



Reclamation District 1000 Board of Trustees Election 2026 Nomination Petition Instructions

Candidates may be nominated to serve on the Reclamation District No. 1000 Board of Trustees (RD1000) for a 4-year term to commence December 11, 2026, through a petition process. The election will be held on November 10, 2026. RD1000 board elections are governed by the California Water Code, Section [50730](#) *et seq.*, and the RD 1000-specific requirements of Water Code Section [50780](#) *et seq.*

Potential Candidates: For a candidate to be nominated and placed on the ballot for trustee, 5 valid signatures from eligible landowners must be obtained and submitted to RD1000. Signatures will be validated by District Staff.

- Step 1: Download the RD1000 Nomination Petition Forms from the RD1000 website. www.rd1000.org. You must use the RD1000 Nomination Petition forms.
- **Step 2:** Before obtaining signatures, the candidate must ensure any petition signatures are received by eligible voters within the District as deemed under [Water Code 50780.10](#). Signatures that cannot be verified will be deemed ineligible. Remember to also print the full name of each signer.
- **Step 3:** Nomination Petition signatures may be collected and filed with RD1000 between August 27 and September 17, 2026.
- Step 4: After obtaining signatures, complete and sign the Affidavit of Circular and the Affidavit of Nominee, and California Jurat. **Your signature must be notarized.**
- **Step 5:** Candidate Statements are encouraged, but optional. Candidate statements will be published in the election ballot materials.
- **Step 6:** Candidate FPPC Statements of Economic Interest [Form 700 \(required\)](#) must be filed with the District by September 17, 2026. Download the Form 700 using the link above.
- **Step 7:** Nomination Petitions with original signatures of eligible petition signers must be submitted to the District Secretary at the "District's Temporary Office" located at 2450 Venture Oaks Way, Suite 200, Sacramento, CA 95833 - **NO LATER THAN 4:30 pm on Thursday, September 17, 2026.**

Trustee Candidates

- A candidate for the RD1000 Board of Trustees position must be a resident landowner as defined by the California Water Code [50780.12](#).

Nomination Petition Signers

- A Nomination Petition Signer must be an eligible voter, a landowner within the boundaries of RD1000, or a designated proxy, as defined by California Water Code Sec [50780](#).
- Nomination Petition Signers must furnish an original signature and complete address (street address, city, state, zip). For verification purposes, a telephone number is also requested.