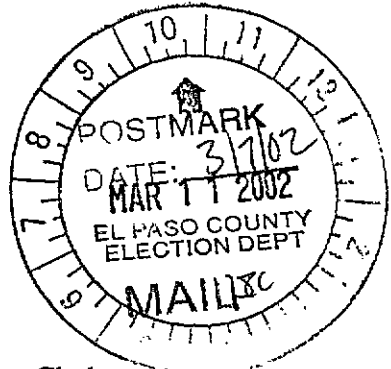


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This affidavit shall certify that I, M.L. "Beck" Bechtelheimer, a member of the N/A political party/organization (if applicable), am a candidate for election/retention [pursuant to CRS 1-45-103(1.5)] for the office of Director District of Cherokee Metropolitan (if applicable).

I further certify that I am familiar with the provisions of the Colorado Fair Campaign Practices (FCPA) as required in §1-45-110 of the Colorado Revised Statutes.

Signature of Candidate M.L. Bechtelheimer Date 03/04/02

Address of Candidate 2008 Ambleside Drive, Colorado Spgs, CO 80915

E-Mail Address (optional) _____ Web Site Address (optional) _____

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Before me, Dian D. Hardekopf, a notary/officer duly authorized to administer oaths, in and for said State, personally appeared Mickey L. Bechtelheimer, whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Candidate Affidavit, and who affirms, that said statements are true and that he/she acknowledges the execution of said instrument to be of their own free act and voluntary deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Subscribed and affirmed to before me this 4th day of March, 2002

Dian D. Hardekopf
Signature of Notary/Official

My Commission Expires: 02-26-03

