

DECLARATION OF KATTIE VINSON KENDRICK

My name is Kattie Vinson Kendrick and I am over the age of 18 and fully competent to make this declaration. Under penalty of perjury, I declare the following:

1. I am a registered Georgia voter and resident in Peach County.
2. I am a United States citizen and am 71 years old. I have not been declared mentally incompetent by a judge, and I am not currently serving a sentence for a felony conviction.
3. If there's an election, I vote! I try to vote at every single election—local, state, federal. I'm very civically engaged with my county. I try to help everyone I know get engaged as well. When elections are happening, I make sure I contact my family and friends to make sure they're voting.
4. I run a nonprofit with a focus on community engagement in Crawford, Macon, Peach, and Taylor Counties. We try to get the community as civically involved as we can. We do get out the vote efforts, get out the census, voter registration, and voter education. We even recently held a Peach County town hall that was very successful. Nearly every local elected official that touches Peach County showed up! We also sponsor a Future Leaders program, where we helped teach 20-35-year-olds everything that goes into making your community a good place to live.
5. We've been trying to figure out how to help people vote absentee during the pandemic. Peach is a very rural county without much in the way of public transportation, and a lot of people don't have reliable cars, so getting out the vote can be very hard here. A lot of times people get around by giving each other rides, but during the pandemic, it would be dangerous to load up a car with a bunch of people to take them to the polling place or to a

county office to drop off their ballots. Mailing back absentee ballots is the only option that really makes sense.

6. There are a lot of people living here who would have a hard time paying \$10 for a book of stamps, not to mention actually getting them during the pandemic, so I worry about people being able to mail their ballots back in. Our nonprofit has been really struggling to figure out how to get stamps out to everyone.
7. I'm voting absentee myself this year. I've been self-isolating very strictly because of the pandemic. I'm high risk because I have a lot of underlying conditions—I am a cancer survivor and I have diabetes.
8. I'm a person of faith, but I'm not going to tempt it with this pandemic. I'm not taking any chances. If I don't have to go outside, I'm not going outside.
9. I usually vote early in person. I'm voting absentee this year because I don't want to risk my health by voting in person.
10. Even though I have stamps at home, I don't have a postage scale to determine how many stamps I need to put on my ballot. I don't know anyone, or even any business, that has one. I just put one stamp on my application for a ballot this year, but I'm not sure why I did it that way.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.



Kattie Vinson Kendrick


Date