

PETITION INSTRUCTIONS

FOR GATHERING SIGNATURES (Must be 18 or older)

1. DOWNLOAD THE PETITION AND PRINT IT:

Set printer to 100% and Portrait.
Do NOT "fit to page." Margins are specific.
Do NOT *PRINT THE SCREEN*, **YOU MUST DOWNLOAD IT AND PRINT IT.**

NOTE: If you are obtaining signatures from others, **you must watch them as they write their name, address, and signature.**

2. DOWNLOAD AND PRINT THE "NORTH CAROLINA

NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT" FORM for this petition. You will need to take this form with you when you have your petition(s) notarized.

WHO CAN SIGN THE PETITION?

Only **registered voters** who are **18 years or older** who live in Raleigh, North Carolina, may sign this petition.

NOTE: If someone is not yet registered, before signing, they must register to vote **HERE**:
<https://www.wakegov.com/departments-government/board-elections/voter-information/register-vote>

Registered voters can sign the petition only **ONE** time. If you are collecting signatures, **ask potential signers if they have previously signed the petition.**

You also **MUST** watch the person(s) as they are completing the petition. **You CANNOT leave the petition out for people to sign as they "stop by."**

3. HOW MUST SIGNERS SIGN?

Use only black or blue ink.
Print neatly. Do NOT type.
Do NOT write outside the lines.
Do NOT abbreviate street name or city.
Use street names and not P.O. Boxes.

NOTE: Each person's name, address, and signature **MUST MATCH** their voter registration information. Questions? Visit here to check voter status: <https://vt.ncsbe.gov/RegLkup/>

4. GET THE PETITION(S) NOTARIZED:

(Your bank may provide free notary services.) If you need assistance finding a notary, contact LivableRaleigh@gmail.com. Do NOT send forms to us that have not been notarized; they are not valid.

YOUR signature at the bottom of the petition (as a "Circulator") **must be NOTARIZED**, which includes being witnessed by the notary, **so don't sign it until you meet with the notary.**

Make sure you **ALSO take the NC Notary Acknowledgement form** with you to give to the notary; you only need **one**.

IMPORTANT: For the petition to be valid, **YOU MUST COMPLETE the BOTTOM part of the petition**, including your address (and signing it before a notary, and having it notarized) before you return it **along with the NC Notary Acknowledgement form.**

NOTE: 1 to 5 individual signatures on one petition page are acceptable.

5. RETURN THE NOTARIZED PETITION(S) AND THE NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM preferably no later than **October 30, 2021**, TO:

Livable Raleigh
PO Box 6404
Raleigh, NC 27628-6404

QUESTIONS? Contact: LivableRaleigh@gmail.com
or call 919-807-1684