



Legion of Mary
RATIFICATION OF A COUNCIL OFFICER
(By Comitium or by the San Francisco Senatus)

Council Name: _____ **City and State** _____

Name of officer to be ratified: _____

Name of Higher Council (Granting this Ratification): _____

Position (*President, VP, Secretary or Treasurer:* _____)

Term of Office (*1st or 2nd*) _____

Date of Election _____

Council officers are elected by the council members and are presented for ratification to its next higher council). The officer can hold office for a 3-year term and is eligible for another three years, but not to exceed two 3-year terms consecutively or more than six years in the same position.

Signature of Spiritual Director or Pastor:

X _____
Spiritual Director or Pastor

By signing this document, the person above is aware of the qualifications of the person, was elected according to the Handbook rules by the council and regards him or her as suitable for office.

Ratification Process Requirements*

Has the proposing Council submitted the approved Secretary’s Minutes summarizing the nomination and election details?

Yes _____ No _____

* If no, the ratification proposal will be postponed until the minutes have been received.

Name of person who proposed nomination: _____

Name of person who seconded nomination: _____

Were there any other proposed candidates: Yes _____ No _____

If yes, number of votes received by officer for ratification: _____

Number of combined votes received by remaining candidates: _____

If no, name of person who proposed closing the nomination. _____

Name of seconder to close the nomination: _____



Information of Elected Council Officer

Home Address: _____

City _____ State and Zip _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Date Legion Promise Taken: _____

Approximate Length of time as a Legionary: _____

Does officer understand and is willing to perform the duties required for this office (in particular the requirement of attending the monthly council meeting?)

Please check: Yes _____ or No _____

Signature of Elected Officer

X

Officer For Ratification

By signing this document, I certify that I am a Catholic in good standing, and that I agree to accept, promote and assent to the dogmas and doctrines of our Catholic Faith (as contained in its Catechism and those included in the document “Membership Requirements”). I also agree to be faithful and obey the rules of the Legion of Mary and to fulfill all the responsibilities of this office, foremost of which, is the regular attendance at the monthly Council Meeting.

***FOR DETAILS ON THE ELECTION AND RATIFICATION PROCESS PLEASE REFER TO THE LEGION OF MARY HANDBOOK, CHAPTER 13.**