

Sussex County Clerk's Office  
JEFFREY M. PARROTT, County Clerk

**Minimum Number of Signatures Required on INDEPENDENT Candidate/DIRECT Petition:  
for General Election (years **2018 & 2019**)**  
(Statutory Ref: N.J.S.A. 19:13-5)

**COUNTY OFFICE:** Minimum 100 signatures

**MUNICIPAL OFFICE:** Based on 2% of Total Votes Cast for General Assembly candidates at the last General Election in which Gen. Assembly candidates were elected (except that **no more than 100 shall be required** for municipal or county office); see calculations below.

**Faulkner candidates** should contact their municipal clerk for the minimum number of petition signatures required on a petition for municipal office.

	Total Votes Cast	2% of Total Votes Cast	# Signatures Needed on Petition	Defer to exception of 100
Andover Boro	328	6.56	<b>7</b>	
Andover Township	3,071	61.42	<b>61</b>	
Branchville Boro	557	11.14	<b>11</b>	
Byram Twp	FAULKNER	N/A	Contact Byram Municipal Clerk	
Frankford Twp	3,697	73.94	<b>74</b>	
Franklin	2,267	45.34	<b>45</b>	
Fredon Twp	2,128	42.56	<b>43</b>	
Green Twp	2,047	40.94	<b>41</b>	
Hamburg Boro	1,500	30	<b>30</b>	
Hampton Twp	3,218	64.36	<b>64</b>	
Hardyston Twp	4,415	88.3	<b>88</b>	
Hopatcong Boro	7,247	144.94	<b>145</b>	<b>100</b>
Lafayette Twp	1,556	31.12	<b>31</b>	
Montague Twp	1,791	35.82	<b>36</b>	
Newton	FAULKNER	N/A	Does Not Apply	
Ogdensburg Boro	1,206	24.12	<b>24</b>	
Sandyston Twp	1,234	24.68	<b>25</b>	
Sparta Twp	FAULKNER	N/A	Contact Sparta Municipal Clerk	
Stanhope Boro	1,796	35.92	<b>36</b>	

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Stillwater Twp	2,563	51.26	<b>51</b>	
Sussex Boro	710	14.2	<b>14</b>	
Vernon Twp	FAULKNER	N/A	Contact Vernon Municipal Clerk	
Walpack Twp	10	0.2	<b>1</b>	
Wantage Twp	5,812	116.24	<b>116</b>	<b>100</b>

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