

SPRINGVILLE CITY 2025 MUNICIPAL DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY

Please note that the information on this form may be available to the public in accordance with Utah State Code 63G-2-301 and 63G-2-210.

Michael

FIRST NAME (as it will appear on the ballot)

MIDDLE NAME (as it will appear on the ballot)

Snelson

LAST NAME (as it will appear on the ballot)

for the office of City Council for the 4 (two or four-year) term

for the city/town of Springville, UT

State of Utah }
County of Utah } ss.

I, Michael Snelson, being first sworn and under

penalty of perjury, say that I reside at _____

Street, City of Springville, County of Utah, state of

Utah, Zip Code 84663, Telephone Number (if any) 801 787 5208;

that I am a registered voter; and that I am a candidate for the office of Council member

(stating the term). I will meet the legal qualifications required of candidates for this office. If filing via a designated agent, I attest that I will be out of the state of Utah during the entire candidate filing period. I will file all campaign financial disclosure reports as required by law and I understand that failure to do so will result in my disqualification as a candidate for this office and removal of my name from the ballot. I request that my name be printed upon the applicable official ballots.

stonefacemike@gmail.com

Email Address
(one that is closely monitored)

Candidates must provide the filing officer with an email address at the time of filing if the candidate wishes to display a candidate profile on the Statewide Electronic Voter Information website. [20A-9-203\(4\)\(c\)\(iv\)\(B\)](#)

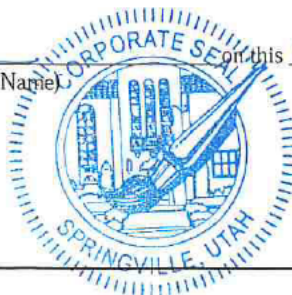
[Signature]

Signature of Candidate
(Must be signed in the presence of the filing officer)

Subscribed and sworn to before [Signature] on this 06/02/2025
(Filing Officer Name) (month/day/year)

06/02/2025 8:39 am.

Date/Time Received



QUALIFICATIONS FOR CANDIDATE FILING DECLARATION

Please initial:

MS The filing officer read the constitutional and statutory qualifications as listed below to me, and I meet those qualifications.

MS I understand that an individual who holds a municipal elected office may not, at the same time, hold a county elected office.

MS I agree to file all campaign financial disclosure reports, and I understand that failure to do so may result in my disqualification as a candidate for this office, possible fines and/or criminal penalties, including removal of my name from the ballot.

MS I have complied with the conflict of interest disclosure requirements as required in 10-3-301.5.

MS I received a copy of the pledge of fair campaign practices, and I understand that signing this pledge is voluntary.

MS I provided a valid email, or physical address if no email is available, and I understand this will be used for official communications and updates from election officials.

MS I understand I will receive all financial disclosure notices by email.

MS I understand my name will appear on the ballot as it is printed on this declaration of candidacy, and that I may not make any amendments or modifications after 5:00 p.m. on June 6, 2025.

MS I have received a copy of Section 20A-7-801 regarding the Statewide Electronic Voter Information Website Program and its applicable deadline.

K. Cue

Signature of Filing Officer

06/02/2025

Date

QUALIFICATIONS

Before the filing officer accepts any declaration of candidacy, the filing officer shall read to the candidate the constitutional and statutory requirements for candidacy, and the candidate shall state whether he/she fulfills the requirements. If the candidate indicates that he/she does not qualify, the filing officer may not accept his/her declaration of candidacy (Utah Code Section 20A-9-203).

MUNICIPAL CANDIDATE

Utah Code §10-3-301

Utah Code §20A-9-203

- Registered voter in the municipality in which the individual is elected*
- Must have resided within the municipality for which the candidate is seeking office for the 12 consecutive months immediately before the date of the election.
- Maintain a principal place of residence within the municipality, and within the district that the elected officer represents, during the officer's term of office
- If the individual resides in a territory which was annexed into the municipality: must have resided within the annexed territory or the municipality the 12 consecutive months immediately before the date of the election.
- Pay filing fee, if one is required by municipal ordinance
- Not convicted of a felony, treason, crime, or offense relating to elections**
- Cannot have been declared mentally incompetent

* Utah Code §20A-2-101 states: A registered voter (1) is a citizen of the United States; (2) is a resident of Utah; (3) will, on the date of that election, be at least 18 years old, (4) has been a resident of Utah for 30 days immediately before that election; (5) and is registered to vote.

** Utah Code §20A-2-101.5 states: A person convicted of a felony loses the right to hold office until (1) all felony convictions have been expunged, OR (2) ten years have passed since the most recent felony conviction AND the person has paid all court-ordered restitution and fines AND the person has completed probation, been granted parole, or completed the term of incarceration associated with the felony.



PLEDGE OF FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES

(Utah Code §20A-9-206)

There are basic principles of decency, honesty, and fair play which every candidate for public office in the State of Utah has a moral obligation to observe and uphold, in order that, after vigorously contested but fairly conducted campaigns, our citizens may exercise their right to a free election, and that the will of the people may be fully and clearly expressed on the issues.

THEREFORE:

I SHALL conduct my campaign openly and publicly, discussing the issues as I see them, presenting my record and policies with sincerity and frankness, and criticizing, without fear or favor, the record and policies of my opponents that I believe merit criticism.

I SHALL NOT use, nor shall I permit the use of, scurrilous attacks on any candidate or the candidate's immediate family. I shall not participate in, nor shall I permit the use of, defamation, libel, or slander against any candidate or the candidate's immediate family. I shall not participate in, nor shall I permit the use of, any other criticism of any candidate or the candidate's immediate family that I do not believe to be truthful, provable, and relevant to my campaign.

I SHALL NOT use, nor shall I permit the use of, any practice that tends to corrupt or undermine our American system of free elections, or that hinders or prevents the free expression of the will of the voters, including practices intended to hinder or prevent any eligible person from registering to vote or voting.

I SHALL NOT coerce election help or campaign contributions for myself or for any other candidate from my employees or volunteers.

I SHALL immediately and publicly repudiate support deriving from any individual or group which resorts, on behalf of my candidacy or in opposition to that of an opponent, to methods in violation of the letter or spirit of this pledge. I shall accept responsibility to take firm action against any subordinate who violates any provision of this pledge or the laws governing elections.

I SHALL defend and uphold the right of every qualified American voter to full and equal participation in the electoral process.

I, the undersigned, candidate for election to public office in the State of Utah, hereby voluntarily endorse, subscribe to, and solemnly pledge myself to conduct my campaign in accordance with the above principles and practices."

Printed Name: Michael Snelson Office: City Council

Signature: [Handwritten Signature] Date: 6/2/2025

*This is a voluntary pledge. Candidates are not required to sign this pledge of fair campaign practices.

*This document is considered a public record and will be retained for public inspection until 30 days following the election.



CONFLICT OF INTEREST DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
(UCA 10-3-301.5(c))

I, Michael Snelson, currently hold the office of
Council member and am seeking re-election. My Disclosure Statement on file is
updated and accurate as of the date of filing this declaration of candidacy.


Signature

6/2/2025
Date


Elections Official



06/02/2025
Date



SPRINGVILLE CITY
OFFICER AND EMPLOYEE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

I, Michael Snelson, holding the position of Councilmember for Springville City, hereby submit this Disclosure Statement in accordance with the provisions of the Utah Municipal Officers' and Employees' Ethics Act as set forth in Utah Code Annotated Section 10-3-1301 to 10-3-1312, as amended, for the purpose of disclosing actual or potential conflicts of interest which exist or may arise between by public duties and my personal interests. *One form must be filled out for each business or personal conflict of interest disclosure. Please indicate one or more of the following as applicable to your potential conflict of interest and then give particulars.*

Employment Disclosure

Every person holding a position with Springville City must disclose any additional position held as an officer, director, agent, or employee of a business entity required to have a business license by the City, which does or anticipates doing business with the City, or which the officer or employee of Springville City may receive or agree to receive compensation from for assisting in any transaction involving the City. As used herein, "business entity" shall include any sole proprietorship, partnership, association, joint venture, corporation, limited liability company, firm, trust, foundation, or other organization or entity used in carrying on a business.

Business Interest Disclosure

Every person holding a position with Springville City must disclose any ownership or substantial interest in any business entity that may be subject to the regulation of the City or which does or anticipates doing business with the City. As used herein, "substantial interest" shall include the ownership, either legally or equitably, by the employee or officer, and his or her spouse or minor children, of at least 10% of the outstanding shares of a corporation or 10% interest in any business entity. This section shall not require the disclosure of interest that does not exceed \$2,000.00. Life insurance policies and annuities need not be considered in determining the value of any such interest.

Other Personal Interest Disclosure

Every person holding a position with Springville City must disclose any personal interest or investment that creates or has the appearance of creating a conflict between the employee's or official's personal interests and his/her public duties.

1. Name of Business Entity or Person: Snelson PhotoColor Lab, Inc.
2. Address of Entity or Person: 80 W Center Street
Springville, UT 84663
3. Position held with Entity: President
4. Principal Activity engaged in by Entity or Person: Photo printing
5. Nature of the regulation of the Entity by the City (including any licenses, permits, etc. issued by the City):
Business license
6. Nature of the business that the Entity or Person does or anticipates doing for the City:
Photo Printing
7. Nature of the transaction involving the City for which the employee or officer of Springville City may receive or agree to receive compensation from the Entity or Person for assisting, including a description of the services to be performed and the compensation to be rendered:
Photo Printing, photography
8. Nature of Interest or Investment: Owner

☒ I have no interest or investment that may conflict with my public duties to disclose.

☒ THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE IN STATUS FROM PREVIOUSLY FILED SPRINGVILLE CITY DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS.

Signed by: Michael Snelson

Date: 6/2/2025