

IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR POLK COUNTY

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GLORIA MAZZA and DEAN  
MONTGOMERY.

*Petitioners,*

v.

MATT SCHUTLZ, DAVID VAUDT, AND  
THOMAS MILLER, in their official capacities  
as Secretary of State, Auditor of the State, and  
Attorney General, respectively.

*Respondents.*

NO. CV 9348 CLERK DISTRICT COURT

**EMERGENCY MOTION FOR  
TEMPORARY INJUNCTION AND  
MOTION FOR EXPEDITED RELIEF**

Petitioners Gloria Mazza and Dean Montgomery (“Petitioners”) respectfully request that the Court issue a temporary injunction prohibiting the Secretary of State, in his capacity as State Commissioner, from allowing ballots to be printed for the November 2012 general election that include Gary Johnson and James B. Gray as Libertarian Party candidates for President and Vice President of the United States. Petitioners further request that the Court expedite its consideration of this Motion for a Preliminary Injunction. In support of these motions, Petitioners state:

1. On Friday, August 24, 2012, Petitioners filed an objection under Iowa Code § 44.4(2)(a) to the legal sufficiency of the Libertarian Party of Iowa’s Certificate of Nomination of Gary Johnson and James B. Gray for President and Vice President of the United States (hereafter, “Certificate”).

2. That same evening, the Secretary of State’s office noticed a hearing for the following business day, Monday August 27, at 3:00 p.m.

3. Petitioner's argued, among other things, that the Certificate was legally insufficient because the Party did not nominate Johnson and Gray at a "convention" or "caucus," and the individuals whose names the Party submitted along with its Certificate were not "delegates" who were "in attendance" at any such alleged convention, as required by Iowa Code § 44.1.

4. Pursuant to Iowa Code § 44.6, Secretary of State Matt Schultz, Deputy Auditor Warren Jenkins (in the place of Auditor of the State David Vaudt), and Attorney General Thomas Miller (the "Panel") presided over the hearing and ruled on Petitioners' objection.

5. The undisputed evidence at the hearing demonstrated that the Libertarian Party did not hold a convention or caucus in which the individuals identified on the Certificate collectively participated. To the contrary, supporters of Gary Johnson simply approached random adults attending the Iowa State Fair and asked them to put their names on a petition so that Johnson (or the Libertarian Party) could appear on the ballot for the presidential election.

6. During public deliberations on August 29, 2012, Attorney General Miller and Deputy Auditor Jenkins initially voiced their opinion that, under any reasonable interpretation, the Party did not hold a caucus or convention, and that its certificate of nomination was therefore legally insufficient.

7. Secretary of State Matt Schultz nevertheless faulted the legislature for not defining the words "caucus" or "convention," and therefore was willing to certify the Party's nominees for President and Vice President, even though it did not hold a caucus or convention under *any* reasonable interpretation of those words.

8. Deputy Auditor Jenkins then switched his vote.

9. In the interest of unanimity, and noting that the Attorney General's office would be representing the Panel in any further proceedings, Attorney General Miller also switched his vote. Thus, the Panel ultimately voted to deny Petitioners' objection.

10. Contemporaneously with the filing of this Motion, Petitioners have filed an action seeking emergency judicial review of the Panel's decision under Iowa Code § 17A.19.

11. Petitioners satisfy all of the necessary factors for a temporary injunction.

12. Petitioners are likely to succeed on the merits.

13. The undisputed facts demonstrate that the Libertarian Party did not hold a "convention" or "caucus." Iowa law provides two ways in which a minor party may qualify to have a candidate for a particular office appear on the general election ballot: holding a "convention" or "caucus" under Chapter 44, or gathering names on a "petition" under Chapter 45. *See also* Iowa Code § 44.17. Although Iowa law does not define the terms "convention" or "caucus" or lay out precise requirements for them, that did not give the Panel authority to render those terms meaningless.

14. Whatever the precise boundaries of these terms, the structure of Iowa law makes clear that they emphatically do *not* include the mere gathering of signatures on a petition, which is covered by an entirely different Chapter of the Iowa Code. *Compare* Iowa Code § 44.1 (qualifying for the ballot through the convention and caucus process) *with id.* §§ 44.17, 45.1 (qualifying for the ballot by gathering signatures). And it certainly does not refer to a collection of unwitting or unwilling individuals who have not been involved in a collective meeting together of any sort.

15. Moreover, it is a general principle of statutory interpretation that words must be interpreted in context and assessed in their "entirety," rather than as "isolated words or phrases."

*In re Conservatorship of Alessio*, 803 N.W.2d 656, 662 (Iowa 2011). Iowa Code § 44.6—which provides for nomination by caucus or convention—provides that “there shall be *in attendance* at the convention or caucus where the nomination is made a minimum of two hundred fifty eligible electors.” (emphasis added); *see also id.* (referring to the “names of the delegates *in attendance*”). Random fairgoers who are approached either individually or in small groups over the course of the day to place their names on a petition or list are not “in attendance” at a caucus.

16. The Panel’s ruling also violates the principle that courts must “avoid interpreting a statute in such a way that portions of it become redundant or irrelevant.” *Alessio*, 803 N.W.2d at 662. Here, the Libertarian Party’s actions were virtually indistinguishable from gathering signatures through the petition process, which would have required 1,500 signatures. The Panel’s interpretation of the law renders Chapter 45 provisions for petition gathering—with its substantially higher signature threshold—mere surplusage.

17. In addition, the individuals who signed the document were not “delegates.” The Objectors in this matter submitted 11 sworn declarations from individuals who had placed their names on the Libertarian Party’s filing. Each of these individuals swore that they were not “delegates” to any convention or caucus, did not intend to become “delegates” to any convention or caucus, and did not attend any convention or caucus on August 15, 2012. *See* Decl. of Jennifer Noteboom ¶¶ 4, 7; Decl. of Ryan Noteboom, ¶¶ 4-7; Decl. of Mary Alice Johnson, ¶¶ 4-7; Decl. of Lisa Mooney, ¶¶ 4-7; Decl. of Carol Harvey, ¶¶ 4-7; Decl. of Philip Waldo, ¶¶ 4-7; Decl. of Naomi Waldo, ¶¶ 4-7; Decl. of Maria Campbell, ¶¶ 4-7; Decl. of Mark Campbell, ¶¶ 4-7; Decl. of Jeffery Leak, ¶¶ 4-7; Decl. of Laura Murphy, ¶¶ 4-6.

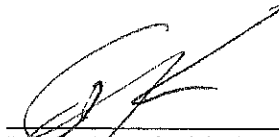
18. Printing and sending ballots that list Gary Johnson as a candidate for President of the United States will cause immediate and irreparable injury, in two respects.

19. *First*, it will cause irreparable harm to the other candidates and political parties who must compete against him, despite his failure to properly qualify for the ballot.

20. *Second*, printing and sending ballots that list Gary Johnson as a candidate for President of the United States, despite his failure to satisfy Iowa law, will cause irreparable injury to the voting public because it could improperly impact the election. Once the election is over, if this Court concludes that Mr. Johnson was erroneously certified as a candidate, it cannot undo the effects of his improper candidacy. *See* 3 U.S.C. § 5. Thus, it should issue a temporary injunction to briefly enjoin the Secretary of State from certifying Mr. Johnson as a presidential candidate, at least until it has adequate opportunity to consider the merits of this case.

21. No petition for the same relief has previously been presented to and refused by any court or justice.

WHEREFORE Petitioners request the Court issue a temporary injunction prohibiting the Secretary of State, in his capacity as State Commissioner, as well as his agents, employees, and all those acting in concert with him or subject to his direction or control, during the pendency of this case, from using, allowing the use of, approving, authorizing, suggesting, distributing, mailing, accepting, designing, funding, or otherwise implementing any paper ballots, electronic ballots, mechanical voting systems, or electronic voting machines which contain the names of Gary Johnson and James B. Gray as candidates for President and Vice President of the United States, respectively. Because the State is required by federal law to mail absentee ballots to overseas military personnel by September 22, *see* 42 U.S.C. § 1973ff-1(a)(8), and the State must print its ballots in advance of that date, Petitioners respectfully request that the Court expedite its final ruling on the merits.




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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true copy of the foregoing instrument was served upon each party by mail and email on August 30, 2012.



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NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**ORDER**

The matter before the Court is an Emergency Motion for Temporary Injunction. The Court **GRANTS** the motion for the reasons stated therein. The Secretary of State, in his capacity as State Commissioner, as well as his agents, employees, and all those acting in concert with him or subject to his direction or control, are temporarily enjoined, during the pendency of this case, from using, allowing the use of, approving, authorizing, suggesting, distributing, mailing, accepting, designing, funding, or otherwise implementing any paper ballots, electronic ballots, mechanical voting systems, or electronic voting machines which contain the names of Gary Johnson and James B. Gray as candidates for President and Vice President of the United States, respectively.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated this \_\_\_th day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2012.

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Judge, Iowa District Court for the 5<sup>th</sup>  
Judicial District

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for President and Vice President )  
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of the United States of America )  
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PANEL DECISION

On August 24, 2012, Gloria Mazza and Dean Montgomery (the “Objectors”) filed an objection to the Certificate of Nomination filed by the Libertarian Party of Iowa for Gary Johnson and James B. Gray to be placed on the ballots as candidates for the offices of President and Vice President of the United States. The objection alleged that Mr. Johnson and Mr. Gray were not nominated at a convention or caucus, and that the list of delegates submitted as attending the convention was nothing more than a petition.<sup>1</sup>

Pursuant to Iowa Code section 43.24, a hearing was conducted on August 27, 2012, before Secretary of State Matt Schultz, Chief Deputy Auditor of State Warren Jenkins,<sup>2</sup> and Attorney General Tom Miller (collectively the “Panel”). Notice was provided to the parties as required by Iowa Code section 43.24(2). The Objectors were represented by Mark Schultheis and Ryan Koopmans of Nyemaster Goode, P.C., and Michael Morley of Washington, D.C. Alicia Dearn appeared on behalf of the Gary Johnson 2012 campaign and Ed Wright appeared on behalf of the Libertarian Party of Iowa. The Panel reconvened for deliberation on August 29, 2012.

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<sup>1</sup> The Objectors also raised three technical objections to the paperwork filed by the Libertarian Party. The Panel finds that none of the three issues raised are sufficient to disqualify the Certificate of Nomination.

<sup>2</sup> Sitting as designee for Auditor of State David Vaudt.

The information considered by the Panel consists of official documents judicially noticed including the Certificate of Nomination and list of delegates nominating Mr. Johnson and Mr. Gray, the Objections, Declarations, and Exhibits of the Objectors, the Notice of Hearing, the argument of Mr. Morley, the argument of Ms. Dearn, and the statements and argument of Mr. Wright. In addition, Ms. Dearn provided the Panel with supplemental authority and sworn declarations.

The facts are largely undisputed. On August 13, 2012, the Libertarian Party of Iowa<sup>3</sup> attempted to file a nomination petition for its candidates for President and Vice President of the United States. The nomination petition was not filed after the Secretary of State's office noted that it was deficient because it lacked affidavits of candidacy for placeholder candidates<sup>4</sup> named prior to the nomination of Mr. Johnson and Mr. Gray by the national Libertarian Party. When the Libertarian Party of Iowa was unable to locate the placeholder candidates to obtain the necessary affidavits, it called a nominating caucus pursuant to the Party constitution and bylaws to be held at 10:00 a.m., on August 15, 2012, at the Iowa State Fair. Under the Party constitution, a caucus of "all eligible electors" may be called to make a nomination for office. See Libertarian Party of Iowa Constitution, Article VI, Sec. 5. The Libertarian Party provided notice of the caucus through email, telephone calls, and posting on social media websites such as Facebook.

At the Iowa State Fair, a number of Libertarian Party supporters gathered. These supporters, at least some of whom were wearing Gary Johnson for President t-shirts, approached

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<sup>3</sup> The Libertarian Party of Iowa is considered a "nonparty political organization" under Iowa law because its gubernatorial candidate failed to receive at least 2% of the vote cast for all candidates for governor at the last general election. See Iowa Code § 43.2.

<sup>4</sup> Nonparty political organizations may use placeholder candidate names when circulating nominating petitions prior to the nomination of a candidate by the national party organization. The Libertarian Party of Iowa's constitution requires it to substitute the national party presidential and vice presidential nominees. See Libertarian Party of Iowa, Constitution Article IX, Sec. 1.

fairgoers and attempted to obtain signatures on forms provided by the Iowa Secretary of State. The top of each form states "List of Delegates in Attendance at a Non-Party Political Organization Convention." The header over the signature line states "Name of delegate." Through this process, the Libertarian Party of Iowa obtained 449 signatures.

On August 17, 2012, the Libertarian Party of Iowa filed its Certificate of Nomination, Affidavits of Candidacy for Mr. Johnson and Mr. Gray, and attendance list with the Secretary of State. The filing was accepted.

The Objectors filed Declarations from eleven individuals who signed the "List of Delegates" at the Fairgrounds on August 15. These represent approximately 2% of the total number of signatures submitted. Each of the eleven state that he or she did not attend any convention or caucus of the Libertarian Party on that date.

A nonparty political organization may place a candidate for election on the ballot in Iowa in one of two ways. First, pursuant to Iowa Code chapter 45, the nonparty organization may submit a nominating petition with a sufficient number of signatures for the office sought and the appropriate affidavit of candidacy. Alternatively, the nonparty political organization may nominate a candidate through "[a]ny convention or caucus of eligible electors representing a political organization". Iowa Code § 44.1. Once accepted, the Certificate of Nomination is presumed valid unless objected to in writing. Iowa Code § 44.15.

The Libertarian Party has attempted to qualify its presidential slate through the nominating convention or caucus process. In order to qualify for the ballot for a statewide office, including president and vice president of the United States, "there shall be in attendance at the convention or caucus where the nomination is made a minimum of two hundred fifty eligible electors including at least one eligible elector from each of twenty-five counties." *Id.* The

attendance list filed by the Libertarian Party of Iowa contained 449 signatures from a sufficient number of counties.

Previously, panels of the Auditor of State, Attorney General, and Secretary of State have found that “statutes governing nomination procedures should be liberally construed to the benefit of the electors in order to provide every lawful opportunity for the electors to express their preference at the ballot box.” *In the Matter of Objection to the Nominating Petition of Paul W. Johnson*, Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, Decision and Order, p. 9 (2004); *see also In the Matter of the Nominating Petition of Ralph Nader and Peter Camejo*, Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, Decision and Order, p. 12 (2004) (“It is our view that statutes governing nomination papers should be liberally construed.”).

The objectors did not challenge the validity of any of the individual signatures other than the eleven affiants who disavow their attendance at any Libertarian caucus or convention. The Objectors argued that the eleven Declarants represented 2% of the total signatures and from there the Panel should infer that “most or all” of the remaining signatories were not delegates. The Panel is unwilling to make that extrapolation from such a small sample. The Libertarian Party affirmatively called supporters to attend their caucus at the Fairgrounds. It is reasonable to assume that a number of the signatures on the List of Delegates were at the Fairgrounds in response to the Party’s outreach. Even if the Panel were to strike the eleven signatures from the roll, there would remain well more than the necessary 250 delegates to qualify the Certificate of Nomination.

The Libertarian supporters communicated to the fairgoers that they were there as part of a process to certify or nominate Gary Johnson for the Libertarian Party candidate for president.

Even the eleven Declarations submitted by the Objectors concede that each was approached about a nominating convention for the Libertarian candidate to gain access to the ballot.

In addition, the Objectors filed four Declarations from persons who were present at the Fairgrounds but did not sign the Libertarian Party delegation papers. Each Declarant states that he did not observe a political caucus while at the Fairgrounds. One Declarant, Jay Kramer, states that he did not witness any Libertarian Party gathering at 10:00 a.m. at the Fairgrounds on August 15. He did witness one person with a clipboard talking to fairgoers that afternoon. The Panel is not persuaded. The Fairgrounds are a large space, and the fact that Mr. Kramer did not see what he would consider a Libertarian Party caucus does not mean that a caucus was not held. Nor is the Panel persuaded by the less detailed accounts of the other Declarants.

The remaining issue is whether the Libertarian Party of Iowa held a “convention” or “caucus” to nominate Mr. Johnson and Mr. Gray. The Objectors argue that the plain English reading of the terms, the Iowa Code, and the Libertarian Party’s own rules show that it did not hold a caucus or convention. Rather, the Objectors argue, the events at the Fairgrounds on August 15 were nothing more than a petition drive that required at least 1,500 signatures.

Neither “convention” nor “caucus” is defined in Iowa Code chapter 44. Conversely, the Code provides express guidance for the timing, procedures, and rules at political party precinct caucuses, county conventions, district conventions and state conventions. *See, e.g.*, Iowa Code §§ 43.4, 43.97, 43.102, and 43.107. However, candidates nominated at a convention or caucus held pursuant to Iowa Code chapter 44 are candidates from organizations that are not recognized political parties in Iowa. Nonparty organizations are not guaranteed a place on the ballot, unlike the political parties. Accordingly, it is not certain that the legislature intended to require the same formal procedures that are required of the recognized political parties when holding a

caucus or convention. Indeed, the only requirements for nonparty organizations are that there shall be in attendance 250 eligible electors including at least one from a minimum of 25 counties.

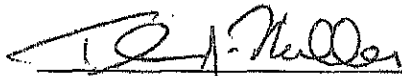
The Panel recognizes that the legislature provides nonparty organizations with two routes to the ballot – the petition drive or the nominating caucus or convention. At a minimum, a caucus or convention implies an affirmative gathering for a common purpose. However, the legislature has not provided any further guidance beyond the number of delegates that must be present.

In the present matter, the Libertarian Party of Iowa Executive Committee approved holding a caucus to certify the nomination of Mr. Johnson and Mr. Gray as the Party's presidential slate.<sup>5</sup> There is no dispute in this matter that the Libertarian Party made an affirmative call to meet at a time and place for the purpose of certifying its presidential slate. The Party then submitted a Certificate of Nomination with the names of 449 delegates, at least one from twenty-five different counties. The Panel would welcome further clarity from the legislature regarding what process should be followed when holding a nonparty convention or caucus. Absent that guidance, the Panel is unwilling to create additional requirements that would result in denying the Libertarian Party access to the presidential ballot in this instance.

The Certificate of Nomination of the Libertarian Party of Iowa is valid and Gary Johnson and James P. Gray shall appear on the election ballot as the Libertarian Party candidates for President of the United States and Vice President of the United States, respectively.

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<sup>5</sup> Although it is not the Panel's duty to determine whether the Libertarian Party followed its internal rules, it appears from the record that the caucus was called in accordance with the Party Constitution and Bylaws which provide that "any eligible elector" may be a representative in the caucus.



THOMAS J. MILLER  
Attorney General



MATT SCHULTZ  
Secretary of State



WARREN G. JENKINS  
Chief Deputy Auditor of State

ISSUED this 29<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2012.

Objection Hearing  
Minutes of Hearing  
August 27, 2012 – 3 p.m.

The objection hearing was called to order at 3 p.m., Monday, August 27, 2012, in the Secretary of State's conference room by Secretary of State Matt Schultz. Attorney General Tom Miller and Deputy Auditor of State Warren Jenkins were present.

Also present:

- Jerry Litzel, candidate for president, Nominated by Petition
- Brian Litzel, representative for Litzel campaign
- Ed Wright, representative for Johnson/Gray campaign, Libertarian Party
- Alicia Dern, attorney for Johnson/Gray campaign, Libertarian Party
- Mark Schultheis, attorney for objectors, Nyemaster Goode, P.C.
- Ryan Koopmans, attorney for objectors, Neyemaster Goode, P.C.
- Michael Morley, attorney for objectors
- Mary Mosiman, Deputy Secretary of State
- Sarah Reisetter, Deputy Secretary of State

1. Nomination of Chair

Secretary of State of State Matt Schultz nominated Attorney General Tom Miller as chair of the panel.

Ayes: all

Nays: none

2. Explanation of Process

Attorney General Tom Miller explained the basic principles of the objection hearing process.

- Law has values and principles concerning democracy
- Objection panels have read the law consistent with idea that voters have opportunity to vote for as many candidates as possible – democratic principles and values
- Basic requirements of law must be met
- In close calls, panels have leaned toward including people on the ballot

3. Litzel Objection

Objectors: Ryan Koopmans, Mark Schultheis , Michael Morley

Candidates/Representatives of Candidates: Jerry Litzel, Brian Litzel

Morley arguments:

- Litzel petition required to contain 1500 valid signatures, petition submitted contain 1551 signatures
- Two groups of challenged signatures
  - Illegible signatures that cannot be recognized or interpreted to a name



- 226 illegible
  - Line items that did not contain signatures but rather printed names
    - 114 printed
- Two questions: Do illegible signatures count and do printed names count?

Miller

- It is true difficult to tell but traditional to how people sign their names – are you saying if someone signs their name in a unique way that those can't count?

Morley

- Boundary as to what counts as a signature and what is simply a scrawl
- At some point something ceases to be a signature and is a scrawl instead – difficult and impossible to discern a reasonable name – does not meet signature requirement and not what legislature intended
- 4 court cases
  - AZ supreme court, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Florida
    - when a statute uses the term signature, even if there is not an illegibility requirement, the legislature implicitly requires that it be somewhat discernible as a name
  - As a reasonable interpretation of the statute, it carries an implicit boundary as to what is a signature

Jenkins

- Is the requirement of illegibility different for petitions than for any other legal document

Morley

- Explicit intent that the signature appear – legislature may or may not require a different intent

Jenkins

- Signatures may be different on other government applications like driver's license, would you suppose the requirements for those applications are any different?

Morley

- An executive agency may have a discretion for allowance for unique
  - Within agency discretion that mark must be able to uniquely identify someone, it cannot play into that future – so far removed from a name that it cannot count as a signature
    - Situation of individualized application is different than a petition
      - Petition affects legal rights of the public and election at law
      - Reasonable to instill different safeguards and requirements to be stricter

Schultz

- Even for a contract, even an X is good enough

Morley

- Court is construing the common law vs. legislative intent – clearly refer to something that is discernible to a name and identifiable for a person
- Context of contract – the person who is prejudiced is the person signing vs. this applies far beyond the immediate parties beyond the document

Schultz

- That individual still has an interest because they signed

Morley

- Yes, but here the state has a much more important intent to ensure stricter requirements because it involved every citizen in Iowa and the country who has a legit interest
- Minimum safeguard – reasonable construction of statute and the main reason the legislature would have imposed a signature requirement in the first place so there is a confirmation that this is the person who signed it

Schultz

- How do previous decisions of the panel play into the analysis?

Morley

- Only one – Iowa law does not require a signature be legible because Iowa code does not expressly state it
- Did not cite binding or persuasive authority – that is because legible does not expressly appear in the Iowa code
- Precedent did not address whether the word signature contains an implicit legibility requirement
  - Must look at what legislature intended and what a reasonable person would construe
- Arguing that canons of statute constructions and looking at statute in context that at least some legibility requirement is clearly reasonable and meets legislative intent – ensure some way of validating this process

Jenkins

- Legislators have to collect signatures and if they had an expectation that they be legible, wouldn't they have incorporated that?

Morley

- There is no Iowa court ruling so I don't know if legislatures are aware of this ruling

Jenkins

- They may not be aware of ruling but are aware of the legibility of signatures, if they had a concern don't you think they would have addressed it already?

Morley

- Not aware if they are aware of the situation specifically, only address what was passed – what would a reasonable person looking at that language believe what legislature intended?

Miller

- Is there a difference between an x and a scrawl and the signature they use throughout their lives?

Morley

- If a person is forced to use a mark, the preferred practice is that they print their name next to it, then yes, the context accommodations would have to be made

- In normal course of events, when the leg used the term sig it clearly meant something related to their name

Schultz

- You don't know if they were illiterate or handicapped

Morley

- Don't know but addresses were not written by different handwriting
- Reasonable inference is that the signatories went on to write their addresses

Schultz

- Could have been someone in house

Morley

- At least 99% are not simply a mark, they are some sort of scrawl or scribble

Schultz

- How many are illegible

Morley

- 268 illegible
- 114 as printed – unique challenges, no overlap
- Printed names argument:
  - Panel in the past has suggested that signature should be construed as handwritten roman letter
  - IA Supreme Court ruling – different context but similar context in what signature is used
    - Does the term signature as used in the UCC refers to a symbol executed adopted, in writing
    - Signature requirement is to determine an authenticate
    - “script signature” to indicate certification
    - If the panel does look to SC decision, the court used the term printed, not referring to script, in a lit that a signature would count if it is printed, stamped, photocopied, paste – not as a roman letters
    - These rulings do not address the issue here – Menke decision strongly suggests that it should be in script
  - Persuasive precedent – Pennsylvania Supreme Court
    - Explains in the election law context in looking at a petition, why the term signature should be construed to an autograph
      - Discernible difference between printed name and signed name
      - Signed – insignia to represent a person self and not easily traceable
      - Must sign nomination petition using insignia
  - Leg intent is to be able to validate sig as an eligible elector
  - Adopt the plain text interpretation that a sig means a sign, rather than a hand printed roman name

Jenkins

- Individuals who have difficult to read but also those who have very precise signatures that may look like it be printed – where do you draw the line?

Morley

- That is a point for the panel to determine if something appears to be roman printed name or cursive
- Border line cases do not undermine basic principal that there is a distinction between printing name and an actual sig
- Panel may disagree with some challenges but on the whole, there are more than enough line items that are not sig and are printed that it would be sufficient to invalidate the petition

Miller

- Who are the objectors

Morley

- Risa Karras and Marjorie Douglas – eligible electors of Iowa

J. Litzel

- Some look like signatures even though they may be printed

B.Litzel

- A signature may also be able to validate an instrument even if illegible
- Signature – signing of a written document in one owns hand
  - Any commonly used manner – including printing
  - Variations do not automatically invalidate the instrument
- Specific examples
  - Line 1: page 77 of 117
    - Brian's wife's signature – DL signature is worse than how she signed the petition
  - Page 78 – top sig is his – brought in DL – considered valid sig
  - Bank accepts endorsed checks that are illegible
  - Collected most of the signatures himself – 1502 collected
  - To ask people to sign is hard enough, let only to ask to re-sign if illegible

Miller

- You worked very hard to get your candidate on the ballot

B. Litzel

- Yes
- Example of other politicians' sigs that could be considered illegible and printed
  - Obama
  - Rick Perry
  - Tom Vilsack
  - Bobby Jindal

Miller

- My own sign is probably not legible

J. Litzel

- Who do you represent? (to Morley) The Romney campaign?

Morley

- I don't represent Romney campaign

J. Litzel

- Who is paying you?

Miller

- You don't have to answer

Schultz

- Seems like IA Supreme Court decision – the board of education had a lot of power to decide what they are going to do
- In this case they rejected it – but it looks like they could have said it would be okay and it would have been valid
- Code provides signatures must be made in writing and in mark of a person - not specific about what the writing means
- Applies to UCC situation where a bank note could be involved
- Highlighted is more dicta than a holding

Morley

- Only one of Supreme Court attempt to address this issue- thought it was relevant for the panel to consider in coming up with its decision
- In looking of definition under UCC, when someone signs something with the intent to authenticate in writing
  - Manifest their support of the document – std should be construed in pairing together
- If there is no one of knowing who signed something, it becomes much more difficult to actually ascertain whether or not someone is an eligible elector and if they should be counted toward minimum number of signatures
- Severely undermines the protections the sign requirement offers

Schultz

- You can look up someone's address, defeats your argument that you can do that now

Morley

- There is no way of doing it, so at least having an legibility requirement provides some mechanisms to ensure eligible electors rather than scratches

#### 4. Johnson/James Objection

Objectors: Ryan Koopmans, Mark Schultheis , Michael Morley

Representatives of Candidates: Ed Wright (Libertarian Party of Iowa), Alicia Dern (attorney)

Morley

- The objectors are Gloria Mazza and Dean Montgomery.
- 3 sets of objections
  - Was not a convention
    - Iowa law allows candidates to obtain ballot access
      - Convention 250 delegates
      - Nomination petitions 1500 signatures
  - Attempt to combine the two nomination processes

- The submission by the Libertarian party appears to be contrary to the sworn statements by 17 people
      - 11 swore that were not in fact delegates and did not participate – were simply attending Fair and were asked to sign a document to nomination Johnson for Pres
      - Now claimed to be delegates even though they were not
  - This was a petition process – sigs not obtained in context of a deliberate process – there was no vote or debate – simply presented a piece of paper and asked to sign
    - Iowa law does not expressly define what convention means – there is an outer boundary to the term
      - Minimum features of conventions that were not present here
      - The events at the fair asking fairgoers to simply sign falls within chapter 45 process and not chapter 44
    - Individuals who were statements are affixed were not delegates
      - Submitted declarations from 11 people who were not delegates – to have that many people disavowing casts enough doubt on the remainder of the document
  - Technical defects with the submission as well

Schultz

- Why should we extrapolate that from 2%, the rest were not delegates

Morley

- Process by which everyone swears occurred was not a convention but rather approached to sign
  - These people were not at a convention – raises the question was it just these 11 people just not delegates or cast a doubt to shift burden of proof to Libertarian Party to prove they held a convention
  - Facebook posting – need people to collect signatures

Schultz

- Are all the signatures on the same page or different pages? Where did the 11 signatures come from?

Morley

- Spread across several different pages

Schultz

- At most we could extrapolate those pages who have the highlights may not be delegates
- Tough to extrapolate that all pages were not delegates
- Better assumption that the sigs on the pages highlighted could be in jeopardy vs. extrapolating 25 to 100%

Morley

- Affidavits from individuals – I was approached and asked to sign – 11 declarations and 6 as witnesses
  - That shifts the burden of proof and calls into question the affidavit of the signatures that swore we had a convention

- For that many people to say they were not delegates and additional people say they saw the distribution – calls into question the validity of affidavit and voracity of sworn statements – credibility of the individuals who signed the document

Miller

- Turns significantly on the facts versus the law like the previous hearing

Dern

- Let me explain the Facebook postings and why that occurred
- They gathered signatures as nominated by petition
- The submission was rejected on grounds on surrogate candidates on original petition pages did not file certificates of candidacy
- We assert they wrongly rejected on the 13<sup>th</sup>
  - 1964 – Risher vs. Sinhorst
    - Candidate did not timely file cert of candidate – court held he should be placed on the ballot anyway
      - Broad spirit intent of the law to have candidates from legitimate parties on ballot
      - Should have been accepted if there was a defect of surrogate candidates – could have been corrected
  - Relied on checklist provided by SOS office and made telephone calls
    - Were tot told to provide certificates of candidacy for surrogate candidates
  - Surrogate candidate comes into play – national Libertarian convention had not been held and wanted to start collecting signatures to get ballot access
    - Nominated candidates with Iowa libertarian party and then substitute candidates
    - Not fair have to jump through extra hoops
    - Unable to get certificate from surrogate candidate
    - Were told by SOS Marisa about convention process
    - Used Facebook to request volunteers to do convention
    - Convention itself does not comply with Iowa law
      - Term is not defined
        - Defined by persuasive authority in Washington
          - Can go out in public forums and have people sign as delegates – done in 2004 by Green Party
          - Washington SC upheld this
          - Florida – held a convention by telephone and upheld by FL SC
        - Happened in Iowa in 2008 Socialist Workers Party – at the U of I

Miller

- Describe what happened at convention at fairgrounds

Wright

- Recognize that there is some distinction in terminology between election law and candidate's guide published by SOS and the Iowa Lib Party's constitution bylaws
  - Libertarian by laws – called a nominating caucus

- Rationale – no need to determine who are candidates would be because already nominated at national convention
  - National convention candidates will be the Iowa candidates
- Purpose was not to select or identify who the candidates will be
  - No requirement or definition of who a delegate who could be other than an eligible elector – consistent with candidate’s guide
- Because of the rules, we had to do it in one day and one place – 250 names and address of Iowa eligible electors from at least 25 counties
  - Called the nominating caucus on the 14<sup>th</sup> by our procedures on the 15<sup>th</sup>
    - Called by minutes of the executive committee meeting on the 14<sup>th</sup>

Miller

- We would like a copy of the minutes
- Was there a particular time they were meeting or assembling?

Wright

- In small groups – did not see in candidate guide what it needed to look like
- Sought out eligible electors to support nomination of Gary Johnson so they could appear on Iowa ballot so Iowa voters could have another choice
- All together in same general area

Miller

- What did they understand about what they were doing? Did the signers understand they were part of convention or caucus?

Wright

- Told that the purpose was to obtain support for the nomination of candidates so their names would appear on the Iowa ballot

Schultz

- Who was telling them this

Wright

- Only verbal instructions by those who were collecting signatures

Schultz

- What were those instructions?

Wright

- Let people know that the purpose of this was to allow for Iowa voters to have another choice on the General Election ballot and that they were certifying the nomination of Johnson and Gray as Libertarian party candidates
- Libertarian Party POV – blindsided by rejection of petitions
  - Shocked that could not get a hold of the placeholder candidates of the original 1900 signatures – out of country in Canada and on a cruise in Mexico
  - Would you allow us to get affidavits of candidate for the original placeholder candidates?

Schultz

- You admit you have the proper paperwork?



Wright

- We did – for Gary Johnson and Gray

Dern

- They also had the letters of substitution and affidavits for Johnson and Gray

Schultz

- But you did not affidavits for the individuals for who you have collected signatures for
- You couldn't get the signatures filed because you did not have the correct paperwork for the affidavit for the placeholders

Wright

- We were not clear that we needed to have those. Nothing on SOS website about needing those affidavits for the placeholders
- When Marisa brought back binder, she brought forth the other procedures for the convention process
  - List of central committee and the list of delegates
  - Left in the quandary because had never used that procedure before
  - Maybe she was inviting us to use this – let's get the candidate guide out and follow what it says
    - Need 250 names and address of eligible electors in Iowa representing 25 counties and certify this and list of central committee/exec committee and present it with the list of pres electors

Dern

- Copy of Timothy Hurt affidavit who was in charge of convention
- Looking at candidate's guide...

Wright

- Nowhere does it suggest that it must convene in a concise group nor that the eligible electors have to be members of the Lib Party
- Not required for a nominating caucus
  - We knew who are candidates were
  - The purpose was simply to certify their nomination according to Iowa election law

Schultz

- Do you have rules on defining a convention?

Wright

- I believe they do. Objection specifically notes the Liberation Party of Iowa

Schultz

- How are they different? Is it conceivable that they two could nominate different candidates?
- Is there something in your state party bylaws?

Wright

- Yes

Schultz

- Can you show us that?

Wright

- In the objection filing, there is our constitution of articles of association
- Article 9 section 1 -party nominees for pres and vp are automatically the national nominees for those offices
- Convention and caucuses are article 6
  - Exec committee by ¾ vote may cause a caucus of eligible electors representing this organization

Dern

- Liberian Party of Iowa is not an authority of how Iowa legislature would define the word of convention
- Libertarian Party is happy with our nominees – not the proper place to decide whether the organization is complying with its bylaws

Miller

- Did someone stand up and say “I nominate Gary Johnson” but you said it wasn’t necessary because it was assumed

Wright

- Folks were wearing Gary Johnson t-shirts, clip boards identified, yard signs – there could not be ambiguity

Miller

- They were not told or had an idea that they were delegates
- The request was to sign to get Gary Johnson on the ballot – not that they were delegates to the caucus or convention

Wright

- Not sure if I can assert that one way or another

Jenkins

- Do parties have access to this process?

Schultz

- Exception for political parties to do this process later on

Dern

- Libertarian Party has been on the ballot for 30 some years, Iowa is the only state with the perfect record for allowing third parties to have ballot access

Miller

- Was there any sort of meeting or was it generally an attempt to have some people sign?

Wright

- My understanding that there were small groups and talking about Gary Johnson and his candidacy and getting him on the ballot

Jenkins

- Bylaw 3 – conventions and caucus
  - Contention having a convention other than the bylaws?

Wright

- Constitution of libertarian overrides bylaws of lib party – subservient to constitution
- Held a regular state convention in March before the national convention

Schultz

- Explain process for holding convention and how the exec committee made its decision

Wright

- Article 6 section 5 of constitution – process
- Called a caucus of eligible electors for purposes of certifying candidates who had already been named

Dern

- Many Libertarian parties have convention after the national convention

Schultz

- Is the state convention different?

Wright

- We have a regular one every year

Schultz

- Do you have it at a single location at a specified time?

Wright

- Emergency caucus to deal with the surprise objection
- Invited to do this process by SOS

Schultz

- A staff member of SOS pointed to that section?

Wright

- Yes, and presumed that the guide had info

Schultz

- You used the term open air convention, where do you get that?

Dern

- Washington

Schultz

- No one from SOS used the term open air convention?

Dern

- No. And the Socialist Workers Party candidate has a declaration that he did the same thing in 2008

Miller

- Was there a challenge in that case?

Dern

- Don't know
- Reform Party vs. Black – FL supreme court case – open air convention

Schultz

- Would you agree that you had affidavits at that time that we would have looked at your signatures?

Wright

- I would hope so

Schultz

- That's what you were told, correct?

Wright

- Yes

Dern

- Florida Supreme Court held that these anomalies do not override the equity requirement SOS to put candidate on the ballot

Schultz

- In that case, Dem party was in fact a political party and the Libertarian Party is not in this case

Dern

- Yes but the principle still holds – a mere formality held us back of needing certificate of candidates

Miller

- Would the objectioners like to ask any questions?

Morley

- Yes.
- What time did the convention begin?

Wright

- Under our rules, it was not a convention but a caucus – 10 am

Morley

- How many assembled

Wright

- Can't tell you precisely

Morley

- Didn't you do so in the filing?

Wright

- Eligible electors gave us their names and addresses

Morley

- When you began, were they present

Wright

- For some

Morley

- At caucus?

Wright

- If we define for caucus, yes

Morley

- Did they vote for officers for caucuses?

Wright

- Not required to

Morley

- Did they vote on any matters at caucuses?

Wright

- No matters to vote on – just to certify the candidates nominations

Morley

- Did they meet to discuss any matter at the caucus?

Wright

- I think don't know conclusively

Morley

- Had you met any of these individuals before?

Wright

- Some – a handful of them

Morley

- Did you inform that they were in fact participating in a caucus?

Wright

- I don't know that

Morley

- Were they aware they were in a caucuses?

Wright

- They knew they were certifying the candidates' names

Morley

- Possible to do that via petition as well

Wright

- Theoretically? Yes

Morley

- Was their purpose to attend the caucus or the state fair?

Wright

- Some because that was their intent

Morley

- Was there any process to select them as delegates?

Wright

- Refer to them as eligible electors following our rules

Morley

- Any process to qualify as delegates?

Wright

- Eligible elector in Iowa and we always ask that question

Dern

- Address the technical issues:
- Gov Johnson certificate did not include county of residence
  - Checklist on SOS – failure to list an address is not a reason to reject a filing
- Complaints are technical complaints – elevate form over substance – should not weigh in favor of keeping a national party candidate off the ballot
- Fundamental fairness weighs in favor in letting Lib Party appear on the ballot
  - 1500 registered in Iowa and a third of voters are non-party affiliated
    - Disenfranchised a third of the electorate
- Binding legal authority – persuasive authority in Washington and Florida
- Practice of SOS office in 2008 weighs in favor
- Could accept first submission with corrections for alternative
- Open-air caucus was compliant with law and Lib Party procedure and to not certify our candidate would result in elevating form over substance and be inequitable

Morley

- This is not a forum to re-litigate the August 13 of the SOS determination
- Only question for this panel is putting aside the technical objections are whether the August 15 events constitute a convention and whether the individuals who signed were delegates to said convention
- Whether the Libertarian Party complied with Iowa code 44 – how does Iowa law define a convention
  - Having random people sign is the petition process under chapter 45, not the convention process
- Libertarian Party sought out eligible electors – this is not a convention
- A convention is to convene for a purpose, not to attend state fair

- They did not gather to meet and engage in political deliberations and participate in a single cohesive interactive group event
- What occurred falls under chapter 45 and not 44
- Finally, look at the Kramer declaration regarding the Facebook posting: “We must collect 250 signatures at the Iowa State Fair.”
  - We have sworn statements from 11 people who were not delegates
    - Libertarian Party has stated they don’t know if people were told that
    - Enough reason to cast doubt on signatures and affidavit in order to reject the filing
    - Attempt to evade the 1500 signature requirement

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**DECLARATION OF BRAD BOUSTEAD**

I, Brad Boustead, hereby declare as follows pursuant to Iowa Code § 622.1:

1. The statements in this declaration are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and are based on my personal knowledge except where otherwise specified. If called to testify, I would testify to the following facts.
2. I am at least 18 years of age and of sound mind.
3. On August 15, 2012, I attended the Iowa State Fair. At approximately 1:40 P.M., while I was waiting to hear Congressman Tom Latham speak, I saw a young man in his early twenties wearing a backpack and a t-shirt that said "Gary Johnson for President." He was holding a clipboard and approaching various adult fairgoers.
4. I was curious what the young man with the clipboard was saying, so I approached to listen. Although I could not hear exactly what he said, I heard him ask several people to sign the form on the clipboard in connection with "Gary Johnson" and a "convention."
5. I did not observe anything that appeared to be a political convention or caucus occurring at the Fair, or any large group of people who appeared to be engaged in formal or official proceedings of any sort.

I certify under penalty of perjury and pursuant to the laws of the state of Iowa that the preceding is true and correct.

Dated: August 21, 2012

  
Brad Boustead



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**DECLARATION OF MARIA CAMPBELL**

I, Maria Campbell, hereby declare as follows pursuant to Iowa Code § 622.1:

1. The statements in this declaration are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and are based on my personal knowledge except where otherwise specified. If called to testify, I would testify to the following facts.
2. I am at least 18 years of age and of sound mind.
3. I am a registered member of the Republican Party. I am not, and never have been, a member of the Libertarian Party.
4. I was not, and never have been, a delegate, representative, or attendee at a convention or caucus of the Iowa Libertarian Party. In particular, I did not attend a convention or caucus of the Iowa Libertarian Party on August 15, 2012, and was not elected or selected as a delegate or representative to any such convention or caucus.
5. On August 15, 2012, I attended the Iowa State Fair for purely recreational purposes.
6. While at the Iowa State Fair, an individual approached me with a clipboard and asked me to sign a petition so that a nominating convention could be held so that a Libertarian would be added to the ballot as a candidate for President of the United States. I wrote or signed my name, and filled in my address, on the list he handed me. In providing that information, I did not intend to state or imply that I was an attendee at a Libertarian convention or caucus.

7. I did not participate in any political meetings or vote on any political matters while at the Iowa State Fair.

I certify under penalty of perjury and pursuant to the laws of the state of Iowa that the preceding is true and correct.

Dated: August 23, 2012

  
Maria Campbell

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**DECLARATION OF MARK CAMPBELL**

I, Mark Campbell, hereby declare as follows pursuant to Iowa Code § 622.1:

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**DECLARATION OF CAROL HARVEY**

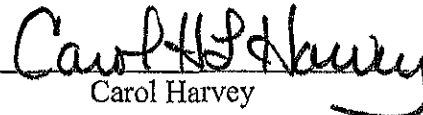
I, Carol Harvey, hereby declare as follows pursuant to Iowa Code § 622.1:

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7. I did not participate in any political meetings or vote on any political matters while at the Iowa State Fair.

I certify under penalty of perjury and pursuant to the laws of the state of Iowa that the preceding is true and correct.

Dated: August 22, 2012

  
Carol Harvey

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**DECLARATION OF MARY ALICE JOHNSON**

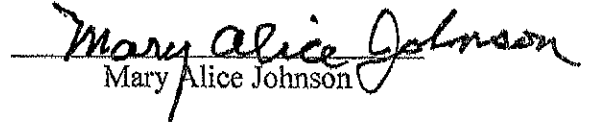
I, Mary Alice Johnson, hereby declare as follows pursuant to Iowa Code § 622.1:

1. The statements in this declaration are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and are based on my personal knowledge except where otherwise specified. If called to testify, I would testify to the following facts.
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7. I did not participate in any political meetings or vote on any political matters while at the Iowa State Fair.

I certify under penalty of perjury and pursuant to the laws of the state of Iowa that the preceding is true and correct.

Dated: August 22, 2012

  
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DECLARATION OF JAY KRAMER

I, Jay Kramer, hereby declare as follows pursuant to Iowa Code § 622.1:

1. The statements in this declaration are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and are based on my personal knowledge except where otherwise specified. If called to testify, I would testify to the following facts.
2. I am at least 18 years of age and of sound mind.
3. I received a B.S. in Political Science with honors from Kansas State University in 2007, and a J.D. from the University of Kansas School of Law in 2011.
4. I am the Iowa Election Day Operations Director for Romney for President, Inc. I have served in this capacity since June 1, 2012.
5. On the afternoon of Tuesday, August 14, 2012, I received an e-mail from an acquaintance containing a copy of a notice that apparently had been posted to Facebook. The notice concerned a purported "hasty nominating convention" that the Iowa Libertarian Party claimed it was holding the next day.
6. I logged onto Facebook to attempt to locate the original notice. After running some searches on Facebook, I came across the Iowa for Gary Johnson 2012 Facebook, which contained the posting I had been sent. The posting, which appears to have been posted from the account of the page's administrator, Iowa for Gary Johnson 2012, stated:

Per LP-IA member, Casey Head:

The Iowa Secretary of State office is trying to keep Gary Johnson off the ballot!

Because of their attempts to block us, myself and the other members of the state LP's executive committee will convene a hasty nominating convention tomorrow, at the Iowa State Fair.

We need anyone and everyone eligible to vote in Iowa to come out and help us give Iowans a chance!

Spread the word, times and further detail to come.

7. A true, correct, and complete copy of this posting, which I personally captured as a screen shot on my computer, is attached to this Declaration as Exhibit 1

8. A materially identical copy of this posting, which appears to have been posted from the account of Casey Head, appeared on the same Facebook page immediately below the posting above. A true, correct, and complete copy of this posting, which I personally captured as a screen shot on my computer, is attached to this Declaration as Exhibit 2.

9. I continued to monitor this page throughout the rest of the date to search for additional updates. Later that day, I discovered another posting on the Iowa for Gary Johnson 2012 Facebook page which appears to have been posted from the account of the page's administrator. It stated:

OK..... UPDATE....

Apparently the Iowa Secretary of State Matt Shultz [sic] is blocking Gary Johnson from the ballot. This is the latest info I have received and invite anyone that has more to please post an update to this thread.

Moving forward. What I am getting is that we must collect 250 signatures at tomorrow's state fair. There are several people inbound to work this effort but we can use all the help we can get. We must collect 250 new unique signatures tomorrow only. Ready for a challenge fellow liberty friends? You got it! Let's put this challenge from the establishment to rest. WE [sic] can do this.

If you have more info please post it.

A true, correct, and complete copy of this posting, which I personally captured as a screen shot on my computer, is attached to this Declaration as Exhibit 3.

10. At 4:04 P.M. a comment was posted from the account of Casey Head to the posting discussed above in Paragraph 8. The comment stated, "There will be more details to come as soon as we have a time and place, in meantime anyone available to help can message me directly and I will respond to them as soon as I have details." This comment is visible on the screen shot attached to this Declaration as Exhibit 2.

11. At 11:11 P.M., a further comment was posted from the account of Casey Head to the posting discussed above in Paragraph 8. The comment stated, "We'll all be meeting tomorrow at 10 am, [sic] at the Iowa State Fair, just outside the gate at east 30TH [sic] and Grand Ave. I'll be carrying a Gary Johnson 2012 yard sign, and we'll move into the fair to seek eligible voters from there."

12. I, along with several staff members and volunteers of Romney for President, Inc., attended the Iowa State Fair to help promote the candidacy of Governor Romney for President and Representative Ryan for Vice President.

13. The next day, at 8:45 A.M., I arrived at the Iowa State Fair. From approximately 9:15 to 10:00 A.M., I observed the entrance of the Iowa State Fair at East 30th and Grand Avenue. I did not observe anyone carrying a Gary Johnson or Libertarian Party sign, wearing any Gary Johnson or Libertarian Party apparel, carrying any Gary Johnson or Libertarian Party accessories, or attempting to gather signatures for, or on behalf of, Gary Johnson.

14. At approximately 1:45 P.M., I was sitting on a bench in the State Fair when I noticed a lone individual in a "Gary Johnson for President" t-shirt walking around the State Fair holding a clipboard and approaching adult fairgoers.

15. The individual in the Gary Johnson t-shirt approached me and asked if I had heard of Gary Johnson. I responded "Yes." He then asked if I would like to sign a petition so "we" can host a nominating convention to get Gary Johnson on the ballot. I replied, "No, thank you." He thanked me and walked away. After our conversation, I saw him approach other adult fairgoers in the same manner as he approached me.

16. After the individual in the "Gary Johnson for President" t-shirt spoke with me, I took a picture of him speaking with and presenting his clipboard to other fairgoers. A true, correct, and complete copy of this picture is attached to this Declaration as Exhibit 4.

17. Approximately a half hour later, I ran into the individual in the "Gary Johnson for President" t-shirt again in a shopping area. I asked him, "How does this petition process work? If I sign the petition, does that indicate that I attended the convention?" He replied, "No, it's only so we can host the convention." I then asked the individual whether he had any campaign literature, and he gave me two different flyers about Johnson. He then asked again if I would sign the petition, but I declined.

18. Following this second conversation, I took two additional pictures of the individual in the "Gary Johnson for President" t-shirt approaching, speaking with, and presenting his clipboard to other fairgoers. True, correct, and complete copies of these pictures are attached to this Declaration as Exhibits 5 and 6.

19. I did not see anyone else carrying a clipboard, approaching adult fairgoers. I also did not see anyone else wearing any Gary Johnson or Libertarian Party apparel, carrying any Gary Johnson or Libertarian Party accessories, or attempting to gather signatures for, or on behalf of, Gary Johnson.

20. I left the State Fair at approximately 4:00 P.M. Throughout the course of the day, I walked around and observed most of the fairground. I did not observe anything that appeared to be a political convention or caucus, or any large group of people who appeared to be engaged in formal or official proceedings of any sort.

21. I was not, and never have been, a delegate, representative, or attendee at a convention or caucus of the Iowa Libertarian Party. In particular, I did not attend a convention or caucus of the Iowa Libertarian Party on August 15, 2012, and was not elected or selected as a delegate or representative to any such convention or caucus.

22. A true, correct, and complete copy of the Constitution and Articles of Association of the Libertarian Party of Iowa are attached to this Declaration as Exhibit 7.

23. A true, correct, and complete copy of the Bylaws of the Libertarian Party of Iowa are attached to this Declaration as Exhibit 8.

24. A true, correct, and complete copy of the Libertarian Party's Non-Party Political Organization Convention Certificate of Nomination ("Certificate") is attached to this Declaration as Exhibit 9.

25. On August 22, 2012, I reviewed information derived from various public records and other sources, including State of Iowa voter registration records and Google Maps, concerning the names and addresses on the "List of Delegates in Attendance at a Non-Party Political Organization Convention" filed by the Iowa Libertarian Party concerning its alleged convention of August 15, 2012. The "List" was appended to the Iowa Libertarian Party's Certificate of Nomination (see Paragraph 24, above) in which it purported to nominate Gary Johnson and James Gray for President and Vice President of the United States, respectively.

26. The List contained a total of 448 line entries, across 25 pages, of individuals who purportedly served as delegates at the Iowa Libertarian Party's alleged August 15, 2012, convention.

27. A total of 434 line entries were complete, in that they purported to contain an individual's name and complete address. A total of 14 line entries are invalid because they either lack an address, or do not contain a complete address (*i.e.*, the address is missing a street number, street name, and/or city):

<b>Page</b>	<b>Line</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>Zip</b>
10	18	Van Dunbak	Abby	29th St	Des Moines	50310
13	14	Trickey	Deb	250th St	State Center	50247
14	9	Wirth	Tim	Main St	Lost Nation	52254
15	9	Wegman	Kathy	Stange Rd	Ames	50510
15	10	Wegman	Tabitha	Stange Rd	Ames	50510
17	16	Rodby	Gerald		North English	52316

18	6	Hocker	Sam		Urbandale	50322
19	19	M	Rose	A46	Elma	50628
23	12	G	Ron	Ohio St	Lenox	50851
24	14	Garrett	Ricky	Spoonbill Ct	Marion	52307
24	15	W	Kelly	W 14th St	Cedar Falls	50613
26	13	P	Jake	Iowa	Des Moines	50313
27	5	Rang	Megan		Dows	IA
27	7	Nim	Josh	2nd St SW	Klemme	IA

28. A total of 14 line entries are invalid because their addresses contain only a P.O. Box, rather than street number and street name:

Page	Line	Last Name	First Name	Address	City	Zip
13	4	J	K	P.O. Box 8	Booneville	50038
19	11	Bussi	Dan	P.O. Box 358	Manson	50563
19	20	Miff	N	P.O. Box 136	Reallyn	50668
20	6	Bowman	Kelsey	P.O. Box 116	Glidden	51443
21	6	Koopman	Michelle	P.O. Box 98	Newhall	52315
21	13	Boor	Emma	P.O. Box 476	Jewell	50130
24	8	Boor	Kaitlyn	P.O. Box 176	Jewell	50130
24	17	Ballard	Patricia	P.O. Box 73	Hiawatha	52233
25	16	Dirkx	Amanda	P.O.Box 67	Sheldahl	50243
26	7	Lunry	Laurie	P.O. Box 364	Marshalltown	50748
26	15	McCord	Carlton	P.O. Box 151	Marengo	52501
27	6	Osborn	Amanda	P.O. Box 362	Mitchellville	IA
29	1	S	Joe	P.O. Box 144	Hazelton	50641
29	2	Djanowski	Dan	P.O. Box 4	Randolph	51649

29. A total of 3 line entries are invalid because both the names and addresses are illegible and it is impossible to determine that they belong to eligible Iowa electors:

Page	Line
14	7
24	20
26	8

30. A total of 23 line entries are invalid because the names are illegible and it is impossible to determine that they belong to eligible Iowa electors:

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14	5
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31	8

31. Thus, only 394 valid line entries refer to eligible Iowa electors.

32. Based on the information I reviewed, it appears that hardly any of the valid line entries refer to registered members of the Libertarian Party. To the contrary, it appears that virtually all of the 376 valid line entries on the List refer to either a member of the Democrat Party, a member of the Republican Party, a person with no political party affiliation, or a person who is not registered to vote at the specified address.

I certify under penalty of perjury and pursuant to the laws of the state of Iowa that the preceding is true and correct.

Dated: August 24, 2012

  
Jay Kramer

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Iowa for Gary Johnson 2012

August 14

Per LP-IA member, Casey Head:

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Spread the word, times and further details to follow.

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Iowa for Gary Johnson 2012 Once we get more details we need to post on the Liberty Iowa PAC page and Young Americans for Liberty

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Iowa for Gary Johnson 2012 That will get the word spread quickly. Flash the high beams on the Sec of State office

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**Finnegans Opinions** No "share" button, no contact info, no links. Too bad. I would have shared it directly to Texans for Gary Johnson 2012 page to request help.

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**Casey Head** It's coming. There will be more details to come as soon as we have a time and a place, in meantime anyone available to help can message me directly and I will respond to them as soon as I have details.

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**Casey Head** We'll all be meeting tomorrow at 10 am, at the Iowa State Fair, just outside the gate at east 30TH and Grand Ave. I'll be carrying a Gary Johnson 2012 yard sign, and we'll move into the fair to seek eligible voters from there.

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Iowa for Gary Johnson 2012

August 14

OK... UPDATE...

Apparently the Iowa Secretary of State Matt Shultz is blocking Gary Johnson from the ballot. This is the latest info I have received and invite anyone that has more to please post an update to this thread.

Moving forward. What I am getting is that we must collect 250 signatures at tomorrow's state fair. There are several people inbound to work this effort but we can use all the help we can get. We must collect 250 new unique signatures tomorrow only. Ready for a challenge fellow liberty friends? You got it! Let's put this challenge from the establishment to rest. WE can do this.

If you have more info please post it.

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**FreedomBiscuit.com** Good luck Iowa!

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**Ted Hammersley** Were gonna fight them and were going to win!

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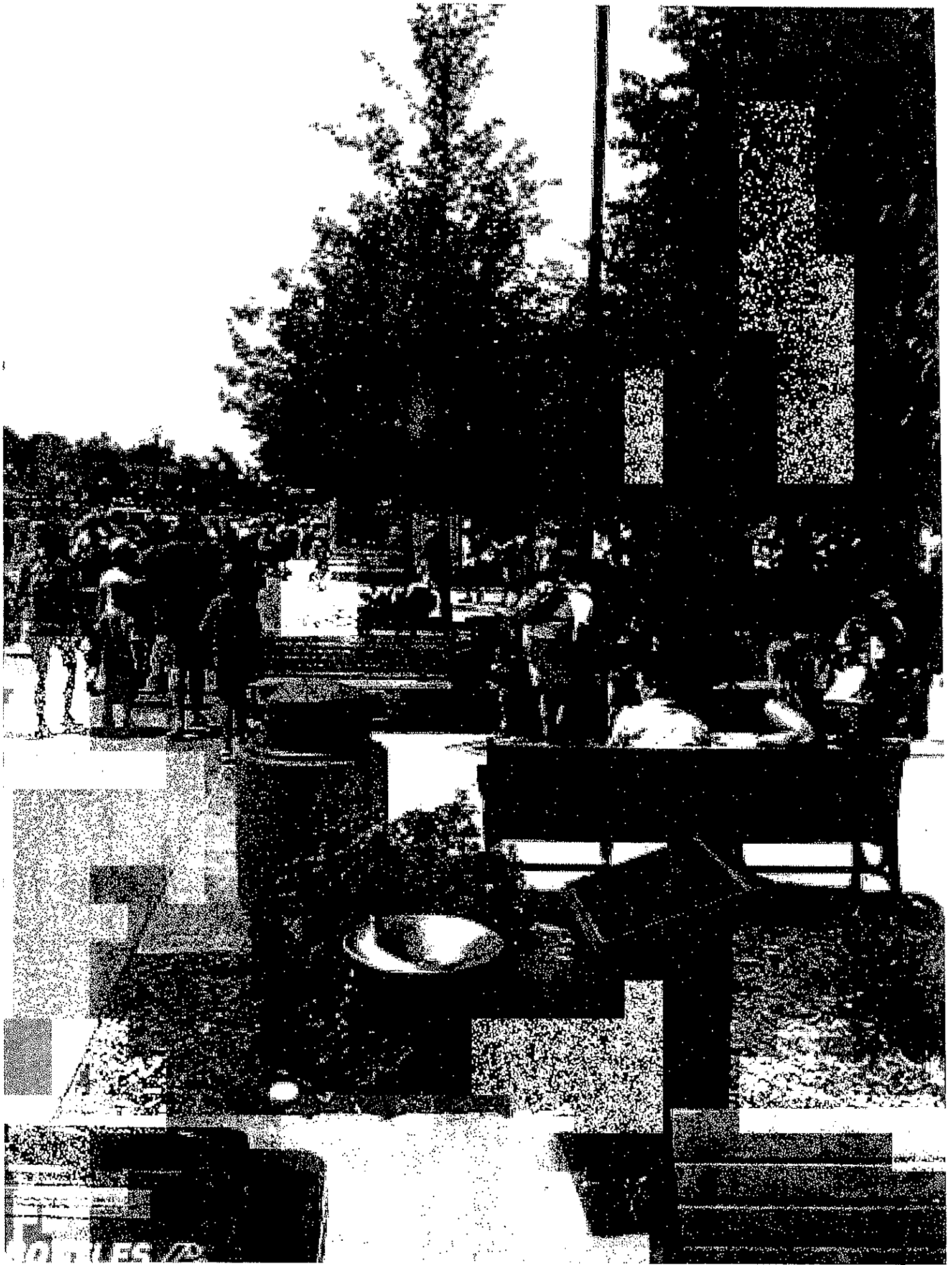
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**CONSTITUTION (AND ARTICLES of ASSOCIATION)  
LIBERTARIAN PARTY of IOWA  
A Non-Profit Association**

**ARTICLE I: NAME**

The name of the association shall be the "Libertarian Party of Iowa" hereinafter referred to as the "Party".

**ARTICLE II: DURATION AND DISSOLUTION**

The duration of the Party shall be perpetual. In event of dissolution, all assets would go to the (National) Libertarian Party, a non-profit association.

**ARTICLE III: PURPOSE**

The purpose for which the Party is organized is to implement and give voice to the principles embodied in the Statement of Principles by:

- a. Nominating candidates for national, state, and local offices and supporting candidates for political office.
- b. Entering into political information activities.

**ARTICLE IV: OFFICERS**

Section 1. The officers of the Party shall be a Chairperson, a Deputy Chairperson of Membership & Development, a Deputy Chairperson of Advocacy & Public Policy, a Deputy Chairperson of Campaigns & Elections, a Secretary, and a Treasurer. All of these officers shall be elected at each Regular Convention occurring in an odd-numbered year by the attending delegates and shall take office immediately upon the close of the Convention and serve thereafter until the final adjournment of the next Regular Convention occurring in an odd-numbered year.

Section 2. In addition, one of the three Deputy Chairpersons shall be elected to serve as Vice Chairperson. Otherwise, no offices shall be combined.

Section 3. The Chairperson shall preside at all Conventions and all meetings of the Executive Committee. He or she shall be the chief executive officer of the Party.

Section 4. The Vice Chairperson shall perform the duties of the Chairperson in the event the Chairperson is for any reason, unable to perform the duties of the office.

Section 5. The Secretary shall be the recording officer of the Party, and shall provide, or make provision for, legal services to the Party.

Section 6. The Treasurer shall receive, expend, and account for the funds of the Party under the supervision and direction of the Chairperson and Executive Committee.

Section 7. Except as otherwise provided herein, the officers of the Party shall have such powers and perform such duties as may be prescribed in the Bylaws.

**ARTICLE V: EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

Section 1. The Executive Committee of the Party shall be composed of the following:

- a. The six elected officers of the Party; plus

b. At least four and no more than seven members elected at each Regular Convention occurring in an odd-numbered year, so as to be representative of the state as prescribed by the Bylaws. Any seat not filled at a Regular Convention occurring in an odd-numbered year may be filled at any time for the remainder of the term at a Regular Convention occurring in an even-numbered year, at a Special Convention, or by the Executive Committee.

Section 2. The Executive Committee shall take office immediately upon the close of the Regular Convention occurring in odd-numbered years, and serve until the adjournment of the next Regular Convention occurring in an odd-numbered year.

Section 3. Any Executive Committee member, including any officer, may be suspended, that is, denied the authority to perform his or her specific functions, by a two-thirds vote of the entire Executive Committee. The position of a suspended member shall be declared vacant unless the suspended member appeals to the Judicial Committee within three days of notification of suspension. If the suspension is appealed, the Judicial Committee must rule within thirty days. If the Judicial Committee upholds the suspension by a three-fourths majority, the position of the suspended member will be declared vacant. If the Judicial Committee fails to uphold the suspension, the member shall be reinstated.

Section 4. If a vacancy in the Executive Committee (including an officer vacancy) should occur through suspension, or through the resignation, death or disability of a member, the vacancy may be filled for the remainder of the term at a Regular Convention occurring in an even-numbered year, at a Special Convention, or by the Executive Committee.

Section 5. The Executive Committee shall have the control and management of all the affairs, properties, and funds of the Party consistent with this Constitution.

Section 6. The Executive Committee shall meet in a manner, time, and place as prescribed in the Bylaws.

#### **ARTICLE VI: CONVENTIONS AND CAUCUSES**

Section 1. The Party shall hold a Regular Convention every year at the time and place selected by the Executive Committee.

Section 2. For all Regular Conventions, Delegates and Alternate Delegates shall be elected to be representative of the State as prescribed by the Bylaws. In addition, the Executive Committee members shall automatically be entitled to Delegate status.

Section 3. A duly selected Alternate may be freely substituted for the Delegate who is temporarily or permanently absent from the floor.

Section 4. The State Executive Committee, by a three-fourths majority vote of the Executive Committee membership, may call a Special Convention. Delegates must be notified two weeks prior to the convention. These conventions shall consist of the state officers and all eligible delegates to the last annual convention. Such a Special Convention cannot take the place of an annual convention. Only those matters mentioned in the call to the convention may be considered at a Special Convention.

Section 5. The Executive Committee, by a three-fourths majority vote of the Executive Committee membership, may call a Caucus of Eligible Electors representing this political organization for making one nomination of a candidate for each office to be filled at a general election. The Executive Committee shall name the officers of such Caucus.

#### **ARTICLE VII: COMMITTEES**

Section 1. There shall be a standing Judicial Committee, composed of 3 to 9 members exclusive of the Executive Committee. The Judicial Committee shall be elected at each Regular Convention occurring in an odd-numbered year, and shall serve the same term as the Executive Committee. In the event that a maximum number of people have not been elected in an odd-numbered year, or if other vacancies occur, then new members may be elected at Regular convention in an even-numbered year to serve the remainder of the term. The Judicial Committee may fill any vacancies occurring between conventions. The Judicial Committee shall select its own chairperson.

Section 2. At least one month prior to each Regular Convention, the Executive Committee shall appoint a

Section 2. At the least one month prior to each regular convention, the Executive Committee shall appoint a Credentials Committee, a Constitution, Bylaws and Rules Committee and a Platform Committee, including the chairperson of each committee, as follows:

- a. The Credentials Committee shall consist of one member from each Congressional District when available, exclusive of Executive Committee members.
- b. The Constitution & Bylaws and Rules Committee shall consist of 3 to 5 members.
- c. The Platform Committee shall consist of at least three members, including one member from each Congressional District when available, plus one member-at-large. Additional at-large members may be appointed if necessary to meet minimum requirements.

#### **ARTICLE VIII: PLATFORM**

Section 1. The Party shall adopt a Platform at its first Regular Convention. Said Platform shall include, but not be limited to, the Statement of Principles of the (National) Libertarian Party and the implementation of these principles contained in the Statement, in the form of Planks.

Section 2. The Statement of Principles affirms that philosophy upon which the Libertarian Party is founded, by which it shall be sustained, and through which Liberty shall prevail.

Section 3. The Platform, other than the Statement of Principles, may be amended by deletion, substitution, or addition of any Plank by the Convention Delegates in session and voting. The Substitution of a new Plank for an old Plank, or the addition of a new Plank, shall require approval by a vote of 90% of the Delegates in session voting. A Plank may be deleted from the Platform by a vote of 50% of the Delegates in session voting. A Plank must not be in violation of, or in contradiction to, the Statement of Principles.

If any Member of the Judicial Committee considers a Plank in violation or in contradiction to the Statement of Principles, it may be deleted only by a unanimous vote of the committee.

#### **ARTICLE IX: NOMINATIONS OF CANDIDATES**

Section 1. Party nominees for U.S. President and Vice-President are automatically the nominees of the national Libertarian Party for those offices. Presidential electors shall be nominated by the Chairperson and ratified by majority vote of the Executive Committee.

Section 2. Nomination of candidates for U.S. Senator and the executive offices of Iowa will be made at the Regular Convention held preceding the election.

a. Nominations shall be made from the convention floor by the Delegates. All balloting shall be done by secret ballot.

b. If, after a ballot, no candidate has attained a majority vote, all nominees who have received less than 10% of the total vote shall be struck from subsequent ballots. If, after two ballots, no candidate has attained a majority vote, the candidate with the least votes shall be struck from the subsequent ballots; this procedure shall be repeated after each ballot in which no candidate has received a majority vote until one candidate attains a majority.

Section 3. Nomination of candidates for U.S. House of Representatives and Iowa legislature will be made at the Regular Convention held preceding the election following the procedure in Section 2.

Section 4. Notwithstanding Sections 2 and 3, nominations of candidates may be made by a Caucus of Eligible Electors following the procedure of Iowa §44. If a caucus of Eligible Electors is called, Section 2a. and Section 2b. of this Article shall apply, with Eligible Electors as the Delegates.

Section 5. In the event that no candidate was nominated or a subsequent vacancy occurs in a nomination made under Sections 2 through 4 of this Article, then the Executive Committee may fill the vacancy. Nominations made by the Executive Committee under this Section shall require that the candidate be approved by at least 60% of the full Executive Committee.

Section 6. The nomination of any person for any office may be voided by a three-fourths vote of the entire membership of the combined Judicial and Executive Committees, meeting in joint session.

#### **ARTICLE X: REPRESENTATION TO THE (NATIONAL) LIBERTARIAN PARTY**

Delegates and Alternate Delegates shall be selected as prescribed by the Bylaws in numbers permitted by the (National) Libertarian Party. One of the Delegates shall be the State Chairperson, if he or she chooses to take the position.

#### **ARTICLE XI: MEMBERSHIP**

Section 1. Members shall be:

- a. those persons who are registered with the state of Iowa as voters affiliated with the Libertarian Party, and
- b. those persons resident in Iowa who are unable to so register or have been able to so register for less than 90 days and who have indicated their intent to so register in a form specified by the state party.

Section 2. Voting members shall be members who have maintained continuous membership for a period of at least 30 days prior to the state s convention, provided that their dues, if any, are also current. Any member who does not otherwise qualify as a voting member may be granted voting privileges and status as a convention Delegate at a state convention provided that a 4/5 majority of voting members in attendance consent.

#### **ARTICLE XII: JUDICIAL COMMITTEE**

In addition to the responsibilities set forth in Articles V and VIII, the Judicial Committee shall be responsible for the following:

Disciplinary actions against any Party Member shall be in accordance with Robert's Rules of Order, Newly Revised, except as otherwise provided herein.

#### **ARTICLE XIII: BYLAWS**

Section 1. The Executive Committee shall follow the Bylaws. The Executive Committee may adopt non-conflicting bylaws between conventions which will not remain in effect beyond the next convention unless ratified.

Section 2. The Bylaws of the Party may be amended by a majority vote of the Delegates at any Regular Convention of the Party, or by a vote of three-fourths of the Executive Committee at any other time.

#### **ARTICLE XIV: CONVENTION GOVERNMENT**

Conventions of the Party shall be governed by the current Convention Rules and Bylaws, unless otherwise amended at a Regular Convention.

#### **ARTICLE XV: OPEN MEETINGS**

Section 1. All meetings in the Party shall be open to all Members.

Section 2. The secret ballot may not be used for any committee decision. The secret ballot may be used for elections.

#### **ARTICLE XVI: AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION**

This Constitution may be Amended by a 90% vote of the Delegates at any Regular Convention.

May 1, 1999 Amended April 14, 2007

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## **BYLAWS OF THE LIBERTARIAN PARTY OF IOWA**

### **BYLAW I: DUTIES OF OFFICERS**

Section 1. The Secretary shall attend all meetings of the Executive Committee and all Party Conventions, keeping such records and minutes as necessary. He or she shall make an annual report to the Executive Committee; which report shall contain all information required by the Executive Committee. He or she shall perform or make provisions for the performance of any legal assistance the Party may require.

Section 2. The Treasurer shall receive all monies paid to the Party, and shall deposit the same in such bank or banks as have been designated by the Executive Committee, and shall disburse said monies upon order of the Executive Committee. He or she shall make complete financial reports to the Executive Committee, and at least annual reports to the Membership. He or she shall perform all duties required of his or her office by applicable federal and state law.

### **BYLAW II: EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

Section 1. The Executive Committee shall meet at such times and places as may be determined by action of the Committee, by call of the Chairperson, or by the written request of one-third or more of the Members of the Executive Committee. A written notice of the time and place of all meetings shall be mailed to each Member of the Executive Committee not less than thirty days before said meeting.

Section 2. The Executive Committee may, without meeting together, transact business by hard copy mail, electronic mail, or telephone by voting on questions submitted to them by, or with the approval of, the Chairperson. Ten days shall be allowed for the return of the votes cast, by any method, to the Secretary. Methods of security, receipt, and verification shall be left to the discretion of the Executive Committee. The method of communication shall be selected by the individual Executive Committee Member.

If, at the expiration of the applicable period, the majority of the Executive Committee have not returned their votes, the measure being voted upon shall be deemed to have failed; in all other cases, a majority of the votes returned shall carry the measure, except where a higher vote is required by the Constitution.

The Secretary must preserve all such votes until the next meeting of the Executive Committee, at which meeting the Executive Committee shall order the disposition of such votes.

Section 3. More than one-half of the Membership thereof shall constitute a quorum at all meetings of the Executive Committee for the transaction of all business.

Section 4. Executive Committee Members shall be prohibited from holding office in, or taking part in a working committee of, another political party; and from being members of a campaign committee for candidates affiliated with any other political party.

Section 5. The Executive Committee shall define the process of accepting application by members in good standing of the Party to establish a local affiliate organization. Further, the Executive Committee shall authorize said affiliate by a simple majority of the attending Executive Committee Members.

### **BYLAW III: CONVENTIONS AND CAUCUSES**

Section 1. The Chairperson of the Constitution, Bylaws and Rules Committee and of the Platform Committee shall be the presiding officers of their respective committees.

Section 2. A majority vote of those of the Committee Members present is necessary for a "do-pass" recommendation, and in the case of the Platform Committee, a three-fourths majority must approve each specific Plank separately.

Section 3. The Committees shall report their recommendations to the floor of the Convention in accordance

with the Party Rules.

Section 4. Two or more Members of the Platform Committee may join together to issue a minority report regarding any Plank to the floor of the Convention. Two Members of the Constitution, Bylaws and Rules Committee may join together to issue a minority report regarding their business.

Section 5. A Member must be present in Committee to vote.

Section 6. More than one-half of the Membership of each Committee shall constitute a quorum.

Section 7. General requirements and procedures for any Party election

- a. To be eligible for any Party office, a candidate must be a member of the Party and reside in Iowa.
- b. Nominations may be made by nominating committee and/or from the delegates.
- c. The names of all nominees, in the order nominated, will be clearly listed in front of the delegates.
- d. All votes for Party office will be by secret ballot.
- e. Two tellers to tally votes will be appointed by the Chairperson from among the delegates.
- f. At the completion of each ballot, the tellers will place all ballots in a pile and clearly identify them (e.g., 1st ballot for Chair). These ballots will be turned over to the Secretary at the end of all balloting for an office. The Secretary will safeguard the ballots and make them available to any interested delegate at any time during the course of the Convention. The ballots will be destroyed at the end of the Convention.
- g. Any delegate who inspects the ballots and determines that a mistake has been made by the tellers, may bring the matter to the Convention's attention at any time. A delegate may move that a discussion of the discrepancy be placed on the Convention agenda and a simple majority vote of the delegates will be sufficient to pass the motion.

Section 8. Procedures for election of Officers

- a. Officers shall be elected in the order of Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson of Membership & Development, Deputy Chairperson of Advocacy & Public Policy, Deputy Chairperson of Campaigns & Elections one of which Deputy Chairpersons shall be elected Vice Chairperson Secretary, and Treasurer. The newly elected Chairperson shall nominate one of the newly elected Deputy Chairpersons to be Vice Chairperson. In addition, delegates may nominate one or both of the two other newly elected Deputy Chairpersons to be Vice Chairperson.
- b. After nominations have been closed, each nominee for an office will have:
  1. 2 minutes for supporting nomination/seconding speeches
  2. 3 minutes for a personal speech
  3. 2 minutes to answer questions from the floor
- c. The Chairperson will appoint a timer.
- d. The procedure for speeches will be:
  1. All nominating/seconding speeches for all candidates will be given.
  2. Then all personal speeches will be given.
  3. Then each candidate will stand before the delegates for the two minutes of questions.
- e. If, after a ballot, no candidate has attained a majority vote, all nominees who have received less than 10% of the total vote shall be struck from subsequent ballots. If, after two ballots, no candidate has attained a majority vote, the candidate with the least votes shall be struck from the subsequent ballots; this procedure shall be repeated after each ballot in which no candidate has received a majority vote, until one candidate attains a majority.

Section 9. Procedures for election of the Executive Committee

- a. Convention delegates shall elect one person to the Executive Committee from each Congressional District, plus two persons to the Executive Committee at-large. Congressional District candidates shall reside in the District they seek to represent. If after Congressional District elections, any Congressional District seat remains

unfilled, it may be filled at-large notwithstanding the residence requirement.

b. Each nominee for the Executive Committee will have a total of three minutes at his or her disposal for nomination speeches, a personal speech or for answering questions.

c. After all nominees have had an opportunity to speak, delegates will vote by writing the name of each of the nominees for whom he or she wishes to vote on the ballot provided. A delegate may not vote more than once for any nominee on any single ballot.

#### Section 10. Nomination of Candidates for Political Office

a. The order of offices for which candidates will be selected will be determined by the Executive Committee at a meeting prior to the Convention or Caucus.

b. A candidate for political office must be a member of the Party.

c. Candidates for office will be nominated from the floor.

d. After nominations are closed, each candidate will have a specified amount of time for nomination speeches and for a personal speech to the delegates. The time limits will be set by the Executive Committee at a meeting prior to the Convention or Caucus. The Chairperson will appoint a timer.

e. After all formal speeches, delegates will have an opportunity to make additional comments about candidates from the floor. Time limits on this open discussion will be set by the Executive Committee at a meeting prior to the Convention or Caucus.

f. Voting will be done in accordance with the Constitution, Article IX.

Section 11. More than one-half of the delegates registered and in attendance shall constitute a quorum for Convention business.

### **BYLAW IV: FINANCES AND ACCOUNTING**

Section 1. The fiscal year of the Party shall begin on the first day of January.

Section 2. The Executive Committee shall cause an efficient double entry system of accounts to be installed and maintained.

Section 3. All disbursements shall be made solely by check.

Section 4. The Executive Committee shall have the power to designate the depository of all funds of the Party, and shall appoint such officers and employees as in its judgment may seem advisable to deposit and withdraw funds from such depository.

Section 5. An Audit Committee shall be appointed by the Executive Committee and an audit shall be conducted prior to each regularly held State Convention.

Section 6. The Party shall incur no debt without approval of 100% of the full Membership of the Executive Committee.

### **BYLAW V: PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY**

Robert's Rules of Order, Newly Revised, shall be the parliamentary authority for all matters of procedure not specifically covered in the Constitution, Bylaws or Rules of the Party.

### **BYLAW VI: MEMBERSHIP FEES**

Fees for membership in the Party shall be set by the Executive Committee and amended from time to time as the Executive Committee deems necessary.

### **BYLAW VII: DELEGATE ELECTIONS**

Section 1. Only those persons whose application for membership to the Party has been postmarked at least one month before the first day of the Convention can be Convention delegates. The Chair of the Credentials

one month prior to the first day of the Convention can be Convention delegates. The Chair of the Credentials Committee will be in charge of informing Party members of the requirements for becoming a delegate. The Credentials Committee will determine which Party members have gained delegate status and the Committee Chair will publish the names and counties of all delegates by the beginning of the first business session.

Section 2. Delegates to the (National) Libertarian Party Convention shall include the Chairperson, if this officer so desires. Other Delegates and Alternate Delegates shall be elected in the same manner as nomination of candidates, except that additional Alternate Delegates may be selected while the National Convention is in session by majority vote of all Delegates who are registered in attendance at the Convention.

Section 3. Delegates to a Caucus of Eligible Electors shall be limited to those who possess all of the qualifications necessary to entitle him or her to be registered to vote in Iowa. The only additional limitation will be by rules set by the Executive Committee to allow the widest and fullest Libertarian representation at the Caucus. The Executive Committee shall use the Elections Laws of Iowa, especially 44.1, as guidance in these limitations.

#### **BYLAW VIII: LOCAL AFFILIATES**

The Libertarian Party of Iowa shall have the right to recognize affiliates, and develop relationships with those affiliates at the discretion of the Executive Committee. Affiliates can also petition for recognition at the annual convention, where recognition will be granted if approved by a majority of the members present. The Libertarian Party of Iowa may grant financial aid to affiliates with a 75% vote of approval by the executive committee. Affiliates shall be defined according to bylaws.

#### **BYLAW IX: MEMBERSHIP EXCEPTIONS**

Grandfathering of National Life Members: Those 13 members who currently live in Iowa that obtained a lifetime membership from the national party during the time joint state / national lifetime memberships were available shall have voting member status with the state party without the necessity of paying dues to the state party each year.

Joint Membership Rate: Any two members that share the same mailing address may obtain voting member status for the same monetary amount set for a single membership.

A special college student rate: Any number of college students in an affiliate group enrolled at the same institution may become voting members for \$50 per group, however no student shall be charged less than one-half the going rate of single membership. The money raised beyond the initial \$50 shall be used by the affiliate group. A listing of members in the affiliate group must be presented to the secretary and Deputy Chair in Charge of Memberships at least one month prior to the state convention or April 1, whichever is earlier.

#### **Adopted at the first Regular Convention of the Party on April 19, 1975**

As amended by Conventions date July 10, 1976; April 16-17, 1977; January 29, 1978; June 23, 1979; April 3, 1982; and by the Executive Committee on July 31, 1977.

Libertarian Party of Iowa dissolved in 1985; re-established in 1987.

Constitution and By-Laws adopted on April 26, 1987; amended by Conventions date November 21, 1998, May 1, 1999 and April 14, 2007.

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State of Iowa  
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Libertarian Party  
(Name of Non-Party Political Organization)

08 / 15 / 2012  
(Date of convention)

Nomination Made:

Gary Johnson  
(Nominee's name)

President  
(Name of office and district, if any)

850 C. Camino Chamisa  
(Nominee's house number and street name)

Santa Fe, NM 87501  
(Nominee's city, state and zip)

When more than one candidate has been nominated, those nominations may be added to the certificate by using a separate sheet of paper.

Type and Date of Election:

General on 11 / 06 / 2012  Special on \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_

Vacancy

Would the nominee be filling a vacancy due to the death, resignation, removal, or temporary appointment of an office holder?  No  Yes

Central Committee

The names and addresses of all members of the executive or central committee of this organization must be listed below.

Edward B. Wright 1796 Hwy 25 Guthrie Center, Ia 50115  
Name House number and street name City, state, zip

Eric Cooper 902 Burnett Ave Ames, Ia 50010  
Name House number and street name City, state, zip

Tim Hird 3119 E. Diehl Ave. Des Moines, Ia 50320  
Name House number and street name City, state, zip

Casy Head 2705 Walnut St. West Des Moines, Ia 502  
Name House number and street name City, state, zip

Kevin Litten 6607 Kiowa Trace NE Cedar Rapids, Ia 52411  
Name House number and street name City, state, zip

Chris Peters 26 Forest Hill Pl. NE Iowa City, Ia 52240  
Name House number and street name City, state, zip

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# State of Iowa Non-Party Political Organization Convention **Certificate of Nomination**

2012 AUG 17  
SECRETARY OF STATE

Libertarian Party  
(Name of Non-Party Political Organization)

08 / 15 / 2012  
(Date of convention)

**Nomination Made:**

James P. Gray  
(Nominee's name)

Vice President  
(Name of office and district, if any)

2531 Crestview Dr.  
(Nominee's house number and street name)

Newport Beach, Ca 92663  
(Nominee's city, state and zip)

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**Type and Date of Election:**

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**Vacancy**

Would the nominee be filling a vacancy due to the death, resignation, removal, or temporary appointment of an office holder?      No      Yes

**Central Committee**

The names and addresses of all members of the executive or central committee of this organization must be listed below.

<u>Keith Laube</u>	<u>2191 W 32nd St. N</u>	<u>Newton, Ia 50208</u>
Name	House number and street name	City, state, zip
<u>Rose Maggie Field</u>	<u>500 Park Ave.</u>	<u>Des Moines, Ia 50315</u>
Name	House number and street name	City, state, zip
<u>Gary Sicard</u>	<u>585 Brougham Rd.</u>	<u>Robins, Ia 52328</u>
Name	House number and street name	City, state, zip
<u>CJ Flynn</u>	<u>2030 Litchfield Dr.</u>	<u>Hiawatha, Ia 52233</u>
Name	House number and street name	City, state, zip
<u>Lynn Gentry</u>	<u>3120 Kingsley Ave.</u>	<u>Rockwell City, Ia 50579</u>
Name	House number and street name	City, state, zip

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Filling Vacancies

List this organization's provisions for filling vacancies in nominations (if any) below:

Substitution policy on file with Iowa Secretary of State, update provided at this filing.

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Affidavits of Candidacy

Affidavits of Candidacy for all candidates named on this certificate must be filed with the Certificate of Nomination. If a candidate fails to file an affidavit before the filing deadline, the candidate's name will not appear on the ballot. The affidavit of candidacy appears on page 3.

Attendance List

A list showing the names and addresses of each delegate in attendance at this convention must be included in this certificate. The attendance list form appears on page 4.

*Affidavit of the Chairperson and Secretary*

We, the undersigned Chairperson and Secretary of the convention of the Libertarian Party  
(Name of non-party political organization)  
Non-Party Political Organization, hereby certify that this Certificate of Nomination is a true record of the proceedings of the Convention of this Non-Party Political Organization.

Edward B. Wright  
Convention Chairperson's Name

Casey Head  
Convention Secretary's Name

1796 Hwy 25  
House Number and Street Name

2705 Walnut St.  
House Number and Street Name

Guthrie Center, IA 50115  
City, State, Zip

West Des Moines, Ia 50265  
City, State, Zip

(Must be signed in the presence of a notary)

X Edward B. Wright  
(Signature of Chairperson)

X [Signature]  
(Signature of Secretary)

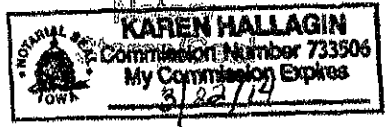
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State of IA County of Dallas Signed and sworn (or affirmed) before me on: 8/15/12  
(Date)

By the Chairperson, Edward B. Wright and Secretary Casey Head  
(print name of chairperson) (print name of secretary)

of the convention of the Libertarian Party Non-Party Political Organization.  
(Name of Non-Party Political Organization)

X [Signature]  
(Signature of Notary Public)





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State of Iowa Affidavit of Candidacy

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Candidate's Name (exactly as it should appear on the ballot - no titles, parentheses, or quotation marks):

Gary Johnson IOWA SECRETARY OF STATE

SECRETARY OF STATE IOWA

Candidate's Name Sounds Like (phonetic spelling):

Office Sought: President District or Ward (if any):

Vacancy - Is the candidate running to fill a vacancy due to the death, resignation, removal, or temporary appointment of an office holder? [ ] Yes [X] No

Type and Date of Election:

[ ] Primary on \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ [X] General on 11/6/2012 [ ] City on \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ [ ] School on \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ [ ] Special on \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Candidate's Affiliation (only complete for partisan offices or Ch. 44 city nominations):

[ ] Democratic [ ] Republican [ ] Not affiliated with any organization ("Nominated by Petition" will be listed with the candidate's name on the ballot.) [X] Name of Non-Party Political Organization: Libertarian Party No more than 5 words and exactly as it should appear on the ballot.

Candidate's Home Address:

850 C. Camino Chamisa Santa Fe NM 87501 Street (no P.O. boxes) City State Zip County

Candidate's Mailing Address (if different than above):

Street City State Zip County

Candidate's Phone: 505-270-0307 Email: g.e.jerik@hotmail.com

Candidate's Affirmation

I swear (or affirm) that the information provided on this form is correct. I will be qualified to hold this office and if I am elected, I will qualify by taking the oath of office. I know that I cannot hold public office if I have been convicted of a felony or other infamous crime and my rights have not been restored by the governor or by the president of the United States.

I know that I am required to organize a candidate's committee, which shall file an organization statement and disclosure reports if I (or my committee) receive contributions, make expenditures, or incur indebtedness in excess of \$750 in a calendar year for the purpose of supporting my candidacy for public office. (This does not apply to candidates for federal office.)

I know that I cannot be a candidate for more than one office to be filled at this election (except in the case of county agricultural extension council or soil and water conservation district commission).

Candidate's Signature: Gary Johnson Must be signed in the presence of a notary.

Notary Public section for KENNY BARLOW, NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF UTAH, COMMISSION# 577644, COMM. EXP. 02-06-2013. Includes state of UT, county of UTAH, date 6/4/2012, and candidate name GARY JOHNSON.

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Candidate's Name (exactly as it should appear on the ballot - no titles, parentheses, or quotation marks):  
JAMES P. GRAY 2012 AUG 17 AM 10:52 2012 AUG 17 PM 1:46

Candidate's Name Sounds Like (phonetic spelling): SECRETARY OF STATE IOWA SECRETARY OF STATE IOWA

Office Sought: VICE PRESIDENT OF U.S. District or Ward (if any): IOWA

Vacancy - Is the candidate running to fill a vacancy due to the death, resignation, removal, or temporary appointment of an office holder?  Yes  No

Type and Date of Election:

Primary on \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_  General on 11/6/12  City on \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_  
 School on \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_  Special on \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Candidate's Affiliation (only complete for partisan offices or Ch. 44 city nominations):

Democratic  Republican  LIBERTARIAN  
 Not affiliated with any organization ("Nominated by Petition" will be listed with the candidate's name on the ballot.)  
 Name of Non-Party Political Organization: Libertarian Party  
No more than 5 words and exactly as it should appear on the ballot.

Candidate's Home Address:

2531 CRESTVIEW DR. NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92663 ORANGE  
Street (no P.O. boxes) City State Zip County

Candidate's Mailing Address (if different than above):

Street City State Zip County

Candidate's Phone: 714 328-8829 Email: JIM P GRAY @ SBC660542.NET

Candidate's Affirmation

I swear (or affirm) that the information provided on this form is correct. I will be qualified to hold this office and if I am elected, I will qualify by taking the oath of office. I know that I cannot hold public office if I have been convicted of a felony or other infamous crime and my rights have not been restored by the governor or by the president of the United States.

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Candidate's Signature: James P. Gray  
Must be signed in the presence of a notary.

State of: California County of: Orange

Signed and sworn (or affirmed) before me on date of: June 22, 2012

By: James P. Gray  
Print Candidate's Name

Notary Signature: Mike Soliman

(Seal)

MIKE SOLIMAN  
COMM. #1902238  
NOTARY PUBLIC - CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF ORANGE  
My Comm. Expires August 30, 2014

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Name of Candidate for President: Gary Johnson

Name of Candidate for Vice President: James P. Gray

Name of Political Party or Non-Party Political Organization (if any): Libertarian Party

First District Elector: Gary Sicard

Address: 585 Brougham Rd Robins IA 52328  
House Number and Street City State Zip

Second District Elector: Joseph Dobrian

Address: 1015 2nd Ave Iowa City IA 52240  
House Number and Street City State Zip

Third District Elector: Rose Field

Address: 500 Park Ave Des Moines IA 50315  
House Number and Street City State Zip

Fourth District Elector: Lynne Gentry

Address: 3120 Kingley Ave Rockwell City IA 50579  
House Number and Street City State Zip

At-Large District Elector: Timothy Hird

Address: 3119 E Diehl Ave. Des Moines IA 50320  
House Number and Street City State Zip

At-Large District Elector: Ed Wright

Address: 1796 Hwy 25 Guthrie Center IA 50115  
House Number and Street City State Zip

I hereby certify that this is a complete list of the candidates for presidential electors for the candidates for President and Vice President named above.  
Submitted by (printed name): Edward B. Wright Title: Chair, Libertarian Party of Iowa  
Signed: Edward B. Wright Date: August 13, 2012

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Edward B. Wright

Chair, Libertarian Party of Iowa

1796 Highway 25

Guthrie Center, Ia 50115

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August 13, 2012

Matt Schultz, Iowa Secretary of State

321 E. 12<sup>th</sup> St. Lucas Bldg, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor

Des Moines, Ia 50319

Dear Mr Schultz,

A description of the method that the Libertarian Party of Iowa ("LPIA") will follow to fill a vacancy in case of death, disability, withdrawal, or disqualification of a Candidate who was nominated by Petition is as follows:

In the case of death or disability of the Candidate, the LPIA Chair is authorized to write a letter to the Iowa Secretary of State informing of the death or disability of the Candidate and placing a substitute in the Candidate's place.


In the case of withdrawal of a Candidate, The Candidate (or their legal representative, if the Candidate is Unable to write or sign the letter) will write and sign a letter to the Iowa Secretary of State with the name of the Substitute included.

In the case of disqualification, a letter by the LPIA Chair will be addressed to the Iowa Secretary of State describing the reason for disqualification of the Candidate and naming a substitute Candidate.

In the case that the LPIA Chair is the Candidate creating the necessary substitution, then the LPIA Vice Chair or LPIA Deputy Chair-Campaigns and Elections will sign the substitution letter in the Chair's place.

Sincerely,

  
Edward B. Wright-LPIA Chair

  
Kevin Litten-LPIA Secretary

State of Iowa

List of Delegates In Attendance at a Non-Party Political Organization Convention

Libertarian Party  
(Name of Non-Party Political Organization)

08/15/2012  
(Date of Convention)

Name of delegate	Street name and house number	City	Zip code
1. <del>Burke</del>	200 10 <sup>th</sup> Ave	Slater	50249
2. ALEXIS NELSON	4203 SW 7th St	Des Moines	50318
3. JESSICA GUILD	1202 NW 93rd Ct	Clive	50325
4. Taylor Farman	1035 16 <sup>th</sup> Ave N.	Fort Dodge	50501
5. Emily Probst	96 Oak Lake Dr.	Algona	50511
6. <del>Mitchell</del>	1512 NW 109 <sup>th</sup> St.	Clive	50235
7. Thomas Doherty	1511 NW 109 <sup>th</sup> St	Clive	50235
8. Dwight Sunderman	601 East St.	Corning	50841
9. Hayley Rankin	714 Grimes St.	Pleasantville	50225
10. Ciara McCarty	608 Maple Shilling, ISU	Ames	50012
11. Samantha Witzel	235 E Walnut <del>St</del>	Marion	50456
12. KIMBERLY LIGHT	4965 FLOWER ST.	COLFAX	50054
13. JEFF LIGHT	4965 FLOWER ST.	COLFAX	50054
14. Madison Eley	6212 South Pearl	Zearing	50278
15. Ashlyn Eley	14167-770 <sup>th</sup> Ave	Zearing	50278
16. <del>Martin</del>	301 West 9th	Atlantic	50022
17. <del>Rachel</del>	1613 Ira Ave	Storm Lake	50588
18. <del>John</del>	5400 Hwy 117	COLFAX	50054
19. Logan Bird	512 N 15 Ave E	Colfax	50206
20. Kyle Vanderley	26142 M Ave	Hubbard	50222

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Name of delegate	Street name and house number	City	Zip code
1. Frank E Ray II	2227 Park Ave.	DSM IA.	50312
2. Ra + 2 hony	402 Rancel drive	DSM	50310
3. Sarah Wright	214 Ave M West	Frederick, IA	50501
4. KATHY JOERSON	402 N. THORNTON	Adrian, IA	50511
5. Jena Jochner	1116 18th Street	West Des Moines	50265
6. David Lang	8019 Maple Dr.	Urbandale	50322
7. Stacey Matthews	24650 Elthon Place	Swan	50250
8. Taylor Donger	4459 Wilson Johnson	Ames	50010
9. Michelle Van Lon	4864 620th Ave	Roland	50236
10. Caitlan Ringgenberg	803 Michaels Dr	Colo	50036
11. Hannah Moulds	5200 Panorama Dr.	PANDORA	50216
12. Chase Eves	306 W 9th	Atlantic	50022
13. Jacob H. Hagg	306 W 9th	Atlantic	50022
14. Ruben Gomez	772 <sup>19 South 17 Street</sup> <del>19 South 17 Street</del>	Council Bluffs	51501
15. B. V. K.	279 Haywood Dr.	Jones City	52245
16. Chris Hill	1003 N. Adams	Carroll	51401
17. David	3963 Woodland Ave	West Des Moines	50260
18. M. J. Mc	2109 Holiday Rd	Coralville, IA	52241
19. Israel Ocampo	4010 Hubbell AV	Des Moines	50317
20. Bob Humberich	2892 270th	Mahtomah	50158

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1. Chawn McGrath	34800 Wilson Hewitt	Ames	50012
2. Randy Lenorz	2132 Sunset Drive	Ames	50014
3. Clark S. Hiver	9551 Astor LN	Johnston	50131
4. Sma Faulk	420 Main Street	La Porte City	50651
5. Haley Stoeffler	903 6th street	Celo, IA	50026
6. Bailey M. Allister	408 Second Street	Jamaica	50128
7. Emilia Oikaris	485 Welch Ave.	Ames	50014
8. Jamie Williams	33 N. Wisconsin St.	Hubbard	50122
9. Taylor Lawrence	2666 Idewood Rd	McClelland	51548
10. Alisha Sena	829 Ohio St	Iowa City	52246
11. Joe Barnett	829 Ohio St.	Iowa City	52246
12. Brad Steff	1913 Jon Ave	Carroll	51401
13. Anna Mulfublar	102 Bayview St	Storm Lake	50588
14. <del>Christie</del> Darnell	2807 Husky (179)	Colfax	50004
15. Ellen Miller	1019 W 85th St S	Colfax	50054
16. Amy Greene	1217 280th St	Deep River	52222
17. Howard Greene	1217 280th St	''	''
18. Don Vandenberg	29th & DSM	DSM	50310
19. Paulen A. Wood	4010 Hubbell Ave	Des Moines	50317
20. Rhonda Kendrick	2892 270th St	Winterset	50158

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1. Kara Ann Munson	6000 E 77th St South	Newton	50208
2. <del>Boris Turner</del>	15 <sup>th</sup> 212 16 <sup>th</sup> St SE	Spencer IA	52245
3. <del>Ann Martin</del>	26189 18 <sup>th</sup> Ave	DeWain IA	52550
4. <del>Bruce</del>	2776 Marsh Ave	Haverhill	50120
5. <del>Mary C Johnson</del>	6838 7th	DSM	50323
6. Robin Taylor	14811 Oakwood Ct	Urbandale	50323
7. Wendy Edwards	1535 23 <sup>rd</sup>	DSM	50311
8. Jessica Sparks	412 Moresen Rd	Ames	50014
9. <del>Ann Foberg</del>	835 5 <sup>th</sup> NE 38 <sup>th</sup> Ave	Altoona	50009
10. <del>Hawen Thompson</del>	1120 Burnham Ave.	Des Moines Ia	50315
11. <del>Donnie Thom</del>	1150 Burnham Ave	DSM IA	50315
12. <del>Scott Freeman</del>	7128 Hickory Lane	Urbandale, IA	50322
13. Riley Pickard	4490 Cameron Swing	Present Hill, IA	50527
14. Kate Junk	3107 SE 22nd St	Ankeny, IA	50021
15. <del>Overett Ogden</del>	4426 110 <sup>th</sup> St	Malcom, IA	50157
16. <del>Ann Schroeder</del>	114 S. Hyland #5	Ames IA	50014
17. <del>Marcy Dunifer</del>	RD Emerson Hwy	Newton, IA	50208
18. <del>Maura Bugard</del>	405 Fowler lane	Ackley, IA	50001
19. Glare Williams	733 V Avenue	Ames, IA	50014
20. <del>Kaomi Mattila</del>	617 Maple St.	Huxley IA	50124

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1. Britni Wessner	401 Maplewood Rd Ames IA	Ames	5024
2. Steve Long	409 Broadway Brooklyn IA	Brooklyn	52211
3. Tiffany Renaud	1309 NW Plymouth Ankeny IA	Ankeny	50023
4. David Hornbeak	532 6th St WDSM	WDSM	50265
5. Sandy Gilmore	4206 Beaver Crest Dr DM	DM	50310
6. Caitlyn Carmichael	1500 Hull Ave. Suites Des Moines	Des Moines	50317
7. Kelly Sutton	323 33rd St DM	DM	50312
8. Robert W. Woodson	504 4th St Williams	Williams	50271
9. Sarah Hanson	1118 7th St Nevada	Nevada	50201
10. Balli Kerns	215 W 20th St Cedar Falls	Cedar Falls	5
11. Nelli Cori	215 E. 6th St. Madrid Madrid	Madrid	51106
12. Jessica Blum	4145 4th St DSM IA	DSM IA	50313
13. Kendall Davis	902 Ranchel Dr DSM IA	DSM IA	50320
14. Gary Miller	201 45th Pl DSM IA	DSM IA	50325
15. Audrey Ekle	802 West Taylor Farmingdale IA	Farmingdale IA	52556
16. Niambi Lyons	1009 NE Grant St #301 Ankeny IA	Ankeny IA	50021
17. Christine Koch	5535 Vista Dr West Des Moines IA	West Des Moines IA	50261
18. Peyton Martin	706 E. 6th St S Newton IA	Newton IA	50208
19. Cory Schuman	401 1st Steamboat Rock IA	Steamboat Rock IA	50622
20. Tom Schuman	407 1st Steamboat Rock IA	Steamboat Rock IA	50620

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1. LAURENCE SPANIER	204 N Broadway	Waveridge	52635
2. Lisa Buhler	401 W Washington	Fairfield	52535
3. Deb Kordas	609 W 2nd St	Town	52579
4. Kim Dani	PO Box 8 3101 Main St	Boonville	20038
5. ASHLEY WHIPPLE	10 WATSON ST	NEVADA	50201
6. Donna Willesen	2211 E 12th St	Des Moines	50316
7. Barbara Koffman	214 A Ave West	Albia	52333
8. Valerie Wedel	2814 E Walnut St	Des Moines	50317
9. Susan Carrigan	165 Willow Rdg	ATOONA	50009
10. Eric Taylor	537 16th St	WDM	50265
11. Kim Smith	2262 ROSE RD	Madrid	50156
12. Maribeth	127 Main	Hudson	50643
13. Marie Krol	19263 Hillside Ave	Council Bluffs	51503
14. Deb Trickey	250th St	State Ctr	50247
15. Sara Adams	1433 Elm St.	Grinnell	50112
16. Taylor Snow	916 Walnut St	Cedar Falls	50603
17. Lauren Hill	102 East Garfield St	Chanda, IA	51632
18. Terry Wagner	1431 190th	Tipton	52770
19. Luther Friedrich	2223 E Ave	Perry	50222
20. Phil Bowen	230 South Main St	OSCEOLA	50215

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1. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	2157 Jefferson Ave	Birmingham	52535
2. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	802 West Taylor	Eastfield	52536
3. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	300 A 27th St	Des Moines	5031
4. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	609 W. 9th St	TAMA, IA	52339
5. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	609 W 9th St	Tama IA	52339
6. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	PO Box 8 3101 Main St	Booneville Barnes	52038
7. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	102 Ansel St	Ames	50210
8. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	537 1/2 St	WDM	50265
9. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	main st.	LOST NATION	52254
10. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	1700 Oakland Ave	DSM	50314
11. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	2262 Rose Rd	Madrid	50150
12. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	127 Main St	Hudson	50643
13. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	25 Arnold	Co Bluffs	51503
14. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	165 52nd Street	WDM	50265
15. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	5 N. Ave #5	NEVADA	50201
16. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	1107 Lake Shore Dr	Altova	50002
17. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	11600 North Tama	Cedar Rapids	52404
18. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	55709 Oak Bend Rd	Huxley, IA	50124
19. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	911 Sharp St.	Glenwood	51534
20. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	2373 57th St	Muscatine IA	52701

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1. Thomas Einsinger	904 N Broadway St	Leokale	57635
2. Jeff Duff	6820 Holcomb Ave. Apt 9	Urbanville	5532
3. Brianna Hold	1300 E 27th St	Des Moines	50319
4. Kelli Kuase	102 Watson	Nevada	50201
5. John Koffman	214 A Ave west	Albia	52531
6. Samantha Frank	725 Westridge Rd.	Ft. Dodge	50501
7. Matt Frank	725 Westridge Rd.	Ft. Dodge	50501
8. Serena Meckel	725 Westridge Rd	Ft. Dodge	50501
9. Kathy Wegman	Stange Rd	Ames	50510
10. Tabitha Wegman	Stange Rd.	Ames	50510
11. Holly Johnson	1537 9th St.	Des Moines	50314
12. Nike Groves	609 N. Street Dallas, TX	Dallas, TX Center	50062
13. Nicole Groves	112 NE 3rd St	Dallas, TX center	50062
14. Dolores KRAL	19263 GILLIAT AVE	CO. BEAVERS	51603
15. Brett Johnson	1770 92nd St. Apt. 208	WDM	50206
16. Gerald A. Lewis	1433 Elm Street	Grantville	5012
17. Christy Duff	1204 Jordan Ave	Casey	50048
18. Marc Kump	2170 2005T	Washington	52352
19. William Thompson	1000 N. 11th St	Mininda	51032
20. Rob Wagner	1431 19th St.	Casey	50048

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1. Tammy Skokan	409 MARCO MINDO ZA	WINDO	51551
2. Sue A. Christ	5700 63 <sup>rd</sup> Ave West	Muscatine	52761
3. Deb Grimm	1270 S 10th AVE ENT	Newton	50209
4. Shelley Klingsporn	305 W. Main St.	Carlman	50106
5. Lee Tynes	15212 165 <sup>th</sup>	Des Moines	52622
6. Kayla Benedict	523 S. 2nd Ave Danville, IA 52623	Danville	52623
7. Christian Goodman	2776 Marsh Ave.	Haverhill	50120
8. Jenna Muehno	2808 University	DSM	50311
9. Bill Taylor	319 SE Harvest Park Dr	Harvey	50323
10. Resha Mitchell	1535 23 <sup>rd</sup> St. DSM, IA 50311	Des Moines	50311
11. Jauge Sutton	10 Maple Ave. #337	Nevada	50501
12. Misty Mann	19882 Imperial Rd.	West Union	52175
13. Janet Freeman	7128 Victory Lane	Urbandale	50322
14. Dan Corning	215 E. 6 <sup>th</sup> St	Madison	50156
15. Antonia Lusso	1668 40th St BSA	Des Moines	50312
16. Marilyn Ekle	31827 Hwy 2	Farmington IA	
17. Deanna Schmidt	407 1 <sup>st</sup> Street	Steensville IA	
18. [Signature]	106 College drive	Marshalltown IA	
19. [Signature]	4225 Village Ln.	WDM.	IA
20. [Signature]	17465 Royal Ave.	Clarksville IA	

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1. Karlynn Hines	412 Spruce Ave SW	Mitochondville	50169
2. Ethan Schneider	806 Colorado St	Glidden	51443
3. Sherrilee	1422 Maple St	Ottumwa IA	52501
4. Zoe McDowell	201 Lincoln St	Pulaski IA	52589
5. Jacqueline Otto	1942 Maple St.	Ottumwa	52501
6. Josh Miller	12160 120 <sup>th</sup> Ave	Ottumwa	52501
7. Kim Bochman	1711 Shambrock Dr	NE Cedar Rapids	52402
8. Jill Grossman	3025 230 Wicks Dr	Glidden	
9. Nancy Salvey	6905 NE 15 <sup>th</sup> Ave	Oakbridge	50096
10. Nancy Hansen	209 Pine St	Waverly IA	50157
11. Colleen	1148 Beach St	Waverly IA	50157
12. Bob Annas	3927 Rth St	Des Moines IA	50315
13. Bob Probert	2132 E 36 <sup>th</sup>	DM, IA	50317
14. Leah Traillard	2424 Poplar Ave	Duncombe IA	52532
15. Bob Kraus	603 Tennyson	Shalford IA	50249
16. Mark Robery	N. E. Lynn Lib. Ia		52316
17. L. H.	1143 310 <sup>th</sup> St.	East Grove	50533
18. Sh. J.	652301 Rittenberg	Des Moines	50320
19. Beulah L. Lufkin	51 S. Tennessee Pl	Mason City	50171
20. Dawn L.	309 E. Church St.	Panora	50216

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1. DANIEL CARTER	13185 KIRKENDALL RD.	BURLINGTON	52601
2. Cheryl Green	905 Coe	Adel	52007
3. Connor Keenan	812 STAVE	Perry	50220
4. Brandon Bode	2304 24th Ave	Wesley	50483
5. Paul [unclear]	3713 Birch Hill	Waukee	50701
6. Sam Hoyer		Waukegan	50322
7. Nicole Kasper	24342 Union Ave.	Glidden IA	51443
8. [unclear]	2651 WHITE AVE	OCHOTWON IA	51354
9. Terrell Murphy	1351 Casady Dr	Norwalk	50211
10. Kelly Kohl	562 Baker Ave	Lisbon	52253
11. [unclear]	1120 44th Street	Grimes	
12. [unclear]	2007 E 37th St.	DSM	50317
13. Kassandra Johnson	4115 Webster St	DSM	50317
14. Brandon Scott	3227 Pioneer Ave.	Cedar Rapids	52402
15. Mather Dennis	3939 E. 23rd St Apts	DEG MOUIS	50317
16. Jesse Bell	35 Sunny Circle	Mason	50401
17. Becca McDaniel	195 Schmocks	Ankeny	50623
18. [unclear]	2570 [unclear] St	Davenport IA	
19. [unclear]	9475 Ne. 442	Bonnet IA	
20. [unclear]	661 [unclear] St	[unclear] IA	

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1. Danielle Creese	44504 730th St. Ute IA	Ute	51060
2. Charles Hawley	3281 Z Ave	Wesl	51465
3. Amber Stoller	5411 Ponderosa Dr.	WDM	50266
4. <del>Debita</del>	3211 Scott	DSM	50310
5. Brad Woots	8601 Westman Plany	MM	50266
6. Lynn	27449 280th Street	Dallas Center	50003
7. Rosalyn Thompson	805 1st Ave <sup>Britt, IA</sup>	BRITT	50427
8. Chris Rajak	4021 Ingersoll Ave	DSM	50312
9. Aimee Wenger	4021 Ingersoll Ave	DSM	50312
10. Sarah Malenburg	7104 Carrol Dr	Urbandale	50322
11. Dan Buss	PO Box 358	aman	50563
12. Connie Porter	11067 S. 57th Ave W	Nowata	50288
13. Brett Ohm	1059 S 47th Ave	Waukegan	51059
14. Nancy Hindaman	1001 1st Ave	Coalbridge	50047
15. Chelsea Brooks	412 S. Dodge St.	Iowa City	52240
16. Crystal Faust	3185 11th Ave	Main, IA	50002
17. <del>John</del>	4001 W Main	Rhodes IA	50234
18. Keshia Oke	404 N Main	Rhodes IA	50234
19. Rose Dawn	AKA	DSM IA	50312
20. <del>John</del>	P.O. Box 136	IA	50005

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1. Dave Jensen	205 N 9th St	Eddyville	52553
2. <del>Walter</del>	2033 Frikey Rd	Ames	50214
3. Charles Probst	300 6th	Lohrville	51453
4. Dorena Delsen	908 NW Norton	Grimes	50111
5. Howard Deuch	0331 295th St	Jewell	50150
6. <del>Karen</del>	PO BOX 114	Grinnell	51443
7. <del>Walter</del>	2 Maple Ave	Linn	50159
8. Austin Wile	114 Billy Sunday Dr #305	Ames	50010
9. Lisa Mooney	360 SE Gateway Dr Apt 2	Grimes	50111
10. Ashley Miller	416 3rd St. WDM	WDM	50268
11. Mary A Watts	295 2nd Ave	Melrose	50151
12. <del>Walter</del>	401 W Main St	LeGrand	50142
13. <del>Walter</del>	2801 Sergeant Rd	Scenic City	51106
14. <del>Walter</del>	1217 UNION St	Boone	50036
15. <del>Walter</del>	14553 Bell Ave	Licentle	50411
16. Scarlett Merrifield	1014 E Boulder	DSM	50320
17. F.M. BRUND	509 28th CT	WDM	50265
18. <del>Walter</del>	7897 Nth Ave Tr	Bella Plain Ia	52208
19. <del>Walter</del>	2530 280th St	Marshalltown	50155
20. <del>Walter</del>	4386 10th	Mt. Pleasant	50157

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1. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	103 E. North St	Monkema	50711
2. Sara Galenbeck	125 SW 51 <sup>st</sup> Street	DES MOINES	50312
3. Diana Jackson	217 E Sycamore St	St Charles	50240
4. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	148 Highland Ave	<i>[Handwritten City]</i>	52571
5. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	1707 Oak St.	Deer Creek Center	50115
6. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	P.O. Box 98	Newhall IA	52315
7. Sue Carter	RR #1 Rummells, T. A	Rummells IA	50237
8. Dave Carter	897 SE 108th St R4	Rummells IA	50237
9. Lyn Anstey	421 42nd St #1	Des Moines	50312
10. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	2774 Kellogg Ames IA	Ames	50010
11. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	12721 Fossil Trail N	Indianola	50125
12. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	9802 County Rd X40	Anamosa	52205
13. Emma Booc	P.O. Box 47C	Jewell	50130
14. Sarah Blanchard	1330 E 12th St N	Newton	50208
15. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	911 NE 100th St	Rummells	50237
16. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	7502 SW 13th	Des Moines	50311
17. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	24 NE 66th Ave	Des Moines	50313
18. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	508 Retail Street	Maxwell	50161
19. Cade Hub	1083 V Ave	Buckingham	50612
20. <i>[Handwritten Name]</i>	1216 S Fred	Delwood	50662

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1. Bobi Wihs	8601 Westmapleway	WDSM	50266
2. Matthew Foy	27449 23 <sup>rd</sup> St.	Dallas Center	50063
3. John Engquist	805 1st Ave N.W	Britt	50423
4. Nancy Martin	1120 26 <sup>th</sup> St. #10	Des Moines	50311
5. Megan McLaughlin	4023 Woodland Ave #8	WDM, IA	50266
6. Rebekka Hansel	16109 Tanglewood	Urbandale IA	50323
7. Audra McKinnon	128 7 <sup>th</sup> Ave N.	FDodge, IA	50501
8. Jerry Allen	17893 FA Ave	Perry Ia	50220
9. Heri Carpenter	102 N 16 <sup>th</sup> Ave W.	Newton	50208
10. Jamie Ohm	1879 S. 4 <sup>th</sup> Ave	New Hampton	50657
11. Sam K. Brink	1000 Vet. Men. Dr	Cashton	50047
12. Maddy E. S.	626 S. VAN BUREN ST	MULT CITY	52242
13. Stephanie Nibaur	10101 175 <sup>th</sup> St.	Elma	50608
14. Lisa Wes	214 NW Springbrook Ct	Ankeny	52023
15. Kristi Marticoff	609 East View Dr.	Readdy, IA	50468
16. Chelsea Coore	1847 720 <sup>th</sup> Ave	Albia IA	52531
17. Gary Criswell	1770 9 <sup>th</sup> St. #9102	WDM, IA	50266
18. Denise Berbet	300 6 <sup>th</sup> St	Lohrville IA	51453
19. Debrae Jung	11687 185 <sup>th</sup>	Creston, IA	50801
20. Megan Ber	23224 Union Ave	Gridden	51413

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1. Jeff Clingan	1208 upland Lane	Vernon	50261
2. Jackie Orton	3245 Clanton Creek Ln	Lorimer	50149
3. Jerry Orton	"	"	50149
4. Kalena Middelborg	614 Billy Sunday Rd. #308	Ames	50010
5. <del>Michelle Goodwin</del>	415 N 9th St	Marshalltown	50158
6. <del>Andrew Jackson</del>	3815 6 <sup>th</sup> Ave	Jones City	51106
7. Johnny Nelson	5621 Raintree Dr.	W. Des Moines	50265
8. Ryan Nabeboom	"	"	"
9. Naomi Waldo	1217 Union	Boone	50036
10. Pat Schumann	2031 50th St	Reeville	50466
11. Lindsay Tinnay	615 Greenfield PKWY	Des Moines	50320
12. Ron Grier	0816 St	Lecore	50851
13. Maddie Bonito	513 58th St	WDM	50265
14. Christa Crossett	160 Railroad St	Riverside	52327
15. Alice Schirer	115 8th Ave	Griannel	50112
16. <del>Michelle Goodwin</del>	145 Medway	Clarinda	51632
17. Dawn Wall	1494 Juniper Ave	Clarinda, IA	51632
18. Keri Wheat	607 N. 18th	Clarinda, IA	51632
19. Keri Wheat	617 N 18th	Clarinda, IA	51632
20. <del>Michelle Goodwin</del>	Rd 98 200 main	Neshville, IA	52315

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1. Carisa Cavanaugh	2413 14th St. SW	Altoona	50009
2. Elyn Mekety	1800 Grand	WDM	50265
3. Brian Snider	2724 Kellogg Ave	Ames	50010
4. Jennifer Fry	1107 N. 8th Ave #11	Winterset	50773
5. Natasha Ahmed	625 W 8th Vista Dr. #1120	WDM	50266
6. Carolyn Brode	804 North US St	Indianola	50125
7. Jessica Palmer	22105 Pleasanton Rd	Wear	50144
8. William Boos	PO Box 170	Jewell	50130
9. Paul Blumh	1330 E 12th St N	New Town	50298
10. Mike photo	91 N.E 100th	Runnells	52237
11. David Tombsa	7502 SW 13th	Asm	50315
12. Nancy Campbell	24 NE 60th Ave.	Dora	50813
13. MIRA M... MIRA M...	508 Metcalf St.	Waukegan	50161
14. Kelly Lavett	Spoonbill Ct.	Marion	52307
15. Kelly W...	- W. 14th St	Cedar Falls	50613
16. Brian F...	1077 U Ave Burlington IA 50612	Burlington	50612
17. Patricia A. Ballard	P.O. Box 43 Hinman Iowa		52233
18. M...	2525 County King Rd #77	Des Moines	50321
19. Mara ...	2620 260th St	Readlyn	50668
20. Michael ...	4725 ... Ave	Decorah	50562

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1. <u>Jeanis Stevens</u>	2801 East Walnut Street	Des Moines	50315
2. <u>Bethany Hines</u>	203 NW College Ave	Ankeny	50022
3. <u>Erica Devine</u>	2614 Hillside Dr	IC	52245
4. <u>Connie Wams</u>	1944 E 29th	DM	50317
5. <u>Mark Wause</u>	" "	" "	" "
6. <u>Gary L Miller</u>	412 F STREET <sup>WEST AMAIVA FOUN</sup>	Lorimar	52203
7. <u>Andrea Smith</u>	404 First <del>LOTIFORD</del>		50149
8. <u>Dana Howard</u>	125 Campus Ave	Ames	50010
9. <u>Bell (Conn)</u>	310 Jefferson	Bloomfield	52507
10. <u>Kate Claypool</u>	22025-230th Ave	Sigourney	52591
11. <u>Ric Miller</u>	12160 120th Ave	Ottumwa	52588
12. <u>Alyssa Bachman</u>	4733 Woodview Dr. NE	Cedar Rapids	52411
13. <u>Lorin Long</u>	20 So. Vermont	Maum City	50401
14. <u>Paula Beisel</u>	3025 230th St	Gridden	51443
15. <u>Wendy Crossman</u>	30215 230th St	Gridden	51443
16. <u>Amanda Dillix</u>	Bx17	Shekell	50243
17. <u>Duffin</u>	508 Oliphant St	West Branch	52358
18. <u>Kathy Munen</u>	4401 Pecanut St.	West Des Moines	50266
19. <u>Kim Schmitz</u>	9404 Galleria Dr	Johnston	50131
20. <u>Dan Button</u>	1216 GROVE	ADEL	50003

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1. Haley Norcull	514 E. Madison	Knoxville	50138
2. Jared Gennis	3731 E Euclid	Des Moines	50313
3. Matt Skott	2424 Poplar Ave	Diacombe	50535
4. Tony D. Cole	405 Alford St	Stanhope	50246
5. Ricky Jones	2237 Rehit Rd	Oxford	52322
6. Al Jones	16276 Fremont	Arden	51436
7. Anne Linn	P.O. Box 304	Marshalltown	50158
8. Matt Skott	22307 Pisaluna	DSM	50315
9. David Lutz	24 Cedar Terrace Charles City Iowa	Charles City	
10. Nicole West	3179 150th Street	Yale	50271
11. Ryan West	309 East Church St.	Panora	50216
12. Levi Halling	17458 G AVE	Perry	50220
13. Jake Poffner	Iowa	Des Moines	50313
14. Sarah Patterson	905 W Benton St.	<del>IB</del> Iowa City	?
15. Carlton McCord	P.O. Box 151	Worona	52501
16. Beth Adams	2529 Eddie St	Cedar Falls	50613
17. Nikki Panze	32315 250th St	Glidden	51914
18. Ann Bond	1515 Wessling	Webster	50598
19. Arlin Blaker	175 E. 8th St	Harley	51346
20. Anna Murphy	1351 Candy Nornick	→	50211

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1. Kathleen Cline	330 Marstek Ct.	Solon	52333
2. <del>RALPH</del>	1120 CH	Grimes	S
3. <del>JEANETTE</del>	25803 Daywood Hill	Ellendale Pa	
4. JAMES THURMAN	3151 Pioneer Ave	Cedar Rapids	
5. Melan King		Dows	IA
6. Amanda Young	P.O. Box 362	Mitchellville IA	
7. Josh King	<del>4700</del> 2nd St SW	Klemme IA	
8. Elizabeth Stanny	1316 Bel Aire	Ankeny IA	
9. Thomas Steel	9475 NE 94th St	Bondurant IA	
10. MARK DINGMAN	1261 Bronze St	NORWALK IA	
11. Heston Reeve	15660 450th St.	Lawrens IA	
12. Susan Schaut	110 NW Georgetown	Ankeny IA	
13. <del>RALPH</del>	110 NW Georgetown	Anky IA	
14. Jimmy Godar	1140 K Ave	Ute IA	
15. Mary Ann Hawley	3281 E Ave.	Uaile IA	
16. Holly Masfelle	401 2nd Ave	Holland IA	
17. Linda Kern	600 14th	Grandyville IA	
18. Becky Lamb	639 13th St	WDM IA	
19. Cindy Lamb	639 13th St	WDM IA	
20. <del>B.S. King</del>	3211 56th St	Dm IA	

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1. Jackson Van Kirk	1610 16th st	Perry	50227
2. Darlene Ball	15656 320th	Conrad	50621
3. Dale Cobb	15656 320th st.	Conrad	50621
4. Mike Gram	605 14th	Gravel Lake	50634
5. Doree Soule	639 13th	West Des Moines	50265
6. Terri Hawley	6432 S Street	Altoona	50009
7. Jon Hauke	2331 295th st	Glenn	50130
8. Brenna Ross	1115 8th Avenue	Grinnell	50112
9. Nancy Hzen	7314 Roseland	Urbandale	50322
10. Joan Majerus	3216 North Union	DSM	50316
11. Kailey Ingram	1446 9th st	DSM	50310
12. Roberta Bauer	7305 31st Ave	Atkins	52206
13. Lindsey Godwin	204 SW Linden Ave.	Ankeny	50023
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1. <i>Be Fitchell</i>	<i>P.O. Box 149</i>	<i>Hazelton</i>	<i>50641</i>
2. <i>DAN DZANOWSKI</i>	<i>P.O. Box 4</i>	<i>RANDOLPH</i>	<i>51649</i>
3. <i>Rex Robinson Jr</i>	<i>1235 N 11th Ave E</i>	<i>Newton</i>	<i>50208</i>
4. <del><i>Brian Rob</i></del>	<del><i>1235 N 11th Ave E</i></del>	<del><i>Newton</i></del>	<del><i>50208</i></del>
5. <del><i>[Signature]</i></del>	<del><i>209 SW Linden #1</i></del>	<del><i>Ames, IA</i></del>	<del><i>50013</i></del>
6. <i>Scott Schu</i>	<i>24373 Stone Ln</i>	<i>Ames IA</i>	<i>52205</i>
7. <i>Paul Green</i>	<i>2123 E 27th St</i>	<i>DSM, IA</i>	<i>50317</i>
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List of Delegates in Attendance at a Non-Party Political Organization Convention

Libertarian Party  
(Name of Non-Party Political Organization)

08/15/2012  
(Date of Convention)

Name of delegate	Street name and house number	City	Zip code
1. Diana Woodard	2525 County line	ROSM	50321
2. Kenny Poage	4023 <sup>rd</sup> St	Melbourne	50162
3. Bonnie Schwaefel	24373 Stone Ln, Anamosa	Anamosa	52205
4. Kay Pfeiffer	38 N E Sunrise Dr	Waukee	52263
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1. Casey B Head	2705 Walnut Street	West Des Moines	50265
2. <del>Philip Schubert</del>			
3. Thomas T Breese	3823 Clinton Ave	Des Moines	50310
4. ANDREW T BICKEL	2908 E GRAND AVE	DES MOINES	50317
5. Pat McCormick	2634 Kinsey Ave	Des Moines	50317
6. Linda Lebeck	2756 NW	Waukee	50262
7. Linda Svoboda	147 20 <sup>th</sup> Ave SW #6	Cedar Rapids	52404
8. <del>William</del>	2223 E Ave	Perry	50222
9. Thomas Blunk	918 NE Courtman Pl	Ames	50010
10. Valerie Sadler	3105 E True PKWY	West Des Moines	50265
11. Kenyon Shafer	1815 High St. #203	Des Moines	50304
12. Pete - M. Roberts	213 S 26 <sup>th</sup> WDM	Des Moines	50262
13. <del>Jim</del>	804 Colonial Ave	Columbus Jct	52738
14. Lawrence Valin	7072 Jetterson Ave	Windsor Hts	50324
15. Andrew Valin	1205 11th E #204	West Des Moines	50265
16. Gerald Woods	5793 Nugents Rd Coggon IA	Coggon	52218
17. JO A. Woods	5793 Nugents Rd.	Coggon	52218
18. <del>Jim</del>	515 <del>Bank</del>	Blakesburg	52537
19. Steve Lannon	8550 Hickman Rd	Clive	53325
20. <del>Mark</del>	3355 SE Crossroads Dr	Grimes	50111

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Name of delegate	Street name and house number	City	Zip code
1. Edward B. Wright	1796 Hwy 25	Guthrie Center, Ia	50115
2. Karla Knom	2516 160th Road	Guthrie Ctr, IA	50115
3. Ciara Stanley	202 east 4th street	Newton IA	<del>50288</del>
4. Dan Deum	100 west 2nd Casey	South Iowa	50048
5. Lars Sivesind	262 Old Hwy 7	Wauker	52172
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**DECLARATION OF JEFFERY LEAK**

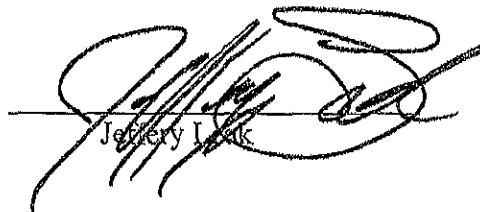
I, Jeffery Leak, hereby declare as follows pursuant to Iowa Code § 622.1:

1. The statements in this declaration are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and are based on my personal knowledge except where otherwise specified. If called to testify, I would testify to the following facts.
2. I am at least 18 years of age and of sound mind.
3. I am a registered member of the Republican Party. I am not, and never have been, a member of the Libertarian Party.
4. I was not, and never have been, a delegate, representative, or attendee at a convention or caucus of the Iowa Libertarian Party. In particular, I did not attend a convention or caucus of the Iowa Libertarian Party on August 15, 2012, and was not elected or selected as a delegate or representative to any such convention or caucus.
5. On August 15, 2012, I attended the Iowa State Fair for purely recreational purposes.
6. While at the Iowa State Fair, an individual approached me with a clipboard and asked me to sign a petition so that a nominating convention could be held so that Gary Johnson would be added to the ballot as a candidate for President of the United States. I wrote or signed my name, and filled in my address, on the list he handed me. In providing that information, I did not intend to state or imply that I was an attendee at a Libertarian convention or caucus.

7. I did not participate in any political meetings or vote on any political matters while at the Iowa State Fair.

I certify under penalty of perjury and pursuant to the laws of the state of Iowa that the preceding is true and correct.

Dated: August 23, 2012



Jeffrey L. Cook

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**DECLARATION OF LISA MOONEY**

I, Lisa Mooney, hereby declare as follows pursuant to Iowa Code § 622.1:

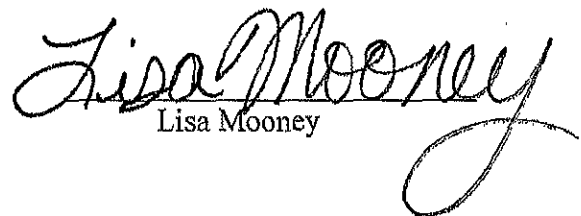
1. The statements in this declaration are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and are based on my personal knowledge except where otherwise specified. If called to testify, I would testify to the following facts.
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5. On August 15, 2012, I attended the Iowa State Fair for professional and recreational purposes.
6. While at the Iowa State Fair, an individual approached me with a clipboard and asked me to sign a petition so that a nominating convention could be held so that Gary Johnson would be added to the ballot as a candidate for President of the United States. I wrote or signed my name, and filled in my address, on the list he handed me. In providing that information, I did not intend to state or imply that I was an attendee at a Libertarian convention or caucus.



7. I did not participate in any political meetings or vote on any political matters while at the Iowa State Fair.

I certify under penalty of perjury and pursuant to the laws of the state of Iowa that the preceding is true and correct.

Dated: August 22, 2012

  
Lisa Mooney

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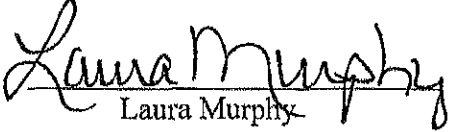
**DECLARATION OF LAURA MURPHY**

I, Laura Murphy, hereby declare as follows pursuant to Iowa Code § 622.1:

1. The statements in this declaration are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and are based on my personal knowledge except where otherwise specified. If called to testify, I would testify to the following facts.
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5. On August 15, 2012, I attended the Iowa State Fair for purely recreational purposes.
6. While at the Iowa State Fair, an individual approached me with a clipboard and asked me to sign a petition, which he claimed was to allow the Libertarians to form a political party in Iowa. I wrote or signed my name, and filled in my address, on the list he handed me. In providing that information, I did not intend to state or imply that I was an attendee at a Libertarian convention or caucus.

I certify under penalty of perjury and pursuant to the laws of the state of Iowa that the preceding is true and correct.

Dated: August 24, 2012

  
Laura Murphy

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**DECLARATION OF JENNIFER NOTEBOOM**

I, Jennifer Noteboom, hereby declare as follows pursuant to Iowa Code § 622.1:

1. The statements in this declaration are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and are based on my personal knowledge except where otherwise specified. If called to testify, I would testify to the following facts.

2. I am at least 18 years of age and of sound mind.

3. I am a registered member of the Republican Party. I am not, and never have been, a member of the Libertarian Party.

4. I was not, and never have been, a delegate, representative, or attendee at a convention or caucus of the Iowa Libertarian Party. In particular, I did not attend a convention or caucus of the Iowa Libertarian Party on August 15, 2012, and was not elected or selected as a delegate or representative to any such convention or caucus.

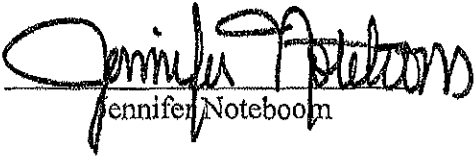
5. On August 15, 2012, I attended the Iowa State Fair for purely recreational purposes.

6. While at the Iowa State Fair, an individual approached me with a clipboard and asked me to sign a petition so that a nominating convention could be held so that Gary Johnson would be added to the ballot as a candidate for President of the United States. I wrote or signed my name, and filled in my address, on the list he handed me. In providing that information, I did not intend to state or imply that I was an attendee at a Libertarian convention or caucus.

7. I did not participate in any political meetings or vote on any political matters while at the Iowa State Fair.

I certify under penalty of perjury and pursuant to the laws of the state of Iowa that the preceding is true and correct.

Dated: August 21, 2012

  
Jennifer Noteboom

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**DECLARATION OF RYAN NOTEBOOM**

I, Ryan Noteboom, hereby declare as follows pursuant to Iowa Code § 622.1:

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5. On August 15, 2012, I attended the Iowa State Fair for purely recreational purposes.
6. While at the Iowa State Fair, an individual approached me with a clipboard and asked me to sign a petition so that a nominating convention could be held so that Gary Johnson would be added to the ballot as a candidate for President of the United States. I wrote or signed my name, and filled in my address, on the list he handed me. In providing that information, I did not intend to state or imply that I was an attendee at a Libertarian convention or caucus.

7. I did not participate in any political meetings or vote on any political matters while at the Iowa State Fair.

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Dated: August 21, 2012



Ryan Noteboom

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**DECLARATION OF NICK STAVER**

I, Nick Staver, hereby declare as follows pursuant to Iowa Code § 622.1:

1. The statements in this declaration are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and are based on my personal knowledge except where otherwise specified. If called to testify, I would testify to the following facts.
2. I am at least 18 years of age and of sound mind.
3. On August 15, 2012, I attended the Iowa State Fair. I arrived at approximately 10:15 A.M. Upon arrival, I headed directly to the “soapbox” that the Des Moines Register was sponsoring, at which various politicians had been invited to speak. When I arrived at the soapbox, Congressman Steve King was speaking; approximately 50-60 people were standing around the soapbox, listening to him.
4. Approximately 7 people in the crowd listening to Congressman King were wearing pins, stickers, or other apparel advertising the Libertarian Party or featuring the Libertarian Party logo. I did not see anyone in the crowd listening to Congressman King carrying any signs, or wearing any apparel or accessories mentioning Gary Johnson.
5. A substantial number of people in the crowd were chanting “Cut the cake, not Social Security” as Congressman King was speaking. After he was done, two older women who had been chanting approached me. One of the women was holding flyers, and the other was holding a clipboard.
6. The woman holding the flyers started asking me about politics. After a few minutes, she asked me how I felt about the current presidential candidates. I told her that I didn’t have a



definite preference right now. She then commented that there always was room for more people to get involved in politics.

7. At that point, the woman with the clipboard asked if I would consider a third-party candidate for president, and I replied that I wasn't really sure. She then asked whether I had heard much about Gary Johnson. I replied that I didn't know much about him. She asked if I would be willing to sign to get Gary Johnson on the ballot, I declined and walked away.

8. I did not see anyone else attempting to gather signatures for, or on behalf of, Gary Johnson.

9. I did not observe anything that appeared to be a political convention or caucus, or any large group of people who appeared to be engaged in formal or official proceedings of any sort.

I certify under penalty of perjury and pursuant to the laws of the state of Iowa that the preceding is true and correct.

Dated: August 22, 2012

  
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Nick Staver

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DECLARATION OF ANDREW SUITER

I, Andrew Suiter, hereby declare as follows pursuant to Iowa Code § 622.1:

1. The statements in this declaration are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and are based on my personal knowledge except where otherwise specified. If called to testify, I would testify to the following facts.
2. I am at least 18 years of age and of sound mind.
3. On August 15, 2012, I attended the Iowa State Fair. I arrived at approximately 10:30 A.M. and departed at approximately 12:40 P.M.
4. I did not see anyone else wearing any Gary Johnson or Libertarian Party apparel, carrying any Gary Johnson or Libertarian Party accessories, or attempting to gather signatures for, or on behalf of, Gary Johnson.
5. I did not observe anything that appeared to be a political convention or caucus, or any large group of people who appeared to be engaged in formal or official proceedings of any sort.

I certify under penalty of perjury and pursuant to the laws of the state of Iowa that the preceding is true and correct.

Dated: August 21, 2012

  
Andrew Suiter

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**DECLARATION OF NAOMI WALDO**

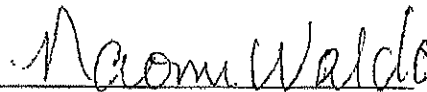
I, Naomi Waldo, hereby declare as follows pursuant to Iowa Code § 622.1:

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7. I did not participate in any political meetings or vote on any political matters while at the Iowa State Fair.

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Dated: August 22, 2012

  
Naomi Waldo

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**DECLARATION OF PHILIP WALDO**

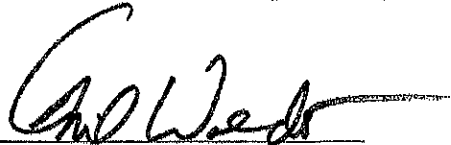
I, Philip Waldo, hereby declare as follows pursuant to Iowa Code § 622.1:

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Dated: August 22, 2012

  
Philip Waldo