

Petition to nominate _____ for the position of At-Large Director on the USA Fencing Board of Directors

USFA Bylaws Article IX Section 4.b	<u>Nominations by Petition.</u> Except for Officer Directors and Independent Directors, additional candidates may be nominated by petition, provided that: i. The prospective candidate identifies the position for which he or she seeks selection and meets the qualifications of that position; and ii. Prior to or simultaneously with the submission of supporting petitions, the prospective candidate shall have in writing indicated his or her willingness to serve and acceded to the Qualifying Affirmation prescribed in this Article; and iii. The petitions submitted in support of the prospective candidate include no fewer than 25 subscriptions of voting members in good standing who have among them named no fewer than five separate member clubs as their primary affiliation and whose identity and intent are not reasonably subject to doubt.
USFA Bylaws Article IX Section 5	<u>Delivery of Petitions.</u> No petition shall serve to nominate a candidate for any USFA position unless the original and all parts thereof are submitted to the National Office of the USFA and a copy is received by the chair of the Election Committee before April 1 of the year in which the election is to be conducted. Proof of mailing by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, or by private delivery service guaranteeing delivery within two days and providing proof of delivery, postage or shipping prepaid, properly addressed to the intended recipient, not less than ten days before due, shall raise a presumption of timely delivery to the addressee. Electronic petitions and electronic delivery of copies of petitions are not permitted.
Action Petitioned For	We, the undersigned, nominate by petition _____ for the position of At-Large Director on the USA Fencing Board of Directors in the 2018 election.

Printed Name	Signature	Club	USFA Membership Number

