

**(Sample Petition of Nomination)
City Manager Form of Government
Candidates for Mayor**

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY
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By _____ Date _____

TO: The Honorable City Clerk of _____
 The undersigned, duly qualified electors of the City of _____, Arkansas, each signer hereof residing at the address set opposite his or her signature, hereby request that the name _____ be placed on the ballot as a candidate for election to the Position of Mayor of said City of _____ at the election to be held in such City on the ____ day of _____, 20__
 We further state that we know said person to be a qualified elector of said City and a person of good moral character and qualified in our judgment for the duties of such office. Each of us for himself or herself says: I have personally signed this petition; I am a registered voter of the State of Arkansas and the designated city to be represented. My printed name, date of birth, residence, city or town of residence, and date of signing are correctly written after my signature.

	Signature	Printed Name	Date of Birth	Residence (Street Address)	City or Town of Residence	Date of Signing
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This example of a form of petition is provided as a convenience to potential candidates. No form of petition for this office is set out in the Arkansas Code, nor is the Secretary of State, State Board of Election Commissioners, or Ethics Commission authorized to promulgate a form of petition. This petition is an example of a form of petition that may be accepted by the county clerk or the Secretary of State. The Secretary of State, State Board of Election Commissioners, Ethics Commission, and the county clerks do not warrant that this form of petition would be found sufficient by a court of law if subjected to a legal challenge.

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