

CHECK LIST FOR NAME CHANGE OF ADULT

1. Complete sworn PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE form in full.
2. Attach copy of your birth certificate.
3. Attach copy of your Driver's License or other form of government issued picture I.D.
4. Pay filing fee to the Clerk's office and file Petition.
5. Set Court date with Clerk's office. (The Court date will only be set after steps one (1) through four (4) are completed.

**IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR SUMNER COUNTY, TENNESSEE
AT GALLATIN**

IN RE: THE NAME CHANGE OF: _____)
_____) NO. _____ -CV- _____

PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE

- Directions:**
1. Print and use current FULL NAME. First, middle, last
 2. Attach a copy of your BIRTH CERTIFICATE.
 3. Attach a copy of your DRIVER'S LICENSE OR OTHER IDENTIFICATION.
 4. Print your FULL ADDRESS which includes ZIP CODE.

1. The petitioner, _____, respectfully shows the court as follows:

2. Petitioner is a resident of Sumner County, Tennessee and petitioner's street address is

Street address City Zip code

Petitioner's phone number is: _____.

3. Petitioner has been a resident of the State of Tennessee for _____ years.

4. The full legal name on the Petitioner's birth certificate (copy attached) is:

First Middle Last

5. Petitioner was born on the _____ day of _____, 2_____

in _____, _____, _____.
City State County

6. Petitioner seeks a name change. (Check all that apply)

- To correct birth certificate;
- To change name on birth certificate;
- To change name on Social Security Card;
- To be restored to maiden name;
- Personal reasons (must explain here and will testify to in Court.) _____

7. Petitioner requests that his/her name be changed from:

to _____.

8. Petitioner states that the request for name change is not to defraud, evade law enforcement authorities or creditors pursuant to T.C.A. 29-8-101.

9. Petitioner states that he/she has not been convicted of first or second degree murder; that he/she is not required to register pursuant to Sexual Offender Registration and Monitoring Act, codified at T.C.A Title 40, Chapter 39.

10. Petitioner states that he/she has a Tennessee Driver's License or identification card, that the number is _____ (copy attached).

PREMISES SEEN AND CONSIDERED, PETITIONER PRAYS:

1. That upon a hearing in open court that the petitioner be granted a name change from

_____ to _____
for legal purposes which shall be shown to the court.

2. For such other further and general relief to which he/she may be entitled.

Submitted under oath,

Name _____

Address _____

Phone # _____

Subscribed and sworn before me this _____ day of _____, _____.

Clerk of court or Notary Public

My Commission expires: _____

**THIS IS SET TO BE HEARD ON THE _____ DAY OF _____, _____
AT _____ AM/PM.**

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