



Dear Friend,

Thank you for your continued support of my campaign for the State Senate. The lifeblood of a successful campaign is good people and strong fundraising. But in order to earn votes from our friends and neighbors in the 7th Senate District, my name must be on the ballot first, and **that's why I need your help.**

Beginning April 15<sup>th</sup>, every candidate running for election can circulate nomination papers to collect signatures which show support in the community. To have my name placed on the November ballot, **I need to obtain 1,000 signatures from supporters across the 7th district by June 1st.** As a key supporter of my campaign, I'm asking for your help in circulating the enclosed nomination paper to your friends, family, neighbors and co-workers.

Here's how this works:

1. Present the form to other residents of the district to fill out. Make sure they fill it out completely, including their name, address, municipality of residence, date, and signature. Note, **both** address and municipality **must** be provided. Also, **P.O. boxes are not valid.**
2. Make sure you only circulate this form to residents of the 7th State Senate District. The municipalities included in the 7th district are listed on the back of the enclosed nomination form.
3. Residents must be qualified electors (at least 18 years old) and be full-time residents of the 7th Senate District. You must watch all electors complete the form. You may not leave the papers unattended to be picked up later.
4. It is okay to send in partial sheets. Every signature helps towards the goal.
5. After you have finished circulating the form, check to make sure it has been filled out completely, **then** complete the bottom portion of the form with your name, address, signature, and date.
6. Mail completed or partial forms back to my campaign. I have enclosed a pre-addressed envelope for you to use. Most importantly, for me to submit these on time, **I need you to return them by May 25<sup>th</sup> at the latest.**

I've set a goal of reaching 1,000 signatures to ensure we have enough names in the event the opposition tries to challenge any signatures gathered. **Getting signatures to make sure my name is on the ballot is step one**, but this is also an opportunity to get a huge jump on my opponent in fundraising as well. *Will you consider donating to my campaign* to ensure that there is common sense change in the District?

**Voters have to fight like never before to keep common sense in the Wisconsin legislature this fall!**

Circulating nomination papers is the critical first step on the road to bringing common sense to the District. I can't thank you enough in advance for your help in gathering signatures and providing a donation to launch our campaign.

With completed nomination papers and an early advantage in fundraising, we can ensure this campaign is successful, and this seat is represented by common sense for the people of the 7th State Senate District.

Sincerely,

P.S. Please remember, nomination papers must be returned to me by **May 25th** to make the filing deadline! Enclosed is a contribution card if you would like to help me pay for the cost of this mailing and get a head start on my opponent.

