_____ LODGE NO. _____, A. F. & A. M.

_____, NORTH CAROLINA

PETITION FOR DEGREES

Dated _____ at _____, N. C.

Phones

    Residence (_____) _____

    Business (_____) _____

    Mobile (_____) _____

    E-mail address _____

Petition Status		Degrees	
Read	_____	EA	_____
Elected	_____	FC	_____
Rejected	_____	MM	_____

TO THE MASTER, WARDENS, AND MEMBERS

I, _____, being a free man and of

<p align="center">PRINT your COMPLETE name: First, middle, other middle, surname, suffix</p>

full age of _____ years, do acknowledge my belief in the existence of one ever-living and true God and do declare that, unbiased by improper solicitation of friends, and uninfluenced by mercenary motives, I

> Freely and voluntarily offer myself a candidate for the Mysteries of Masonry and am prompted by a favorable opinion conceived of the institution. I have a desire for knowledge and a sincere wish to be of service to my fellow creatures. I am possessed of sufficient means to enable me to meet the charges of initiation and the support of membership in the Craft without detriment to my family or connections. I will cheerfully conform to all the ancient usages and established customs of the order and I am aware that Free-masonry offers no pecuniary benefits to its members and am satisfied that I have been fully informed on the financial obligations I shall incur as a member of the Lodge. I agree that all verbal or written communications made in connection with this petition, and as to my character and qualification for admission into Freemasonry, shall be privileged.

Please answer the following questions completely.

Birth Date _____ Place _____
             MM/DD/YYYY   [City or postal area, county, state, country]

Father's Full Name _____
                                      [First, middle, other middle, surname, suffix]

Mother's Name at Birth _____
                                      [First, middle, other middle, surname]

Spouse's Name at Birth _____ Birth Date _____
                          [First, middle, other middle, surname]

Present Residence Address _____
                                    [Number, street, apt., city, state, zip-code]

Please list all previous addresses for the past FIVE YEARS:

From _____ To _____ At _____
                                       [Number, street, apt., city, state, zip-code]

_____ To _____ At _____
                                       [Number, street, apt., city, state, zip-code]

Current Mailing Address _____
                                    [Number, street, apt., city, state, zip-code]

Have you petitioned for degrees in Masonry before? "Yes/No" (Circle Your Answer) (If Yes, please provide particulars:)

Year	Lodge Name	Number	Located in	Action taken

_____

Have you any physical disabilities? "Yes/No" (Circle Your Answer)   (If yes, please describe in detail.)

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Have you ever been charged, pleaded to, or convicted of a felony?   "Yes/No"   (Circle Your Answer)

(If Yes, please provide date and place.)

_____

My present occupation is _____   Employer _____

Address _____
[Number, street, apt., city, state, zip-code]

My Supervisor _____   Telephone _____

Please list employment history for the past FIVE YEARS. (Include service in the armed forces.)

From	To	Employer	Address	Occupation/Title

My references are:

Full Name	Company	Position/Title	Telephone: Residence Business Mobile
1. _____			
2. _____			
3. _____			
4. _____			
5. _____			

I have served in the Armed Forces "Yes/No" (Circle Your Answer) Branch _____   From _____   To _____

   IF YES TO ABOVE: Highest Rank/Grade Attained _____ Type of Discharge _____ Veteran of _____
[Combat Service]

Have you been a member of the Order of DeMolay?   "Yes/No"   (Circle Your Answer)

I have carefully reviewed the statements made by me in this petition, and upon my honor, declare them to be true. I am also aware that the Grand Lodge of North Carolina will conduct an independent investigation of public records through a consumer reporting agency the fee of which is included in the cost outlined on this petition and is non-refundable.

Initiation Fee enclosed $ _____**150**.**00**

   Investigation Fee $ _____**20.00** as of 01/01/2020
(non-refundable)

   Total Fee enclosed $ _____150.00 170.**00**   _____
[Sign your name in full]

We, the undersigned members of the lodge, personally acquainted with the petitioner, cheerfully recommend the Petitioner as a fit and proper candidate for the degrees of Masonry.

I have known the petitioner for _____ years _____ / _____
[Signature]   **[Print Full Name & Member Number]**

I have known the petitioner for _____ years _____ / _____
[Signature]   **[Print Full Name & Member Number]**

I do hereby certify that I have checked the foregoing petition against the records in this office and find the following:

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Dated at Raleigh, N. C._____   _____
[Grand Secretary]