

Joint County Voters' Pamphlet - Statement of Endorsement Instructions

General Instructions

An original, faxed, e-mail attachment or copy of a 'JCVP-02 Joint County Voters' Pamphlet – Statement of Endorsement' form should be filed with the 'JCVP-01 Candidate Statement' or 'JCVP-03 Measure Argument' it relates and must be filed no later than the 5 pm Voters' Pamphlet filing deadline. If the name of a person (the endorser) or organization (the endorser) or non-previously disseminated quote is used in a submitted JCVP-01 or JCVP-03 as supporting or endorsing the candidate or measure, **you must either:**

- 1. File a 'JCVP-02' form using 'Option 1 Statement of Endorsement – determined by the filer to provide endorsing person or organization information.**

Choosing 'Option 1' must be signed by a person, or by an authorized person on behalf of an organization, stating that the filer has consent and the discretion to use the signees name, and title if needed, and/or organization name as submitted on the JCVP-01 or JCVP-03.

OR

- 2. File a 'JCVP-02' form using 'Option 2 Statement of Endorsement – reproduction as designated by endorser' of information as provided to the filer by the endorser.**

Choosing 'Option 2' requires the endorser to provide the exact wording and information, in the 'Required Reproduction' box, that the filer must use, per verbatim, as their endorsement on either a JCVP-01 or JCVP-03. JCVP-02 must be signed by the endorser, or by an authorized person on behalf of an organization, providing consent to use their name and title, if used, or organizations' name and/or a non-previously disseminated quote as the endorser has provided to the filer in the JCVP-02 'Required Reproduction' box.

Example 1 'Option 2' Endorsement -

- # 'Candidate Statement' language: "Cooper City Council unanimously endorses this candidate for Sheriff."
- # 'Required Reproduction' box should contain the following: **"Cooper City Council unanimously endorses this candidate for Sheriff. Cooper City Councilor ?name?"** (Note: All Councilors on this Council must each sign a separate JCVP-02 form with this information.)

Example 2 'Option 2' Endorsement -

- 'Measure Argument' language: "Cooper County Sheriffs - Bill Smith, John Henry & Bob Cox".
- 'Required Reproduction' box containing something similar to the following: **Bill Smith, Cooper County Sheriff; John Henry – Cooper County Sheriff; Cooper County Sheriff, Bob Cox.** (Note: Each endorser must sign a separate JCVP-02 form. For this example there would be 3 forms.)

- 3. Using a previously disseminated to the public quote in a 'Candidate Statement' or 'Measure Argument'.** If a previously publically disseminated quote is used, **NO** JCVP-02 form is necessary. The quotation must have been disseminated to the public prior to inclusion in the JCVP-01 or JCVP-03 and the quotation must be identified in the JCVP-01 or JCVP-03 by its source and date of publication/dissemination.

Examples 1 - for identifying the source of a quote are:

Author Name (if applicable), *Newspaper Name* or *Magazine Name* or *Book Title*, Date of Publication;
 Author Name (if applicable), website (www.???), Date of posting.

Example 2 - of quotes:

"In the latest edition of the *NW Times*, the editorial board in the paper said this about me
 "... that Joe Smith is the best person for the job." *NW Times*, 11/24/2013."

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