

New Registrar of Voters

ENDORSEMENTS

State and Municipal
Major and Minor Parties

What you absolutely need to know

- Where is the election calendar: On our web page
 - *Select Elections – Go To Election Officials – Calendars Current & Archive*
- Municipal endorsements: **CGS § 9-391**
- State endorsements: **CGS § 9-388**
- Minor party endorsements: **CGS § 9-452**
- **Read the monthly mailings you receive from our office**

Municipal (Odd Numbered Years)

- Forms created by Town Committees – The Town Clerk will provide the town committees with a list of offices that will be on the ballot.
- **Endorsement Forms filed with Town Clerk** – After the town committees file their endorsement forms, the town clerk can create a list of candidates.
- **Endorsement Period – *See the Election Calendar for the exact dates !!***
 - *Municipal offices fifty-six to forty-nine days before the primary (CGS 9-391) = 7 day window*
- Requirements:
 - Certified to the Town Clerk by the chairman, presiding officer or secretary of the town committee;
 - Candidate's name and address;
 - Office and if applicable political subdivision or district;

Minor Party Municipal

- What is a minor party? Not a major party (Democratic or Republican) who has obtained 1% of the total numbers of votes cast for an office in the prior election for that office.
- Forms created by Minor Parties
- Forms filed with Town Clerk
- Requirements – CGS 9-452
 - Title of office and district;
 - Candidate's name as authorized by each candidate to appear on the ballot;
 - Signature of candidate accepting the endorsement;
 - Full street address;
 - Certified by presiding officer of the committee, meeting or other authority making such nomination.
 - Nominations to be filed not later than the sixty-second (62nd) prior to the election; ***See the Election Calendar for the exact dates !!***

State (Even Numbered Years)

- Forms created by SOTS and provided to State Central for distribution to party chairs.
- Forms to be filed with SOTS **INCLUDING REGISTRAR OF VOTERS**
 - *Exception: Berlin, Darien, & Stamford or any town with a municipal office on the state ballot i.e. Board of Education & RTMs*
- **Endorsement Period – See the Election Calendar for the exact dates !!**
 - *Multi Town ninety-eight to seventy-seven days before the primary (CGS 9-383) = 21 day window*
 - *Single Town & municipal offices (ROV) fifty-six to forty-nine before the primary (CGS 9-391) = 7 day window*
- Requirements of endorsement form (CGS 9-388):
 - Candidate shall file with Secretary of the State a certification;
 - Signed by the Candidate;
 - Stating that he was endorsed by such convention;
 - How he authorizes his name to appear on he ballot;
 - Full residence address;
 - Title and district of office for which endorsed;
 - Certificate shall be signed by chairman, presiding officer or secretary of convention;
 - To be filed with SOTS by 4 pm within fourteen days from close of convention.

Multi Town Endorsement Form 2016

(ED-634f1 [D] - g:\forms) - Noms.-St.Elec.-Multi-Town Dist. Office--Endorsements-Form Number Rev. 1/16)

To be filed with the **SECRETARY OF THE STATE** not later than 4 p.m. on the fourteenth day after close of the convention (or if such fourteenth day is a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday, not later than 4 p.m. on the next succeeding business day), in accordance with §§9-388 and 9-2 of the General Statutes. **NOTE:** This form is to be used only by the **party-endorsed candidate** for **multi-town district office** (i.e. Representative in Congress, State Senator and State Representative from districts which cross town lines).

CERTIFICATE OF PARTY ENDORSEMENT

At a convention of the delegates of the **Democratic Party** for the [check ONE only; insert appropriate Congressional, Senatorial, or Assembly District Number]

_____ Congressional District
(District number)

_____ Senatorial District
(District number)

_____ Assembly District,
(District number)

held at _____ on the _____ day of May, 2016,
(location of convention) (date)

I was **endorsed** by such convention as candidate for nomination to the office of [check ONE]

Representative in Congress State Senator State Representative

for said district, for the State Election to be held on November 8, 2016; and

I authorize my name to appear on the ballot as printed or typed below:

(Print or type name in exactly the form in which you authorize it to appear on ballot)
(Full Residence Address--Street) (Town) (Zip)

Dated at _____, Connecticut, this _____ day of _____, 2016.

Signature of Candidate

ATTESTED BY:

Signature of Chairman or Presiding Officer of Convention

OR

Signature of Secretary of Convention

IMPORTANT: If this certificate, properly completed, is not received by the **SECRETARY OF THE STATE** by the **deadline indicated above**, the party shall be deemed to have made **NO ENDORSEMENT OF ANY CANDIDATE** for the office. (§9-388) File with Secretary of the State, Legislation & Elections Administration Division, 30 Trinity Street, P.O. Box 150470, Hartford, CT 06115-0470.

Municipal Office Endorsement Form 2016 (ROV)

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To be filed with the Secretary of the State not later than 4 p.m. on the fourteenth day after the close of the town committee meeting, caucus, or convention (or if such fourteenth day is a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, not later than 4 p.m. on the next succeeding business day), in accordance with §§9-391 and 9-2 of the General Statutes. **NOTE:** this form is to be used only by the party-endorsed candidate for municipal office, except for the municipal office of State Representative (single-town district).

CERTIFICATE OF PARTY ENDORSEMENT

At the [check one] town committee meeting caucus town convention

of the DEMOCRATIC PARTY

held at _____ on the _____ day of May, 2016,
(location of meeting) (date)

I was endorsed by such endorsing authority as candidate for nomination to the office of

_____, for the State Election to be held

on November 8, 2016; and **I authorize my name to appear on the ballot as printed or typed below:**

(Print or type name in exactly the form in which you authorize it to appear on ballot)

(Full Residence Address--Street) _____
(Town) _____
(Zip) _____

Dated at _____, Connecticut, this _____ day of _____, 2016.

Signature of Candidate

ATTESTED BY:

Signature of Chairman or Presiding
Officer of Meeting

OR

Signature of Secretary of Meeting

IMPORTANT: If this certificate, properly completed, is not received by the Secretary of the State by the deadline indicated above, the party shall be deemed to have made **NO ENDORSEMENT OF ANY CANDIDATE** for the office. (§9-391)

Minor Party State

- What is a minor party? Not a major party (Democratic or Republican) who has obtained 1% of the total numbers of votes cast for an office in the prior election for that office.

	Grand Total	0.0 1 Needed	Working Families	Green	Libertarian	Independent
U.S. Senate (2012)	1,504,895	1%	15,049	35,778	25,045	46,520

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- Forms filed with SOTS
- Requirements – CGS 9-452
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 - Signature of candidate accepting the endorsement;
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Green Party 2016 Endorsement



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June 26, 2016

Secretary of the State
ATTN: LEAD
PO Box 150470
Hartford, CT 06115-0470

To Whom It May Concern:

On behalf of the CT Green Party, we submit the following minor party endorsements and certification of candidates to stand for election for office on Tuesday, November 8, 2016, pursuant to Conn. Gen. Statutes Sec. 9-452.

On Wednesday, February 3, 2016, the Green Party of CT held a nominating meeting for the 11/08/16 election cycle. At that meeting the Green Party of CT duly endorsed the following nonpetitioning candidates:

Name and address	Office sought	Candidate signature
Cynthia L. Day 81 Lansenville Rd, Unit A New Milford, CT 06776	State Assembly District 67	
Matthew S. Went 87 Finch Ave Meriden, CT 06451	State Assembly District 84	
Angela M. Capinera 29 Blamey Cir Stratford, CT 06614	State Assembly District 122	<i>Angela Capinera</i>
Bonnie E. Troy 123 Georgetown Rd Weston, CT 06883	State Assembly District 135	

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

S. Michael DeRosa
Co-chair, CT Green Party

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DECENTRALIZATION • ECONOMIC JUSTICE • GENDER EQUITY AND COOPERATION
RESPECT FOR DIVERSITY • PERSONAL AND GLOBAL RESPONSIBILITY • FUTURE FOCUS

Independent Party 2016 Endorsement

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INDEPENDENT PARTY OF CONNECTICUT
PO BOX 2702 - Danbury, CT - 06813
CERTIFICATION OF PARTY ENDORSEMENT

At a Caucus of the Independent Party of CT held on August 23, 2016 the following candidates were endorsed for the State Election to be held on November 8, 2016.

Each of the undersigned consents to the placing of his or her name as a candidate for the office specified, under the party designation, of Independent Party of CT, which office is to be contested at the state election to be held on November 8, 2016. Each of us has affixed the date of signing this statement.

NAME/SIGNATURE	ADDRESS	POSITION	DATE
<u>Pam Staneski</u> Print Name <u>Pam Staneski</u> Signature	<u>35 Point Lookout</u>	<u>State Representative</u> (11944)	<u>8/11/16</u>
_____ Print Name	_____	_____	_____
_____ Signature	_____	_____	_____
_____ Print Name	_____	_____	_____
_____ Signature	_____	_____	_____
_____ Print Name	_____	_____	_____
_____ Signature	_____	_____	_____

THIS AUG 29 PM 25
INDEPENDENT PARTY OF CONNECTICUT

Michael Duff
Caucus Chairman

Donna LaFocine
Caucus Secretary

John Dutton
Committee Chairman