



## Instructions for Independent Nominating Petition Volunteers

- 1) You must be a registered voter in New York State
- 2) The person signing the petition must also be a registered voter in NY State; if they say they are not sure, apologize and move on to the next house/person.
- 3) You cannot sign the petition you are carrying; anotherwords, you can't be a witness to your own signature. You DO fill out all your information in the witness section.
- 4) If you have questions, call or email them to (607) 339-5399 or [norenforsenate@gmail.com](mailto:norenforsenate@gmail.com)
- 5) You can fill in the signers date, address and City, Town (or must be County if a Borough of New York City) but they have to sign their own signature. No villages... Better to go door to door because then all the signers are from the same town, city or Borough. In NYC, there are overlapping Congressional Districts so try to only get people in the same city blocks. If you know the Congressional District, write it in PENCIL on the top right corner of the form please.

### Review the above rules for gathering signatures and decide where you will walk.

Before you start gathering signatures, please carefully review the general tips and rules provided at the top of this document. This will help you prevent commons mistakes that can disqualify petitions.

To start gathering signatures, you will need the following materials:

- (1) A copy of your independent nominating petitions
- (2) Blue or Black Pens
- (3) Clipboard or stiff material to write on

Gather your signatures.

Start gathering your signatures by going door-to-door

A sample talking script is included below:

“Hello, Mr./Ms.\_\_\_\_\_. I am a volunteer for Dr. Scott Noren, who is running for United States Senate in NY as an independent. I am collecting signatures to allow Dr. Noren’s name to be placed on the ballot for the general election this November. .  
Would you please sign for me?”

Dr. Noren has written proposals for major student loan reform, a jobs bill that doesn’t involve Wall Street, and wants a Federal Ban on Fracking, amongst other issues discussed in his web site: [www.norenforsenate.com](http://www.norenforsenate.com)

**THANK YOU FOR DOING THIS!!!!**

When you have finished, please mail the completed form (review it please) to:

Dr. Noren for U.S. Senate

PO Box 602

Ithaca, NY

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Please get them back to us before the end of the first week of August but no later than the second week of August please.