

Office of the Minnesota Secretary of State

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITHDRAWAL**

**Instructions**

Generally, a candidate who has filed an affidavit of candidacy may remove his or her name from the ballot by filing an affidavit of withdrawal by 5 p.m. no later than 2 days after the end of the filing period. The affidavit of withdrawal is filed with the same filing officer where the original affidavit of candidacy was filed. The withdrawal affidavit should include the candidate's name and office for which they filed and include a request to have their name withdrawn from the ballot. See the [Candidate Withdrawal](#) webpage for details regarding U.S. Presidential and Vice Presidential candidates, and candidates for State Constitutional Offices (Governor and Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney General, and State Auditor).

**Statement**

I, Karen Ahlbrecht  
certify that I filed an affidavit of candidacy for the office of City Council Ward 1  
on August, 17<sup>th</sup>, 202~~2~~<sup>3</sup> I request that my name be withdrawn from the ballot,  
pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes* 204B.12, subd. 1.

Signature Karen L Ahlbrecht Date 8/17/23