

Please answer the questions below.

When you answer the questions, they will automatically fill in that information where it belongs on the following forms that you will be filing with the court. Do not leave any questions blank. Any changes you make must be made to these questions; you will not be able to modify your answers in the forms themselves.

1. What is the name of the County where you will be filing these forms?

2. What is your current full name?

3. What is the full name you would like to change your name to?

4. What is your street address?

5. What are your town, state, and ZIP Code?

6. What is your telephone number, with area code? _____
7. Are you involved in other Court cases? _____
8. If you selected “Yes,” for each case you are involved, what is the name of the Court and Case Number and *briefly describe* what type of case it is. If you selected “No,” skip to the next question.

You have finished answering the questions. The following pages are the forms that you will be printing and then filing with the court. Please look over them to make sure the information is correct before you print them out. If you have changes, you must make them to the questions above. You may also save a copy of this packet if you need to obtain more information before answering the questions.

PLEASE NOTE: The court will set a hearing date when you file your Petition. Make sure this date is filled in on the Notice of Petition for Change of Name. You will need to take this Notice to the person who handles legal notices in your local newspaper. This Notice must appear once a week for three weeks. The last publication must be at least 30 days before the hearing. The newspaper will then send a proof of publication notice to you, which you will attach to the Notice of Filing Proof of Publication and then file these forms with the court.

STATE OF INDIANA) IN THE SUPERIOR/CIRCUIT COURT
) SS:
COUNTY OF) CASE NO.

IN RE THE NAME CHANGE OF:)
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Petitioner.)

NOTICE OF FILING PROOF OF PUBLICATION

Petitioner, _____, pro se, states as follows:

1. I have given notice of my Petition for Change of Name, pursuant to Indiana Code 34-28-2-3(a).
2. I have attached a copy of the published notice herein as Exhibit A.
3. The attached notice has been verified by the affidavit of a disinterested person.
4. More than thirty (30) days have passed since the last required publication of notice.

WHEREFORE, I respectfully request that this Court consider my Petition for Name Change, and for all other just and proper relief. I affirm under the penalties of perjury that the foregoing representations are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature

