



MARK A. LUNN

Ventura County Clerk and Recorder
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(805) 654-2263

Statement of Domestic Partnership

We declare under penalty of perjury that:

1. We reside together and share common necessities of life;
2. At least one of us lives or is employed in Ventura County;
3. Neither of us is married or in a domestic partnership with anyone else;
4. We are both eighteen (18) years of age or older;
5. We are not related by blood so close as to bar marriage in the State of California and are mentally competent to consent to contract;
6. We are each other's sole domestic partner and intend to remain so indefinitely and are responsible for our common welfare;
7. We will, jointly and severally, agree to file a Statement of Termination of Domestic Partnership with the Ventura County Clerk and Recorder if any of the declarations of the Statement of Domestic Partnership ceases to be true;
8. We understand that the registration of the Statement of Domestic Partnership with the Ventura County Clerk and Recorder constitutes a filing of a domestic partnership of continuous duration until either of us files a Termination or Statement of Death of Domestic Partnership; and
9. We understand that we are solely responsible for any and all statements made in the Statement of Domestic Partnership and for any losses or damages caused thereby, and they, jointly and severally, agree to hold the County of Ventura harmless from any liability arising out of or relating to any Statement of Partnership filed with the County of Ventura.

We, the undersigned, do declare under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California that the statements above are true and correct.

This document is a Public Record

Executed on _____, in Ventura County, California

Signature

Signature

Printed Name

Printed Name

Complete Residence Address

Statement of Domestic Partnership Instructions

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Ventura County provides for the filing of Domestic Partnerships regardless of their gender

Two persons may file for a Domestic Partnership if:

- They are both eighteen years of age or older
- They reside together and share common necessities of life
- At least one person lives or is employed in Ventura County
- Neither is married
- They are not related to each other in a way which would bar a marriage in California and are mentally competent to consent to contract
- They are each other's sole domestic partner and intend to remain so indefinitely and are responsible for our common welfare
- Parties understand that the registration of the Statement of Domestic Partnership with the Ventura County Clerk and Recorder constitutes a filing of a domestic partnership of continuous duration until either of us files a Termination or Statement of Death of Domestic Partnership
- Parties sign to the fact they understand that we are solely responsible for any and all statements made in the Statement of Domestic Partnership and for any losses or damages caused thereby, and they, jointly and severally, agree to hold the County of Ventura harmless from any liability arising out of or relating to any Statement of Partnership filed with the County of Ventura

How to file for a Domestic Partnership

By Mail:

Submit the completed Statement of Domestic Partnership with the fee of \$30.00 check or money order payable to the Ventura County Clerk and Records Office. Both parties must have their signatures acknowledged by a notary public when submitting Statement of Partnership for filing through the mail. A certified copy will be sent to the address provided on the Statement of Domestic Partnership.

In Person:

Both parties must appear in person and present valid government identification. The fee for filing is \$30.00 and a certified copy of the filing will be provided at that time.

Important Information:

The Statement of Domestic Partnership filing in Ventura County is different than the State of California Domestic Partnership filed with the California Secretary of State. Please consult California Family Code 297 for State of California standards to establish a registered domestic partnership.

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

California Acknowledgement – Notarization is required by mail

State of _____

County of _____

On _____ before me, (_____, Notary Public), personally appeared

_____, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity (ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under Penalty of Perjury under the law of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signature of notary _____ (Seal)

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