



North Carolina Withdrawal of Notice of Candidacy

Use this form to withdraw
your Notice of Candidacy

Election information

Please print.

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Title of the office sought _____
Election _____ Election date (mm/dd/yyyy) _____

Candidate information

Use the same information
that you used to complete
your notice of candidacy.

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Last name _____ Suffix (Jr, Sr., II, III, IV) _____
First name _____ Middle name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
County _____
Phone number _____ Email _____

Candidate's affirmation for withdrawal of candidacy

Fraudulently or falsely
completing this form is a
Class I felony under
Chapter 163 of the NC
General Statutes.

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A person who has filed a notice of candidacy for an **even-year party nomination** has the right to withdraw it at any time prior to the close of business on the third business day prior to the date on which the right to file for that office expires and receive a refund of their filing fee.

A person who has filed a notice of candidacy for a **municipal office** may withdraw their candidacy at any time, but will only receive a refund of the candidate's filing fee if the withdrawal is prior to the close of business on the third business day on which the right to file for that office expires.

No general election candidate in a partisan contest may withdraw on or after the first day absentee ballots are distributed for the election.

I hereby affirm that I have filed as a candidate for office and I am withdrawing my notice of candidacy.

Candidate, sign and date here (Required)

X		Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
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Submit this form to the office where you filed. Find the contact information for your local board of elections at the NCSBE website (vt.ncsbe.gov/BOEInfo).

Please note: Withdrawal of your notice of candidacy does not close your candidate committee. Your treasurer must continue to file disclosure reports until your committee is eligible to close under 08 NCAC 21 .0202 or to obtain inactive status under N.C.G.S. § 163-278.10.