

From: Bert Slonim
Subject: Village Trustee Petition
To: "Howard Lim"
Cc: "Moge Agahian"
Date: Tuesday, **November 24, 2009**, 12:55 PM

Hi Howard. Moge Agahian, copied on this email, is interested in running for Village Trustee. She is an attorney and current president of the Arbors HOA. She will be speaking with the RBT nominating committee in the near future but may run independently.

If it is not too much trouble, could you please send her an email with information regarding petition filing requirements and deadlines, and an exemplar petition.

Many thanks. Have a happy Thanksgiving.

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Bert L. Slonim

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Tuesday, **November 24, 2009** 7:17 PM
From: "Howard Lim, Jr."
To: "Bert Slonim"
Cc: "Moge Agahian" <
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Here's a copy of last year's petition.

I'll try to get the rest to you tomorrow.

Best, Howard

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From: "Howard Lim, Jr."
Date: Thu, **3 Dec 2009** 21:30:34 -0800 (PST)
To: HowardLim; Bert Slonim
Cc: Moge Agahian
Subject: Re: Village Trustee Petition
Here's a draft of the instructions for this year's petitions.
Best, Howard

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Re: Village Trustee Petition
Friday, **December 4, 2009** 6:00 PM
From: "M Agahian"
To: "Howard Lim, Jr."
Howard,
Thank you for forwarding the instructions.
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VILLAGE INDEPENDENT NOMINATING PETITION

I, the undersigned, do hereby state that I am a registered voter of the Village of Rye Brook, that my present place of residence is truly stated opposite my signature, and I do hereby nominate the following named person(s) as a candidate (or as candidates) for public office to be voted for at the election to be held on the 18th day of March, 2009, and that I select the name **RYE BROOK TOGETHER** as the name of the independent body making the nomination (or nominations) and **Two Hands Clasped Over Outline of the Village's Boundary** as the emblem of such body.

<u>Name of Candidate</u>	<u>Public Office</u>	<u>Term</u>	<u>Residence</u>
Paul S. Rosenberg	Trustee	Three (3) Years	43 Country Ridge Drive, Rye Brook, New York 10573
Michael S. Brown	Trustee	Three (3) Years	5 Mohegan Lane, Rye Brook, New York 10573

I do hereby appoint:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Residence</u>
Michael Marks	18 Mohegan Lane, Rye Brook, NY 10573
Howard Lim, Jr.	83 Valley Terrace, Rye Brook, NY 10573
Deborah M. Faust	25 Winding Wood Road North, Rye Brook, NY 10573

as a committee to fill vacancies in accordance with the provisions of the election law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed this petition on the day and year stated before my signature.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Signature</u>	<u>Printed Name</u>	<u>Residence</u>	<u>Election District</u>
1. / / /09	_____	_____	Rye Brook, NY 10573	_____
2. / / /09	_____	_____	Rye Brook, NY 10573	_____
3. / / /09	_____	_____	Rye Brook, NY 10573	_____
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7. / / /09	_____	_____	Rye Brook, NY 10573	_____
8. / / /09	_____	_____	Rye Brook, NY 10573	_____
9. / / /09	_____	_____	Rye Brook, NY 10573	_____
10. / / /09	_____	_____	Rye Brook, NY 10573	_____

I, _____ state that I am a duly qualified voter and now reside at _____ **Rye Brook, NY 10573** (residence address, also post office address, if not identical) in the _____ election district of the Village of Rye Brook in the State of New York in the County of Westchester. Each of the voters whose names are subscribed to this petition sheet, containing _____ signatures, subscribed his or her name in my presence.

I understand that this statement will be accepted for all purposes as the equivalent of an affidavit and, if it contains a material false statement, shall subject me to the same penalties as if I had been duly sworn.

_____, 2009
Date

Signature of Witness



Rye Brook Together

2010 Petitions Gathering Instructions

We are gathering signatures to qualify our candidates to be on the ballot for the Rye Brook Village elections on March 16, 2010. The election law requires that we submit a minimum of 100 signatures, but we would like to gather at least two or three times that number. Please keep the following rules in mind:

1. The first day on which a petition may be signed is Tuesday, **December 29, 2009**. Signatures dated before that date are not valid. We plan to be finished with the gathering process by Sunday, **January 31**, when all petitions should be delivered to Ken Berman.
2. Signers and witnesses must be **registered to vote in the Village of Rye Brook**, New York. It does not matter if they are a Democrat, Republican, or blank party, or if they have not recently voted. If a signer says they are a registered voter and they have an address in Rye Brook, it is okay to let them sign.
3. The signer should sign the petition the same way they sign in with the elections inspector when they vote on election day. **Each signature must be dated**, and dates on the sheet must be in chronological order. **Print the signer's full name** next to their signature, and **print their address** above the area that says "Rye Brook, NY 10573." The witness may print the name and address for the signer. The **Election District should be left blank**, or can be filled-in if the witness is absolutely certain of the district number for that residence address.
4. Only the first petition signed by a Rye Brook resident is valid, so it is advantageous to **get your neighbors to sign during the first weeks in January**, before other candidates, if any, have had an opportunity to get their signatures first. If someone tells you they have already signed a petition for Rye Brook village candidates, you should thank them and move on. A witness cannot witness their own petition signature, and must not sign a petition for any other competing Rye Brook candidates.
5. The person signing the "Statement of Witness" at the bottom of each petition **must see the actual act of signing** by each signer. You may not leave petitions to be signed later by someone who is not presently home, nor wait outside while someone signs inside the house. Use a clip board so people can sign at the front door. **Only use pens** with black or blue ink. The date of the witness's signature must be the same as or after the date of all the other signatures on the petition. **The page number of the petition must be left blank.**
6. If a potential signer asks, signing a petition only means that they want our candidates to have a chance to run. Signing a petition has nothing to do with who they decide to vote for in March.

If you have any questions about this process, feel free to call Howard Lim at 939-7180.