

# Official Election Complaint Form



**STEP 1**

## Complaint Type

Please select the statutory process that governs your complaint:

**Note:** you should choose only one statutory process per complaint; if you feel that your allegations fall under more than one statutory process, you should submit separate complaints under each process.

- 5.05 (Election Law Violation)
- 5.06 (Violations by Election Officials or Appeals of Decisions of Election Officials)
- 5.061 (Help America Vote Act Violation)

**STEP 2**

## Complainant Contact Information

Please provide the following information about yourself.

**Note:** Anyone filing this complaint with you can add their information on a separate page (see page 4).

First Name

Michael

Last Name

Rosenbaum

Residential Address

3240 97th Street

Mailing Address (if different)

Sturtevant, WI 53177

Telephone (optional)

262-424-1992

Email

rosenbaumm@sturtevant-wi.gov

**STEP 3**

## Respondent

Please provide the following information about the individual or individuals whom you allege violated or improperly administered election laws:

**Note:** For 5.06 complaints, each respondent must be an election official. If there are multiple respondents, you can add their information on a separate page (see page 5).

Respondent Name

Cheryl Zamecnik

Respondent Title (5.06 complaints)

Village Clerk

Mailing Address

Sturtevant, WI 53177

Telephone (if available)

262-886-7225

Email (if available)

villageclerk@sturtevant-wi.gov



## Applicable Statutes

Please cite each statute within Chapters 5 to 10 and 12 of the Wisconsin Statutes, as well as any other laws relating to elections, other than laws relating to campaign financing, that you allege were violated or improperly administered.

**Note:** The Commission cannot accept a complaint that does not cite specific provisions, including the correct subsections, of election law.

Wisconsin State Statute 8.05(4)(b).



## Allegations

Set forth in detail the facts that establish probable cause to believe that a violation occurred. Be as specific as possible as it relates to dates, times, individuals, and actions involved. Use as many separate pages as needed and attach copies of any supporting documentation, evidence, or affidavits.

On January 5, 2025, a text was sent to Clerk Zamecnik asking the deadline to turn in signatures as I had some medical issues going on and was just getting out of the hospital. She responded the deadline was Friday (January 10th). I turned in the papers the morning of Wednesday, January 8th based on the information I was provided and Clerk Zamecnik accepted them.

On Thursday, January 9th, I received a call from Clerk Zamecnik that an anonymous call was made to WEC regarding my turning in the papers late and I would have to appear as a write-in on the ballot, despite being the incumbent. Clerk Zamecnik thought she had the power to extend the deadline and made an honest mistake in giving me a date after the actual due date. This was an honest error and if it had not been made, I would have turned in the papers by Tuesday, January 7th in order to appear on the ballot.

I request Clerk Zamecnik is allowed to grant a 24-hour filing extension and my name is allowed to be printed on the ballot for the April 1, 2025 election.



**Sign**

Each complainant must complete **either** step 6a, "Unsworn Statement," or Step 6b "Sworn Statement." For either option, you may enter your digital signature by clicking the box and following the instructions, or you may print the form and sign it.



**Unsworn Statement**

I declare under penalty of false swearing under the law of Wisconsin that

the foregoing is true and correct. Signed on the  day of ,

at

(city or other location and state or country).

Printed Name

Signature



**Sworn Statement (to be completed in the presence of a notary)**

I, , being first duly sworn, on oath, state that I personally read the above complaint, and that the above allegations are true based on my personal knowledge and, as to those stated on information and belief, I believe them to be true.

Complainant's Signature

**Note:** Each complainant listed above in section 6b must have this form sworn before a notary or other official able to swear oaths.

**STATE OF WISCONSIN**

County of,  (county of notarization)

Sworn to before me this day of, .

(Signature of person authorized to administer oaths)

My commission expires on , or is permanent.

Notary Public or  (official title if not notary)



4:52



CZ

Cheryl

here goes original work

Sun, Jan 5 at 1:46 PM

What was your deadline for signatures? Mike called and he has some things going on more than just a cold. Thankfully they ruled out a stroke. He called to update me and I couldn't remember the day. Sorry to text on a Sunday :)

**Deadline is Friday.**

**Sorry for the delay in was driving the kids back home.**

No worries. I text that like



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