Date:_____

In accordance with the Denton Town Charter, Chapter 5, Section C5-8, I, ________ hereby, submit a petition of candidacy for the position of Councilperson for the Denton Town Council. In presenting this petition, I swear that I am eligible for election to this office and wish to have my name placed on the ballot as a candidate. I further swear that the signatures on this petition are genuine.

(Must be returned by 4:00 PM on October 4, 2024)

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2024 Statement Form

Town of Denton 4 North Second Street Denton, Maryland 21629

Attention:	Ethics Commission/Town Attorney	Date:
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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I, _____, <u>Candidate for Councilperson</u> (Name) (Position) of the Town of Denton have read and understand the Town's Election Requirements and voluntarily submit this Statement.

_____ I have not received any gifts from any person having a contract with the Town or any person regulated by any agency in the past calendar year.

_____ I have received a gift (s) from a person having a contract with the Town or a person regulated by any agency in the past calendar year. These are:

<u>Gift</u>

Value

<u>Donor</u>

Signature: _____

Please check appropriate statement. If there is a conflict of interest or other disclosure that you wish to make, please indicate.

Denton Town Charter

C5-2 Qualifications of Voter Amended 6-5-1995 by Res. No. 3; 3-3-2003 by Res. No. 623; 7-3-2006 by Res. No. 680]

Every person who is a citizen of the United States, is at least eighteen (18) years of age, and has resided within the corporate limits of the Town for thirty (30) days preceding any Town election, and is registered with the Board of Elections Supervisors for Caroline County, and is registered in accordance with the provisions of this Charter and Town ordinances shall be a qualified voter of the Town. Transfers may be granted by the registration officials from one ward to another in said Town. No person shall be entitled to register on Election Day. Every qualified voter of the Town shall be entitled to vote at any or all Town elections.

C5-8 Nominations

Candidates for election to the office of Councilperson shall file with the Board of Supervisors of Elections a petition signed by at least 20 registered voters of the Town of Denton. The candidate shall file his petition for an elective office not less than 30 days, including Sundays and holidays, prior to the date of such election. Such petition shall state the name and address of the candidate, the fact that such person is eligible for election of the office of Councilperson and that such person wishes his name placed on the ballot as candidate. Such petition shall be sworn to by the person filing same, both as to the fact of the candidate's eligibility and as to the genuineness of the signatures on such petition. The Board of Supervisors of Elections shall advertise the filing requirements once weekly for one month prior to the filing deadline in a paper circulated in the Town. No person shall be eligible for elective Town public office who has not fulfilled the requirements of this section. No candidate shall file for elections shall cause to be given general publicity the names of such eligible candidates with the names of the offices they seek and shall post all of such names and offices conspicuously at the polls.