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COUNTY	DEMOCRATIC Governor (Sutton, Lavallee)	LIBERTARIAN Governor (Evans, Shelatz)	REPUBLICAN Governor (Noem, Rhoden)	2018 TOTAL vote for Governor	AT-LARGE COUNTY Candidates 2020 Signatures required (1% of Total)	COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT Candidates 2020 Signatures required
Aurora	607	29	644	1280	13	CALL AUDITOR
Beadle	2832	94	3182	6108	62	CALL AUDITOR
Bennett (AL)	523	26	553	1102	12	X
Bon Homme	1408	36	1303	2747	28	CALL AUDITOR
Brookings (AL, VC)	X	X	X	SDCL 12-6-7	30	X
Brown (AL, VC)	X	X	X	SDCL 12-6-7	30	X
Brule	991	36	1103	2130	22	CALL AUDITOR
Buffalo	403	7	138	548	6	CALL AUDITOR
Butte	1234	69	2505	3808	39	CALL AUDITOR
Campbell	173	9	550	732	8	CALL AUDITOR
Charles Mix	1853	38	1661	3552	36	CALL AUDITOR
Clark	768	17	879	1664	17	CALL AUDITOR
Clay (AL)	3039	53	1552	4644	47	X
Codington	4697	131	5865	10693	107	CALL AUDITOR
Corson	667	17	426	1110	12	CALL AUDITOR
Custer (AL)	1547	73	2789	4409	45	X
Davison	3398	97	3779	7274	73	CALL AUDITOR
Day	1531	39	1207	2777	28	CALL AUDITOR
Deuel	893	43	1053	1989	20	CALL AUDITOR
Dewey	1430	18	393	1841	19	CALL AUDITOR
Douglas	363	13	1120	1496	15	CALL AUDITOR
Edmunds	671	19	1018	1708	18	CALL AUDITOR
Fall River (AL)	1065	68	2059	3192	32	X
Faulk (AL)	388	13	674	1075	11	X
Grant	1388	52	1780	3220	33	CALL AUDITOR
Gregory	1029	17	1107	2153	22	CALL AUDITOR
Haakon	196	15	734	945	10	CALL AUDITOR
Hamlin	923	29	1764	2716	28	CALL AUDITOR
Hand	683	29	950	1662	17	CALL AUDITOR
Hanson	647	18	945	1610	17	CALL AUDITOR

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Harding	174	7	505	686	7	CALL AUDITOR
Hughes (AL, VC)	X	X	X	SDCL 12-6-7	30	X
Hutchinson	1180	28	2082	3290	33	CALL AUDITOR
Hyde (VC)	X	X	X	SDCL 12-6-7	30	15
Jackson	454	20	513	987	10	CALL AUDITOR
Jerault	433	12	478	923	10	CALL AUDITOR
Jones	173	12	361	546	6	CALL AUDITOR
Kingsbury	1111	41	1303	2455	25	CALL AUDITOR
Lake (AL)	2669	55	2483	5207	53	X
Lawrence (AL)	4675	239	5984	10898	109	X
Lincoln	11109	203	12894	24206	243	CALL AUDITOR
Lyman (AL)	682	27	691	1400	14	X
Marshall	1093	31	853	1977	20	CALL AUDITOR
McCook	1083	39	1375	2497	25	CALL AUDITOR
McPherson	309	16	729	1054	11	CALL AUDITOR
Meade	3559	256	6413	10228	103	CALL AUDITOR
Mellette	395	17	299	711	8	CALL AUDITOR
Miner (AL)	570	12	523	1105	12	X
Minnehaha (AL)	37450	866	32355	70671	707	X
Moody	1469	44	1340	2853	29	CALL AUDITOR
Oglala Lakota	2778	44	214	3036	31	CALL AUDITOR
Pennington	17988	738	22944	41670	417	CALL AUDITOR
Perkins	368	23	953	1344	14	CALL AUDITOR
Potter (VC)	X	X	X	SDCL 12-6-7	30	15
Roberts	2062	40	1643	3745	38	CALL AUDITOR
Sanborn	419	16	593	1028	11	CALL AUDITOR
Spink	1394	37	1376	2807	29	CALL AUDITOR
Stanley	704	21	762	1487	15	CALL AUDITOR
Sully (VC)	X	X	X	SDCL 12-6-7	30	15
Todd	1831	20	390	2241	23	CALL AUDITOR

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Tripp	1023	36	1430	2489	25	CALL AUDITOR
Turner	1556	39	2272	3867	39	CALL AUDITOR
Union	2544	73	4068	6685	67	CALL AUDITOR
Walworth	752	39	1468	2259	23	CALL AUDITOR
Yankton (AL, VC)	X	X	X	SDCL 12-6-7	30	X
Ziebach (AL)	572	9	241	822	9	X

12-7-1. Certificate of nomination for nonjudicial public office--Exceptions--Requirements. Any candidate for nonjudicial public office, except as provided in § 12-7-7, who is not nominated by a primary election may be nominated by filing a certificate of nomination with the secretary of state or county auditor as prescribed by § 12-6-4, after December thirty-first and by the last Tuesday of April at 5:00 p.m. local time before the election. A certificate of nomination shall be executed as provided in chapter 12-6. If the certificate of nomination is mailed by registered mail by the last Tuesday of April at 5:00 p.m. local time before the election, it is timely submitted. The certificate of nomination shall be signed by registered voters within the district or political subdivision in and for which the officers are to be elected. The number of **signatures required may not be less than one percent of the total combined vote cast for Governor at the last certified gubernatorial election within the district or political subdivision.** The State Board of Elections shall promulgate rules, pursuant to chapter 1-26, prescribing the forms for the certificate of nomination.

12-6-7. Petition composed of several sheets--Signature requirements. A nominating petition may be composed of several sheets, each sheet shall have identical headings printed at the top and shall be a self-contained sheet of paper. The petition for party office or political public office shall be signed by not less than one percent of the voters who voted for that party's gubernatorial candidate at the last gubernatorial election in the county, part of the county, district, or state electing a candidate to fill the office. If the party meets the requirement for **alternative political status as defined in § 12-1-3.1, the petition for party office or political public office shall be signed by not less than one percent of the voters who voted for that party's statewide candidate receiving the highest votes at the last gubernatorial election in the county, part of the county, district, or state electing a candidate to fill the office. If a county uses vote centers and does not print ballots by precinct, signature requirements for both partisan and independent candidates are:**

- (1) Fifty signatures for a legislative candidate whose district either in whole or in part includes that county;
- (2) Thirty signatures for a county candidate;**
- (3) Fifteen signatures for county commissioner district candidates;
- (4) Five signatures for a new party legislative candidate whose district either in whole or in part includes that county;
- (5) Five signatures for a new party county candidate; or
- (6) Three signatures for a new party county commissioner district candidate.

Candidates in counties with Commssioner Districts: the county Auditor will have to provide you with the number of signatures required, except for Hyde, Potter and Sully. The signatures required in those counties is 15 per SDCL 12-6-7.