

STATE OF INDIANA)
)
COUNTY OF ELKHART)

IN THE ELKHART SUPERIOR COURT
CASE NO: _____

IN RE THE NAME AND GENDER CHANGE OF:

Person Filing

VERIFIED PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME AND GENDER

Comes now _____, self-represented, and files a Verified petition for Change of Name and Gender, and states as follows:

1. My current legal name is: _____.
2. I am asking the Court to change my name according to Indiana Code §34-28-2-1.
3. I am asking the Court to change my gender according to the inherent equity jurisdiction of the court.
4. The current sex written on my birth certificate is: _____.
5. My date of birth is: _____.
6. My current address where I live is (*Include street name, city, state, and zip code*):
_____.
7. My Indiana identification card/driver's license number is: _____ .
 I do not have an Indiana Identification card or driver's license.
8. I have not been known by any other legal names.
 Previously my legal name was _____ and
was changed to my current legal name by way of marriage / adoption / other:
_____.
9. I was born in the city of _____ in the state of _____
and I am a United States citizen.

10. I do not hold a valid U.S. passport.

My passport number is _____.

11. I have no felony convictions.

That the following judgments of criminal conviction of a felony under the law of any state or the United States have been entered against me:

and I have provided the Elkhart County Sheriff (26861 Co Rd 26, Elkhart, IN 46517), Elkhart County Prosecutor (301 S Main St, Elkhart, IN 46516), and the Indiana Central Repository (CJIS Section P.O. Box 6188, Indianapolis, IN 46206) with notification of this filing **and a complete set of my fingerprints.**

12. I am not registered as a sex or violent offender who is disqualified by I.C. § 11-8-8-16(a) from changing my name.

13. My request is made in good faith and not for illegal purposes.

14. I want to change my name to: _____

so that my name matches my gender identity and presentation

Other: _____.

15. According to the inherent equity jurisdiction of the court and *In Re Petition for Change of Birth Certificate*, 22 N.E.3d707 (Ind. Ct. App. 2014), I want to change my gender marker from _____ to _____.

16. My request is made in good faith and not for illegal purposes.

17. I want to make this change because:

I want my legal gender to reflect my gender identity and presentation.

Other: _____.

For these reasons, I respectfully ask the court to grant my Verified Petition for Change of Name and Gender, and for all other just and proper relief.

I am the only party to this proceeding and therefore there is no other party to serve.

I affirm under the penalties for perjury that the statements made above are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature

Date

Printed Name

Email Address

STATE OF INDIANA

COUNTY OF ELKHART

Before me _____, a notary public _____ County,
State of Indiana, personally appeared _____, and being first
duly sworn upon his/her oath, says that the facts alleged in the foregoing instrument are true.

Date: _____

Notary Public _____

My Commission Expires _____