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Chris Giunchigliani nominated by petition for County Commission post

*More than 250 Democratic voters use petition process to place
veteran legislator's name into nomination*

LAS VEGAS—Supporters of Chris Giunchigliani dusted off a little-used Nevada law and filed a petition with more than 250 signatures of Democratic voters to nominate Giunchigliani for County Commission, District E, late today. Nevada statute requires at least 10 signatures.

The process, known as a Certificate of Candidacy, was filed with the Clark County Election Department. The process requires the Registrar of Voters to notify Giunchigliani of her nomination and provide her with an opportunity to accept.

Giunchigliani said today that she would accept the nomination and file for office next week. “I’m already walking door-to-door campaigning and talking to voters in District E,” Giunchigliani stated. “It’s touching and gratifying to have so many people actually petition for my entry into this race.”

“There’s a sense that it is time for a change in the way things are done, and folks who gathered these signatures underlined that with the sort of

grassroots, person-to-person involvement that I always make a part of my campaign,” Giunchigliani said.

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ATTACHMENT:

NRS 293.180 Certificates of candidacy: Requirements; filing; acceptance of candidacy.

1. Ten or more registered voters may, not earlier than the first Monday in April nor later than 5 p.m. on the first Friday in May, file a certificate of candidacy designating any registered voter as a candidate for his major political party’s nomination for any partisan elective office, or as a candidate for nomination for any nonpartisan office. When the certificate has been filed, the officer in whose office it is filed shall notify the person named in the certificate. If the person named in the certificate files an acceptance of candidacy and pays the required fee, as provided by law, he is a candidate in the primary election in like manner as if he had filed a declaration of candidacy.

2. If a certificate of candidacy relates to a partisan office, all of the signers must be of the same major political party as the candidate designated.