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Requirements for the Role of a Sponsor for Confirmation

Name of youth to be confirmed (print): _____

Name of sponsor (print): _____

Youth are encouraged to choose a sponsor among family and friends qualified to serve in that capacity. The sponsor not only serves as a witness at the ceremony of initiation but also assist the child in leading a Christian life. Therefore, Church law requires that sponsors be people who are living the Catholic faith and meet the following qualifications (Canons 872-874):

Please Initial Each

_____ I am at least 16 years of age.

_____ I am a practicing Catholic who has received the three Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Holy Communion and Confirmation.

_____ As a practicing Catholic, I attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation at my home parish of _____ in _____.

(City/State/Country)

_____ If I am married, my current marriage is a valid Catholic marriage. I was married in _____ at _____.

(City/State/Country) (Name of Parish)

_____ I am not cohabitating, which is living together without marriage.

_____ I am not a parent of the child to be initiated.

_____ I promise that I intend to assist the parents of the child in their duty as Christian parents by being a witness to the Catholic faith and by helping the child lead a Christian life.

I hereby declare that I am a registered member of the Catholic parish named below and that I meet the above qualifications to be a sponsor for the child named above. Prospective sponsor's signature:

_____ Date: _____

I am a registered member of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Roman Catholic Church, Las Vegas, NV. Parish envelope number _____

I am a member of another Parish. **(The form below is to be completed by that parish.)**

I certify that (print) _____ is a registered member of our parish.

Signature of Pastor/Delegate: _____ **Date:** _____

Parish Name: _____ **Parish Seal**

City: _____ **State:** _____