

**(Sample Petition)
Judicial Candidate
Court of Appeals**

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_____ Valid of _____	
By _____	Date _____

**TO: The Honorable John Thurston, Secretary of State
State Capitol, Room 026
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201-1094**

We, the undersigned qualified electors, propose that _____
(Name)

be placed on the ballot as a Candidate for the Office of Court of Appeals Judge, District _____, Position _____ in the Nonpartisan General Election to be held on _____. Each of us for himself or herself says: I have personally signed this petition; I am a registered voter of the State of Arkansas and the designated district to be represented, and my printed name, date of birth, residence, city or town of residence, and date of signing are correctly written after my signature.

	Signature	Printed Name	Date of Birth	Residence (Street Address)	City or Town of Residence	Date of Signing
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