



**NOTICE OF CANDIDACY**  
**NORTH CAROLINA**  
**PENDER COUNTY**

ELECTION MUNICIPAL  
 ELECTION DATE 11/03/2015  
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**I RAUDULENTLY OR FALSELY COMPLETING THIS FORM IS A CLASS I FELONY UNDER CHAPTER 163 OF THE NC GENERAL STATUTES.**

TO: PENDER COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

Candidate ID: MHLUN4

RE: NOTICE OF CANDIDACY FOR OFFICE OF: TOWN OF TOPSAIL BEACH COMMISSIONER

**CANDIDATE'S NOTICE AND PLEDGE**

(select appropriate checkbox and complete section based on the contest for which you are filing your notice of candidacy)

**PARTISAN CONTESTS**  
 (Federal, State, County or Municipal)

I hereby file notice as a candidate for nomination as \_\_\_\_\_ in District \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ party primary election to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ I affiliate with the \_\_\_\_\_ party, and I certify that I am now registered on the registration records of the precinct in which I reside as an affiliate of the \_\_\_\_\_ party. I further certify that I have not changed my political party affiliation within the past ninety (90) days, nor have I changed from "unaffiliated" status to my current affiliation with the past ninety (90) days. I pledge that if I am defeated in the primary, I will not run for the same office as a write-in candidate in the next general election.

**NON-PARTISAN CONTESTS**

I hereby file notice as a candidate for election to the office of TOWN OF TOPSAIL BEACH COMMISSIONER in District \_\_\_\_\_ in the MUNICIPAL Election to be held on 11/03/2015 in PENDER County.

**JUDICIAL CONTESTS**

I hereby file notice as a candidate for election to the office of \_\_\_\_\_ to succeed \_\_\_\_\_ (Name and District if applicable), in the regular election to be conducted \_\_\_\_\_. I certify that I am now registered on the registration records of the precinct in which I reside. I understand that if required by G.S. § 163-322, a non-partisan primary is scheduled to be conducted on \_\_\_\_\_ My N.C. State Bar No. is \_\_\_\_\_

**CANDIDATE INFORMATION**

LINDA BOWLING STIPE

207 BRIDGERS AVENUE

Linda Stipe

PO BOX 3625

Residential Address

Mailing Address

TOPSAIL BEACH, NC 28445

TOPSAIL BEACH, NC 28445

City, State and Zip

City, State and Zip

(910) 328-1150

Home Phone

Cell Phone

Business Phone

Email Address

**FELONY DISCLOSURE**

Have you ever been convicted of a felony?  YES  NO

If you have been convicted of a felony, you are required to complete the "Candidate Felony Disclosure" form within 48 hours of submitting this notice. GS § 163-106. The required form can be obtained from any election office or from the NC State Board of Elections website at [www.NCSBE.gov](http://www.NCSBE.gov). A prior felony conviction does not preclude holding elected office if rights of citizenship have been restored. Felony conviction need not be disclosed if the conviction was dismissed as a result of reversal on appeal or resulted in a pardon of innocence or expungement.

**AFFIDAVIT ATTESTING TO NICKNAME**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ have been duly sworn, hereby state under oath that I have been commonly known by the nickname, \_\_\_\_\_ for at least five years and request that my name be placed on the ballot as follows: \_\_\_\_\_ In the event that another candidate with the same last name as mine files notice of candidacy for the same office for which I am a candidate, my name should be listed as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

(Legal name and nickname)

**CANDIDATE'S AFFIRMATION**

I swear or affirm that the statements on this form are true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge or belief.

X Linda B. Stipe  
 Signature of Candidate

07/15/2015

Date

# Statement of Organization - Candidate Committee

Amendment  
 Yes  No

Use this form to create a new or update an existing candidate committee.

This form must be accompanied by forms CRO-3100 and CRO-3500 (when amending, only re-submit if applicable).

<b>1. Committee Information</b>					
a. Full Name			c. ID Number		
Linda Stipe Campaign			MHLUN4		
b. Mailing Address (include City, State and Zip Code)			d. Date Organized		
P.O. Box 3625 Topsail Beach, N.C. 28445			7/15/15		
			e. Phone Number		
<b>2. Candidate Information</b>					
<input type="checkbox"/> Candidate's Primary Committee					
a. Full Name		e. Candidate ID Number		f. Party Affiliation	
Linda Bowling Stipe		MHLUN4			
b. Mailing Address (include City, State, and Zip Code)			g. Office Sought		
P.O. Box 3625 Topsail Beach, N.C. 28445			Commissioner of Topsail Beach		
c. Phone Number	d. Email Address		h. Next Election Year	i. Jurisdiction	
910-328-1150	lstipe1@charter.net				
<input type="checkbox"/> Email copy of notices					
<b>3. Treasurer Information</b>			<b>4. Custodian of Books Information</b>		
a. Full Name			a. Full Name		
Linda Bowling Stipe			Same		
b. Mailing Address (include City, State, and Zip Code)			b. Mailing Address (include City, State, and Zip Code)		
P.O. Box 3625 Topsail Beach, NC. 28445			Same		
c. Phone Number	d. Email Address		c. Phone Number	d. Email Address	
910-328-1150	lstipe1@charter.net		Same	Same	
I prefer to receive notices by email <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Email copy of notices					
<b>5. Assistant Treasurer Information</b>			<b>6. Account Information (incl. CRO-3500)</b>		
a. Full Name			a. Financial Institution Full Name		b. Purpose
N/A					
b. Mailing Address (include City, State, and Zip Code)			c. Account Code	d. Type	
c. Phone Number	d. Email Address				
<input type="checkbox"/> Email copy of notices					
<b>CERTIFICATION</b>					
I certify that the Committee or Fund is in compliance with all applicable provisions of Article 22A, 22B & 22D-22M of Chapter 163 of the NC General Statutes and that no funds are commingled with prohibited or other non-disclosed funds. I further certify that this report is complete, true and correct.					
Linda B. Stipe		Linda B. Stipe		7/15/2015	
Printed Name of Signer		Signature of Appointed Treasurer		Date	



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Executive Director

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(919) 733-7173  
Fax: (919) 715-8047

**Certification of Treasurer**

This Certification is used by Candidate Committees to appoint a treasurer to the committee. This form is required and must accompany the Candidate's Statement of Organization

**FILED BY:**

Candidate Name: Linda B. Stipe  
 Treasurer Name: Linda B. Stipe  
 Treasurer Address: 207 Bridgers Ave., P.O. Box 3625  
 (include city, state, & zip) Topsail Beach, N.C. ~~28511~~ 28445  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Treasurer Phone: 910 - 328-1150

I certify that the above information is correct, and I, as candidate, appoint said treasurer to personally fulfill the duties and responsibilities imposed upon the appointed treasurer and subject to the penalties and sanctions in *Subchapter VIII. Regulation of Election Campaigns* of Chapter 163 of the North Carolina General Statutes.

I understand that if the above Treasurer changes, it will be necessary to certify a new treasurer and amend the existing Statement of Organization within 10 days of the vacancy. I further understand that the above Treasurer is required to receive training by the State Board of Elections within three months of this appointment according to Article 163.278.9(k).

7/15/2015  
Date Signed

Linda B. Stipe  
Signature of Candidate

Note: This Certification is to be filed at the Election Board where the committee's campaign reports are filed.



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**Certification of Threshold**

This Certification is used to declare or withdraw a committee's intent to raise or spend \$1,000 or less in the current election cycle.

This Certification is only valid for political party committees and candidates for a county office, municipal office, local school board office, soil & water conservation district board of supervisors, or sanitary district board.

This Certification is filed at the Board of Elections office where the committee's campaign reports are filed.

**FILED BY:**

Committee Name: Linda Stipe Campaign  
 Treasurer Name: Linda Stipe  
 Treasurer Address: 207 Bridgers Ave.  
 (include city, state, & zip) P.O. Box 3625  
Topsail Beach, N.C. 28445  
 Treasurer Phone: 910-328-1150

Check One:

I certify that this committee intends to neither receive nor expend more than \$1,000 during the current election cycle under the procedures set forth in G.S. 163-278.10A. This certification will remain in effect until the end of the election cycle for this committee. If this committee exceeds \$1,000 in contributions or expenditures during this election cycle, I understand that I must immediately notify the appropriate board of elections and file required campaign finance reports.

**THIS DECLARATION CAN ONLY BE MADE AT THE BEGINNING OF AN ELECTION CYCLE.**

I am withdrawing my Certification to remain at or under the \$1,000 threshold. I will now be required to file the next scheduled report for all contributions and expenditures that have not been previously reported from the beginning of the current election cycle. I further agree to file all future reports required.

7/15/2015  
 Date Signed

Linda B. Stipe  
 Signature



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**Certification to Close Committee**

This Certification is used to express the intent to close the committee after all funds have been properly disbursed.

**FILED BY:**

Committee Name: Linda Stipe for Topsail Beach Commissioner  
 Treasurer Name: Linda B. Stipe  
 Treasurer Address: 207 Bridgers Ave.  
 (include city, state, & zip) P.O. Box 3625  
Topsail Beach, N.C. 28445  
 Treasurer Phone: 910-328-1150

I certify that the above mentioned Committee intends to close and cease existence. Upon signing this certification, I declare that all funds have been distributed and reported (if required). In addition, no contributions will be accepted or disbursements made after the "Final Report" is filed or this form is signed. If the Committee at any future time intends to accept or spend funds in support or opposition of any candidate or ballot issue, a new political committee must be formed and registered with the Board of Elections before such activities may commence.

Committees that have filed under the \$1,000 threshold will only be required to sign this Certification. No "Final Report" will be required for committees meeting this criterion. Any Committee that did not file under the \$1,000 threshold must submit a "Final Report" with this Certification. This report must have a zero balance with no outstanding loans or debts.

1/9/16  
 Date Signed

Linda B. Stipe  
 Signature

Note: This Certification is to be filed at the Election Board where the committee's campaign reports are filed.

**Pender County Board of Elections**  
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 Burgaw, NC 28425