

**NOMINATION BY PETITION FOR PRIMARY ELECTION
FOR COUNTY, MUNICIPAL, AND COUNTY COMMITTEE OFFICES
19:23-5 – PRIMARY ELECTION
19:23-17 - DESIGNATION**

OFFICE: Metuchen Borough Council

(IF APPLICABLE) **WARD** _____ **DISTRICT** _____

Republican

PARTY

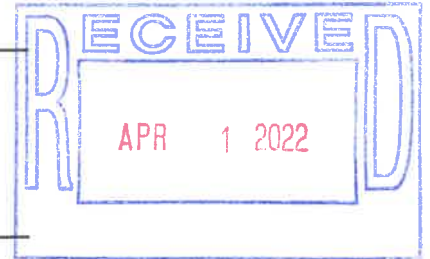
Richard Thoren

(Candidate Name)

Eric Lignell

(Candidate Name)

(Candidate Name)



CANDIDATE'S REQUEST FOR DESIGNATION ON THE OFFICIAL PRIMARY BALLOT

The above candidate(s), having been endorsed for the office in this petition, does hereby request that there be printed opposite his/her name on the said primary ticket the following designation:

Middlesex County Republican Organization

Must not exceed six words (R.S. 19:23-17) (19:49-2)

No person may be a **candidate** for or **appointed** to any local elective office unless he/she is a **registered voter** in the ward or municipality depending upon the office involved and has been a **resident** of the ward or municipality involved for at least **one year prior to the date of election** or the date of appointment. **40A:9-1.13**

- For **Local and County Committee offices** this petition shall be filed with your **Municipal Clerk**.
- For **County offices** this petition shall be filed with your **County Clerk**.

CONTACT YOUR MUNICIPAL OR COUNTY CLERK FOR NUMBER OF SIGNATURES REQUIRED (19:23-8)

NOTICE TO ALL CANDIDATES

ALL CANDIDATES ARE REQUIRED BY LAW TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE NEW JERSEY CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION AND EXPENDITURE REPORTING ACT 19:44A-1 THRU 44. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL (609) 292-8700 OR TOLL FREE WITHIN NJ AT 1-888-313-ELEC (3532).

TO: MIDDLESEX COUNTY CLERK

FROM: THE BELOW NAMED CANDIDATE(S) from Metuchen
(Municipality)

The undersigned candidate(s) for the respective municipal, county or party offices so designated, having obtained and filed the consent of a duly authorized representative and agent of the Middlesex County Republican Organization, an incorporated Association of this State, to use the designation or slogan "Middlesex County Republican Organization" as the designation or slogan of said candidates for the Primary Election to be held on June 7, 2022 (or any date to which said election may be changed) pursuant to 19:23-17, do hereby request, pursuant to R.S. 19:49-2, that their names be placed on the same line or column of the voting machine as that of the candidates filing a joint petition with the County Clerk bearing the designation or slogan "Middlesex County Republican Organization" for the Primary Election to be held on June 7, 2022.

NOTE: SIGNATURES OF CANDIDATES MUST BE OFFICIAL (R.S. 19:49-2)
(ORIGINAL TO COUNTY CLERK & COPY TO THE MUNICIPAL CLERK)

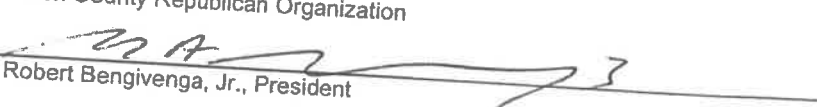
CANDIDATE(S)
SIGNATURE:

PRINT
NAME:

OFFICE:
(Also Add Ward if Ward
Council Seat & Ward & Election
District if a County Committee
Seat)

 Richard Thoren Borough Council

 Eric Lignell Borough Council

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CONSENT TO USE OF CORPORATION NAME AS DESIGNATION
The above candidate(s) named in the attached petition is/are hereby given the permission necessary to use the name of the incorporated association, Middlesex County Republican Organization, pursuant to Title 19:23-17 as his/her/their slogan for the Primary Election to be held on June 7, 2022.
Middlesex County Republican Organization
By:  Robert Bengivenga, Jr., President

Each Candidate must complete a separate Oath of allegiance and Certificate of acceptance form.

CANDIDATE OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX

} SS

I, Richard Thoren, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support the
(Print Candidate's Name)

Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of New Jersey; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same and to the governments established in the United States and in this State, under the authority of the people; and that I will faithfully, impartially and justly perform all the duties of the office of Metuchen Borough Council, according to the best of my ability (So help me God)*.

Sworn and subscribed to before me

This 30th day
of MARCH A.D. 2022

Stephen G. Kitsko Jr.
Clerk, Notary or Attorney

STEPHEN G. KITSKO JR.
NOTARY PUBLIC OF NEW JERSEY
My Commission Expires 9/24/2023

*Person taking oath has the option of including "So help me God", if he/she so desires.

(Signature of Candidate)
Address 123 Harvard Ave

Post Office Metuchen NJ 08840

CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE

I hereby certify that I am a member of the Republican Party and that I am legally qualified for the office for which I have been endorsed in the foregoing petition; that I consent to stand as a candidate for nomination at the ensuing primary election, and that if nominated I agree to accept the nomination, and that I am a resident and legal voter in

Metuchen

(Municipality- Ward and District)

(Signature)
Candidate's Signature.

FOR COUNTY OFFICES

We do further certify that the names and Post Office addresses of the three members named as a committee on Vacancies are as follows (19:23-12).

PRINT NAME	ADDRESS	POST OFFICE
1. _____ (Print Name)	_____	_____
2. _____ (Print Name)	_____	_____
3. _____ (Print Name)	_____	_____

The signers to petitions for County office may name three persons in their petition as committee on vacancies.

CANDIDATE OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX

} SS

I, Eric Lignell, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support the
(Print Candidate's Name)
Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of New Jersey; that I will bear true faith
and allegiance to the same and to the governments established in the United States and in this State,
under the authority of the people; and that I will faithfully, impartially and justly perform all the duties of the
office of Metuchen Borough Council, according to the best of my ability (So help me God)*.

Sworn and subscribed to before me

This 30th day

of March A.D. 2022

Stephen G. Kitsko Jr.
Clerk, Notary or Attorney

[Signature]
(Signature of Candidate)

Address 114 University Ave

Post Office Metuchen NJ 08840

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Metuchen

(Municipality- Ward and District)

[Signature]
Candidate's Signature.

TO: Municipal Clerk () County Clerk () of the County of Middlesex, Municipality of Metuchen
Of the State of New Jersey.

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we are qualified voters and that we reside in the above County and Municipality, (For Ward and County Committee Candidates fill in Ward/District →) _____, and that we are members of the Republican Party and intend to affiliate with the political party at the ensuing election.

We endorse the candidate(s) nomination to the office of Metuchen Borough Council and we request that you print upon the official primary ballot for this party the name(s) of the candidate(s) for such nomination.

We further certify that the said person(s) so endorsed is legally qualified under the laws of this State to be nominated for said office (N.J.S.A. 19:23-7)

CANDIDATE NAME	RESIDENCE & POST OFFICE ADDRESS IF DIFFERENT & E-MAIL
1. Richard Thoren (Print Name)	123 Harvard Ave Metuchen NJ 08840 Street Number, Street Name / Municipality, and Zip Code Post Office if different from Residence address <u>rockt698@gmail.com</u> E-mail Address
2. Eric Lignell (Print Name)	114 University Ave Metuchen NJ 08840 Street Number, Street Name / Municipality, and Zip Code Post Office if different from Residence address <u>ericlignell@gmail.com</u> E-mail Address
3. (Print Name)	_____ Street Number, Street Name / Municipality, and Zip Code Post Office if different from Residence address _____ E-mail Address

ALL SIGNERS **MUST** SIGN AND PRINT THEIR NAME ON THE LINES PROVIDED IN COMPLIANCE WITH N.J.S.A (19:23-7)

NAME

ADDRESS

✓ 1. (Signature) STEPHEN G KITSKO JR (Print Name)	131 HAZELWOOD AVE METUCHEN NJ 08840-2112 Residence Address including Post Office
✓ 2. (Signature) ERIC LIGNELL (Print Name)	114 UNIVERSITY AVE METUCHEN NJ 08840 Residence Address including Post Office
✓ 3. (Signature) Richard Thoren (Print Name)	123 Harvard ave Metuchen, N.J. 08840 Residence Address including Post Office
4. (Signature) (Print Name)	 Residence Address including Post Office
5. (Signature) (Print Name)	 Residence Address including Post Office

ADDITIONAL SIGNATURE SHEET FOR

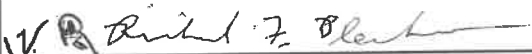
Richard Thoren and Eric Lignell

Candidate's Name

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1.  (Signature) Richard F. Plechner (Print Name)	62 Oak Ave Metuchen, NJ 08840 Residence Address Including Post Office
2.  (Signature) Mary Lou Strickland (Print Name)	62 Oak Ave Metuchen, NJ 08840 Residence Address Including Post Office
3. _____ (Signature) _____ (Print Name)	_____ Residence Address Including Post Office
4. _____ (Signature) _____ (Print Name)	_____ Residence Address Including Post Office
5. _____ (Signature) _____ (Print Name)	_____ Residence Address Including Post Office
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1.  (Signature) Meredith Joyce (Print Name)	35 Herold Pl. Metuchen NJ 08840 Residence Address Including Post Office
2.  (Signature) Brian Joyce (Print Name)	35 Herold Pl. Metuchen NJ 08840 Residence Address Including Post Office
3. (Signature) (Print Name)	Residence Address Including Post Office
4. (Signature) (Print Name)	Residence Address Including Post Office
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✓ 1. <u>David E. Sachs</u> (Signature) <u>David E Sachs</u> (Print Name)	<u>469 Wakefield Dr</u> <u>Metuchen 08840</u> Residence Address Including Post Office
2. _____ (Signature) _____ (Print Name)	_____ _____ Residence Address Including Post Office
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1. <u>Christopher P. Morrison</u> (Signature) <u>Christopher P. Morrison</u> (Print Name)	<u>56 HIGH ST.</u> <u>NETUCHEN NJ 08840</u> Residence Address Including Post Office
2. _____ (Signature) _____ (Print Name)	_____ Residence Address Including Post Office
3. _____ (Signature) _____ (Print Name)	_____ Residence Address Including Post Office
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✓ <i>Walter Zawin</i> (Signature) <i>WALTER ZAWIN</i> (Print Name)	<i>218 CENTER ST.</i> <i>METUCHEN NJ 08840</i> Residence Address Including Post Office
2. _____ (Signature) _____ (Print Name)	_____ Residence Address Including Post Office
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✓ 1. <u>Darrell G. Hall</u> (Signature) <u>DARRELL G. HALL</u> (Print Name)	<u>53 BARNSTABLE ST</u> <u>METUCHEN NJ 08840</u> Residence Address Including Post Office
✓ 2. <u>Marie A. D'Amico</u> (Signature) <u>Marie A. D'Amico</u> (Print Name)	<u>53 Barnstable St.</u> <u>Metuchen NJ 08840</u> Residence Address Including Post Office
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1. <u>J. A. Cottell</u> (Signature) <u>Jennifer A. Cottell</u> (Print Name)	<u>29 Thomas St</u> <u>Metuchen, NJ 08840</u> Residence Address Including Post Office
2. _____ (Signature) _____ (Print Name)	_____ _____ Residence Address Including Post Office
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1. <u>Michael Loreti</u> (Signature) <u>MICHAEL LORETI</u> (Print Name)	<u>57 BEACON HILL DRIVE</u> <u>METUCHEN, N.J. 08840</u> Residence Address Including Post Office
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WITNESS SECTION:

The witness taking the affidavit below must be the person who obtains the names on this set of signatures or several sheets of signatures. The witness must take the affidavit for each set he/she solicits & sign it in the presence of the Notary public, or Attorney. The witness may sign one set of signatures **endorsing** the candidate. Note that if the witness/circulator is not a qualified voter of the political subdivision for which the candidate stands for office, then he/she is permitted to circulate said petition, but is not permitted to sign as petitioner. Although signature sheets are solicited separately, the entire petition must be bound together before submitting.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX

SS

I, STEPHEN G KITSKO JR, being duly sworn or affirmed upon his/her oath, depose and say that
Name of the Witness / Circulator

he/she is the one who gather the signatures of the petition; that said petition is signed by each of the signers thereof in his/her own proper handwriting; that each of the signers is, to the best knowledge and belief of deponent, a legal voter of the Municipality of Metuchen in the County of Middlesex of the State of New Jersey, as stated in said petition, and belongs to the political party named in said petition, and that such a petition is prepared and filed in absolute good faith for the sole purpose of endorsing the person(s) therein named in order to secure their nomination or selection as stated in this petition; and further affirms that he/she is a registered voter in the State of New Jersey, who's party affiliation is of the same political party named in the petition.

Sworn to before me this 1ST day

of APRIL, 2022

[Signature]
Notary, Attorney, Clerk

BENJAMIN F. KITSKO
NOTARY PUBLIC OF NEW JERSEY
My Commission Expires 9/24/2023