



PETITION FOR THE DEGREES OF MASONRY

To the Worshipful Master, Wardens, and Brethren of _____ Mesa _____

Lodge No. 55, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons:

The petition of the subscriber respectfully represents that having long entertained a favorable opinion of your ancient institution, he is desirous, if found worthy, of being made an Entered Apprentice, Fellow Craft, and Master Mason, and of being admitted a member of your Lodge. If accepted, he pledges himself to a cheerful obedience to the requirements of your By-laws, and promises a strict conformity to the ancient usages and customs and the established rules and regulations of the Fraternity.

(Questions to be answered in writing by the petitioner.)

I understand I may be subject to a background investigation... Please Initial _____

Date of Birth _____ Where were you born? _____

What is your occupation? _____

How long have you lived in Colorado? _____

Do you believe in the existence of one ever-living true God? Yes _____ No _____

Do you know of any physical, legal, or moral reason which should prevent you from becoming a Freemason? _____

Have you in the past violated, or are you now violating, the criminal law of any state or country in which you have resided or in which you are now residing? _____

Do you promise not to violate any such laws in the future? Yes _____ No _____

Have you ever applied for the degrees of Masonry? Yes _____ No _____

If yes when and in what Lodge(s)? _____

Are you Married? Yes _____ No _____ Wife's Name? _____

State place of residence and occupation during the past five years: _____

Dated at _____, Colorado, this _____, day of _____

Recommended by:

Members of the Lodge and Fraternity who have known the petitioner for at least 6 months, one of whom must be a member of this Lodge. (Section 149 of the Book of Constitution)

(Name in full – Please Print)

(Signature)

(Name in full – Please Print)

(Signature)

Contact Information:

(Name in full – Please Print)

(Signature)

(Address)

(City, State Zip)

(Phone Home - Cell - Business)

(Email Address)

This petition will not be received unless accompanied by the required fee. \$100



This Side to be Filled Out by the Secretary

Lodge _____ No. _____

Ancient Free & Accepted Masons of Colorado

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For the Degrees of Masonry

Recommended By

Petition Received: _____

Investigating Committee

(Name) (Phone)

(Name) (Phone)

(Name) (Phone)

Report Due: Date _____

Report Received: Date _____

Ballot Taken: Date _____

Result: _____

Accompanying Fee: _____

E. A. Degree _____ Ex _____

F. C. Degree _____ Ex _____

M. M. Degree _____ Ex _____





CANDIDATE BACKGROUND WAIVER

Name: _____
First Middle Last

Current Address: _____
Street Apt/Suite

_____ City State Zip Code

Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / ____
Month Day Year

Social Security No: _____

“I hereby authorize Mesa Lodge No. 55 to which I have submitted a Petition for the Three Degrees of Freemasonry, for Dual Membership or for Affiliation, to contact any company or individual they deem appropriate to investigate my background, criminal or civil court history, character and qualifications and I give my full and complete consent to their review of any and all information they obtain as a result of this investigation. I give my consent for the Lodge to conduct this/these investigation(s). I understand that any material found that is or may be associated with me and is deemed inappropriate by the Lodge as having possible adverse effects on the fraternity is justification for my immediate disqualification as a petitioner. In addition, I hereby waive my right to bring any cause of action against the Lodge, its officers or members for defamation, invasion of privacy or any other reason arising from their investigation and decision. I further understand that the original background investigation obtained by the Lodge will be returned to me.”

Signature Date

Original background investigation returned to me this ____ day of _____

Signature