

BEFORE THE DULY CONSTITUTED ELECTORAL BOARD FOR THE HEARING AND PASSING UPON OF OBJECTIONS TO NOMINATION PAPERS OF CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION TO THE OFFICE OF CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF NAPERVILLE, DUPAGE AND WILL COUNTIES, ILLINOIS

Petitioners – Objectors, ) v. )	ED
NAG JAISWAL,	
Respondent – Candidate. )	

# VERIFIED OBJECTOR'S PETITION

Petitioners-Objectors, Dianne A. McGuire, Nancy Hans Turner, and Mark Vincent Urda ("Objectors") pursuant to 10 ILCS 5/10-8 respectfully move this Board to nullify the candidacy of Nag Jaiswal ("Candidate" or "Mr. Jaiswal" as appropriate) and in support thereof state as follows:

- 1. Objector Dianne A. McGuire resides at 1235 Tennyson Lane, Naperville, Illinois 60540, Objector Nancy Hans Turner resides at 2148 Riverlea Circle, Naperville, Illinois 60565, Objector Mark Vincent Urda resides at 11 North Brainard Street, Naperville, Illinois 60540. All Objectors are duly qualified, legal and registered to vote at their addresses.
- 2. The Objector's interest in filing this Petition is that of a voter desirous that the laws governing the filing of nomination papers for the Office of City Council, Naperville, Illinois are properly complied with, and that only qualified candidates appear on the ballot for said Office.

- Naperville including fifty (out of fifty) petitions for a Consolidated Primary Election to be held April 1, 2025. As there is no Primary Election to be held April 1, 2025, all fifty of Mr. Jaiswal's petitions are ineffective as a matter of law. "Such petitions shall ... contain, above the space for signature, an appropriate heading." (10 ILCS 5/10-4) An "appropriate heading" means "[t]he heading of the nomination petition pages must include information relative to the election." 2025 Candidate's Guide (Illinois State Board of Elections, amended 8/1/2024; p.19). Stating the wrong election is not an appropriate heading because it does not include information relative to the actual election.
- 4. In addition to Candidate's petitions informing voters of his intent to run in a non-existent April 1, 2025 primary election, under 10 ILCS 5/7-12, "where the nomination is to be made for a municipal or township office," such petitions must be filed, "not more than 127 nor less than 120 days before the primary date," which would also mean his petitions were neither circulated nor filed within the time periods dictated by the dates listed on his fifty (50) petitions, or described in the notarized statements in each petition. Filing dates in the Election Code are strictly enforced. *DuPage County Election Comm. v. State Board of Elections*, 279 Ill.Dec. 695, 800 N.E.2d 1278, 345 Ill. App.3d 200 (2003).
- 5. Additionally, under 10 ILCS 5/10-4, each petition is legally mandated to, "be signed by the qualified voters in their own proper persons only, and opposite the signature of each signer his residence address shall be written or printed."
- 6. The nomination papers do not qualify Mr. Jaiswal for the ballot. Even beyond the fatal flaw outlined above Mr. Jaiswal's petitions fail on the following grounds:

- a. Presuming the election to which Candidate was referring in his petitions was intended to be the 2025 Naperville City Council election, for which the actual consolidated primary date is February 25, 2025 (not April 1, 2025), the number of required signatures of qualified voters residing in the City of Naperville is 317.
- b. Even a cursory review of Candidate's paperwork reveals that less than 317 purported "signatures" are valid.
- c. Attached is a list of invalid lines, categorized from 1) not a qualified voter in the City of Naperville, to 2) no signature, to 3) no residence address either written or printed, to 4) duplicate signatures, to 5) improper attestation by circulator (entire pages 7, 10, 15, and 19 invalid).
- d. Even striking just these submissions, Mr. Jaiswal lacks 317 signatures and thus cannot qualify for the ballot as a matter of law, let alone other non-qualified signatories that may come to light beyond this initial search. It is not difficult to ask signatories if they live in Naperville, to verify they are registered voters, and ask them to sign as well as include their printed address. It is not fair to uphold this legal standard for other candidates but not one.

Signature Pages Follow.

WHEREFORE, the Objectors request a hearing based on the facts set forth herein, and a ruling that the name Nag Jaiswal shall not appear and not be printed on the ballot for election to the Office of City Council, City of Naperville, DuPage and Will Counties, in 2025. Furthermore, Objectors reserve the right to present evidence of further improprieties or discrepancies between listed "signatures" and actual voter rolls (beyond the above and the attached spreadsheet) as such evidence comes to light.

Respectfully Signed

Dianne A. McGuire

Vancy Hans Turner

Mark Vincent Urda

Attachment 1:

List of deficient "signatures"

#### **ATTACHMENT 1**

- Page 1 Line 6 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 3 Line 5 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 4 Line 2 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 5 Line 1 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 5 Line 4 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 5 Line 7 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 6 Line 1 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 7 Line 3 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 7 Line 4 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 7 Line 10 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 8 Line 4 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 8 Line 1 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 8 Line 4 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 8 Line 5 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 8 Line 6 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 8 Line 7 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 8 Line 8 Not in District. Listed Address is Bolingbrook.
- Page 8 Line 9 Not in District. Listed Address in Bolingbrook.
- Page 9 Line 1 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 9 Line 2 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 9 Line 3 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 9 Line 4 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 9 Line 5 Printed. No Signature. Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this
- Page 9 Line 6 Printed. No Signature. Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 9 Line 7 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 9 Line 8 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 9 Line 9 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 9 Line 10 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 9 Line 11 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 10 Line 2 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 10 Line 3 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 10 Line 4 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 10 Line 5 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 10 Line 9 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 10 Line 10 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 11 Line 1 Printed. No Signature. Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 11 Line 2 Printed. No Signature. Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address

- Page 11 Line 3 Printed. No Signature. Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 11 Line 4 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 11 Line 5 Printed. No Signature. Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 11 Line 6 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 11 Line 7 Printed. No Signature. Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 11 Line 8 Printed. No Signature. Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 11 Line 10 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 12 Line 2 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 12 Line 7 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 14 Line 10 Not in District. Listed Address in Aurora.
- Page 17 Line 1 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 17 Line 4 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 17 Line 6 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 17 Line 8 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 18 Line 2 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 20 Line 1 Duplicate Signature with Page 17, Line 7
- Page 20 Line 9 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 20 Line 10 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 22 Line 2 Not in District. Listed Address in Plainfield.
- Page 26 Line 5 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 27 Line 6 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 29 Line 1 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 29 Line 3 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 29 Line 9 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 30 Line 3 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 30 Line 5 Printed. No Signature. Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address.
- Page 30 Line 6 Printed. No Signature. Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address.
- Page 30 Line 7 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 31 Line 2 Not in District. Listed Address in Plainfield.
- Page 31 Line 3 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 31 Line 8 Not in District. Listed Address in Aurora.
- Page 33 Line 1 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 33 Line 3 Not in District. Listed Address is Unincorporated.
- Page 33 Line 4 Not in District. Listed Address is Unincorporated.
- Page 33 Line 8 Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address
- Page 34 Line 3 Printed. No Signature.
- Page 35 Line 5 Not in District. Listed Address in Aurora.
- Page 36 Line 4 Incomplete Address

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Page 36 - Line 5 - Incomplete Address
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Page 36 - Line 6 - Incomplete Address

Page 36 - Line 7 - Incomplete Address

Page 36 - Line 8 - Incomplete Address

Page 36 - Line 9 - Incomplete Address

Page 37 - Line 8 - Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address

Page 37 - Line 9 - Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address

Page 39 - Line 1 - Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address

Page 39 - Line 2 - Printed. No Signature.

Page 39 - Line 3 - Printed. No Signature.

Page 39 - Line 4 - Printed. No Signature.

Page 39 - Line 7 - Printed. No Signature.

Page 40 - Line 3 - Not in District. Listed Address in Aurora.

Page 40 - Line 4 - Not in District. Listed Address in Aurora.

Page 40 - Line 8 - Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address

Page 41 - Line 8 - Not in District. Listed Address in Montgomery.

Page 43 - Line 6 - Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address

Page 44 - Line 7 - Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address

Page 45 - Line 1 - Printed. No Signature.

Page 45 - Line 2 - Printed. No Signature.

Page 45 - Line 3 - Printed. No Signature.

Page 45 - Line 4 - Printed. No Signature.

Page 45 - Line 5 - Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address

Page 45 - Line 6 - Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address

Page 45 - Line 10 - Printed. No Signature.

Page 46 - Line 2 - Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address

Page 46 - Line 3 - Unable to Verify Registered Voter by this name at this address

Page 49 - Line 9 - Printed. No Signature.

## **VERIFICATION**

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The undersigned, being first duly sworn, deposes and states that the undersigned is a Petitioner-Objector in the above Verified Objector's Petition, and that the undersigned has read the contents thereof, and that the allegations therein are true to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief.

Dianne A. McGuire Petitioner-Objector

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, by Dianne A. McGuire on

NOVEMBER 3, 2024

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Nancy Hans Turner
Petitioner-Objector

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, by Nancy Hans Turner on

NOVEMBER 3, 2014

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Mark Vincent Urda Petitioner-Objector

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, by Mark Vincent Urda on

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