

Who Can Sign

Eligibility and Authorization Guidelines

Understanding who can legally and ethically sign the petition is crucial. This ensures the integrity of the process and the validity of the petition itself.

General Eligibility Criteria:

- Must be 18 years old or older (in most jurisdictions)
- Must be a resident of the jurisdiction affected
- Must be of sound mind (able to understand what they're signing)
- Must not be an employee of [relevant organization, if applicable]

Information Required from Signers:

- Full legal name (as it appears on official documents)
- Current residential address
- Contact information (phone or email)
- Date of signature
- Signature or explicit consent

People Who Cannot Sign:

- Non-residents of the affected jurisdiction
- Minors (under 18 years old)
- People with legally appointed guardians who handle legal matters
- Anyone who has explicitly requested not to be contacted

How to Verify Eligibility:

- Ask basic qualifying questions conversationally
- Verify they understand what they're signing
- Ensure they're providing accurate information
- When in doubt, ask for clarification

Documentation:

- Keep signers' information secure and private
- Maintain records for audit purposes
- Follow data protection regulations
- Be prepared to explain eligibility requirements if challenged