

**CANDIDATE OATH**

**NONPARTISAN OFFICE**

(Do not use this form if a Judicial or School Board Candidate)  
Check box **only** if you are seeking to qualify as a write-in candidate:

Write-in candidate

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CITY OF NORTH PORT

OFFICE USE ONLY

**Candidate Oath**

Name to appear on ballot: Josh Smith

Check box if two last names without hyphen. (Name cannot be changed after qualifying.)

Check box if name includes nickname. (For use of a nickname, you must complete the Nickname Affidavit on reverse side.)

I swear or affirm that I am a candidate for the nonpartisan office of City of North Port District 2 (Office) (District #)  
I am a qualified elector of Sarasota County, Florida  
(Circuit #) (Group or Seat #)

I am a qualified elector under the Constitution and the Laws of Florida to hold the office to which I desire to be nominated or elected; I have qualified for no other public office in the state, the term of which office or any part thereof runs concurrent with the office I seek; and I have resigned from any office from which I am required to resign pursuant to Section 99.012, Florida Statutes; and I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Florida.

**Statement of Outstanding Fines, Fees, or Penalties**

I owe outstanding fines, fees, or penalties, that cumulatively exceed \$250, for ethics or campaign finance violations (s. 99.021(1)(d), F.S.).

YES, I Do \_\_\_\_\_ NO, I Do Not X

If you do, you must also specify the amount owed and each entity that levied the same on the reverse side.

[Signature] (810) 908-3000 Joshsmithfordistrict2@gmail.com  
Signature of Candidate Telephone Number Email Address  
11606 Knotty Pine Ave North Port Florida 34288  
Address of Legal Residence City State ZIP Code

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF Sarasota

Heather Faust  
Signature of Notary Public  
Print, Type, or Stamp Commissioned Name of Notary Public below:

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me by means of  
online notarization  OR physical presence   
this 11 day of June, 2024.  
Personally Known  OR Produced Identification   
Type of Identification Produced: drivers license

 HEATHER FAUST  
Notary Public  
State of Florida  
Comm# NH410040  
Expires 8/11/2027

### Phonetic Spelling of Name

Phonetic spelling for the audio ballot (not required for qualifying purposes): Print the name phonetically on the line below as you wish it to be pronounced on the audio ballot as may be used by persons with disabilities (see instructions on page 3 of this form):

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### Statement of Outstanding Fines, Fees or Penalties

Pursuant to Section 99.021(1)(d), F.S., each candidate, whether a party candidate, a candidate with no party affiliation, or a write-in candidate, shall, at the time of subscribing to the oath or affirmation, state in writing whether he or she owes any outstanding fines, fees, or penalties that cumulatively exceed \$250 for any violations of s. 8, Art. II of the State Constitution, the Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees under part III of chapter 112, any local ethics ordinance governing standards of conduct and disclosure requirements, or chapter 106.

Amount	Entity

### Affidavit of Nickname (Only required if using nickname for the ballot.)

My legal name is Joshua Smith. I am over the age of eighteen (18) and the contents of this affidavit are true and correct.

My nickname is Josh Smith. I am generally known by this nickname or have used it as part of my legal name. I have not created the nickname to mislead voters. My nickname does not imply I am some other person, constitute a political slogan or otherwise associate me with a cause or issue, or that is obscene or profane.

Signature of Candidate: 

STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF Sarasota

  
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Ron Turner  
**Supervisor of Elections**  
Sarasota County: *Our County. Our Vote.*

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CITY of NORTH PORT

May 29, 2024

Ms. Heather Faust  
City Clerk  
4970 City Hall Blvd  
North Port FL 34286

Re: Candidate Petitions

Dear Ms. Faust:

The petitions submitted by Joshua Smith a candidate for the office of City of North Port Commissioner, District 2, have been verified by my office. There were a total of 36 valid signatures from electors residing in the City of North Port.

If you have any questions, please contact my office at (941) 861-8606.

Sincerely,

Ron Turner  
Supervisor of Elections

RT/sm



*Switch*  
 Date 5/24/2024  
 Time 02:47 PM

**Ron Turner**  
 Supervisor of Elections  
**Petition Status Report**

Sarasota County, FL

Petition Id	Petition Short Description	District	Date Petition Opened	Petition Number			
23-27	Joshua Smith NP CITY COMM DIST 2	NPA	15-April-2024	686			
Batch	Signatures Claimed	Sigs checked	Unchecked Signatures	Signatures Required	Valid Sigs	Rejected Sigs including Duplicates	Duplicate Sigs
1	41	41	0	0	36	5	0
	<u>41</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b><u>41</u></b>	<b><u>41</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>	<b><u>36</u></b>	<b><u>5</u></b>	<b><u>0</u></b>

**Congressional District**

Batch Number	17	Total
1	36	36
Total	36	36

*End: 5/24/2024*  
*accepted - 36*  
*rejected - 5*  
*41*