

**State of Iowa
Application for Political Party Status**

To become a political party in Iowa, a political organization must have had a candidate for president or governor who received at least 2 percent of the total votes cast at the last general election.

Print the party name in the form it should appear on ballots, voter registration forms, and other records.

Name of Political Organization: _____

Please provide information about the election at which your organization became qualified.

Date of General Election: _____ Office Sought: Governor U.S. President

Candidate's Name: _____

Name of Chairperson of Political Organization: _____

Pursuant to the requirements of Iowa Code section 43.2, we hereby request that the State Commissioner of Elections notify the state registrar of voters, the voter registration commission and the 99 counties of Iowa that the political organization named qualifies as a political party under Iowa law.

Candidate's Signature and Date

Chairperson's Signature and Date

Candidate's House Number and Street Name

Chairperson's House Number and Street Name

Candidate's City, State and Zip

Chairperson's City, State and Zip

Candidate's Telephone Number

Chairperson's Telephone Number

Candidate's Email

Chairperson's Email

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Number of votes received by applicant: _____

Total votes for the office: _____

Applicant's percentage of total votes: _____

Application is: accepted rejected

Signed by: _____ Date: _____
Iowa Secretary of State and State Commissioner of Elections

** Official recognition is effective 21 days from date of approval.*