county have them sign the petition.
- (3) Remember to be polite and professional. If the person does not want to sign or is rude to you please remember that they are a potential voter for your candidate and you do not want to give them a negative opinion of your candidate by your actions.
- (4) Door-to-door circulation is generally considered more effective as public places often have a significant population from outside the county.
- (5) Please keep your petition as clean as possible.

#### **Return procedure**

- (1) **MAIL:** Citizens For Andrea Raila, 446 N. Wells Street, #354, Chicago, IL 60653
- (2) **DELIVER IN PERSON:** Call office 312-640-2436 or E-Mail [volunteer.citizens4raila@gmail.com](mailto:volunteer.citizens4raila@gmail.com) to arrange for drop and notarization at 676 N. LaSalle St, Suite 401, Chicago, IL.

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