## **CHECKLIST FOR PRECINCT COMMITTEEMEN**

**Disclaimer:** Candidates are responsible for ensuring they have the most current information. <u>The</u> <u>Elections Department does not and cannot give legal advice or legal guidance for your campaign.</u>

For election dates, deadlines and other candidate information go to <u>www.mohave.gov</u>, select <u>Government</u>, then <u>Elections</u>, and select from the navigation menu to the left of the contents page. Current <u>Candidate Signature Requirements</u> are available after January 2 of even numbered years (e.g. 2018, 2020, 2022). For assistance on candidate signature requirements you may contact the Elections Department at (928)753-0733.

Primary Election Date: August 4, 2026 (Run only in the Primary of even numbered years)

#### REQUIRED FORMS ARE LISTED BELOW.

All ORIGINAL 2026 Candidate <u>Nomination Petitions, and Nomination Paper</u> must be filed <u>together</u> at the Mohave County Elections Office on the following dates, to wit:

Primary Election (Partisan offices): March 9, 2026 - April 6, 2026

The Elections Department processes all nomination papers presented before 5:00 p.m. the same day.

### 1. NOMINATION PAPER, DECLARATION OF QUALIFICATION

- Make sure to answer every question and fill in every blank
- Print the candidate's name exactly how he or she wants it to be printed on the ballot. The candidate's last name must appear first. Nicknames are permissible as long as they do not suggest a title.
- The form must be signed by the candidate

### 2. NOMINATION PETITIONS

# (Each Circulator must be responsible for witnessing <u>ALL</u> of the signatures on their petitions they circulate – Please read A.R.S. §16-321)

- The candidate must <u>file at least the minimum number of signatures</u> required for the office sought and no more than the maximum number allowed. If there are too few, the Elections Director cannot accept the nomination petitions.
- <u>Before circulating</u> any nomination petition, you must complete <u>ALL</u> the spaces on the top of the petition sheet. Circulating petitions with incomplete information could cause them to be invalid.
- $\circ$   $\;$  Check to see that the signature portion of each petition is complete:
  - $\circ$   $\;$  Is there a signature for each signer?
  - Is there a printed name for each signature?

- $\circ\,$  Actual residence address or description of place of residence; Arizona post office box address; city or town.
- o Is there a date for each signature?
- $\circ\;$  Check to see that the circulator portion on the back of each petition is complete. Did the Circulator:
  - Print his/her name in **both** spaces provided;
  - Print the County in the space provided;
  - Sign his/her name in the space provided;
  - Print the circulator's <u>actual residence address including city</u>, town and zip code.

Limitations on appeals of validity of nomination petitions; disqualification of candidate. [A.R.S. §16-351]