

NORTH CAROLINA
Board of Elections

Cumberland County Board of Elections 1st "I Voted" Sticker Contest

Cumberland County's 1<sup>st</sup> "I Voted" Sticker Design Contest

## Acknowledgement and Disclaimer of Rights and Use

All eligible contestants are required to sign and submit this form. By doing so, you are making the following Acknowledgement and Disclaimer of Rights and Use specified by the Cumberland County Board of Elections for determining finalists for our "I Voted" sticker design contest.

Imagine your design here!

- 1. Eligible contestants must be enrolled in the 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, or 12<sup>th</sup> grade in a Cumberland County public/private/charter/home/other school.
- 2. Contestant must have the written consent from parent/guardian / custodian.
- 3. All contestants, by entering this contest, waive any and all, present and future, creative and legal rights to the contest design.
- 4. Each contestant's design must be an original design of their own, not belonging to or a copy of any other "I Voted" sticker design.
- 5. The contestant hereby acknowledges that the design shall not be designed in any fashion in demonstration of support or opposition to any candidate or ballot item in the November 5, 2024, Presidential Election, or future elections.
- 6. Contestant finalists must sign and return this Acknowledgement form to the Cumberland County Board of Elections Office at 227 Fountainhead Ln #101, Fayetteville, NC 28301, no later than 5:00 p.m. on December 15, 2023. The form may be returned by hand-delivery, Email with an Adobe signature or a signed, scanned form returned via email, or by U.S. Mail but all contestant finalists' signed Acknowledgement form, regardless of the mode of delivery must be in by the deadline.
- 7. The Cumberland County Board of Elections Board Members, Director, nor staff will conduct follow-up contact with contestants about missing Acknowledgement forms; it is the

responsibility of each contestant to return a signed Acknowledgment form. The Cumberland County Board of Elections will accept this document delivery so long as the original hard copy is received by the office within three business days after receipt of the email.

- 8. Sticker designs submissions become the property of the Cumberland County Board of Elections. The Cumberland County Board of Elections retains the right to alter or modify a contestant's design or use elements of the design in other promotional materials.
- 9. The contest winner will be announced, and his/her winning "I Voted" sticker design will be displayed at the Cumberland County Board of Elections Board Meeting at 5:00 p.m. on May 14, 2024. This meeting shall be open to the public. The contest winner will be invited to this meeting and receive his/her prize package, to be presented by the Board Chair. The Press may be invited to and present at this meeting to capture the moment.
- 10. There will be nonmonetary prizes for the winning design (1<sup>st</sup>), 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place contestants. Participation gifts and prizes may be given depending upon availability of items.
- 11. All contestants acknowledge that all prizes awarded are nontransferable, not redeemable for cash, and may not be exchanged or transferred.
- 12. At the close of the contest, the Cumberland County Board of Elections Director will submit the winning design to a printshop of her choosing and order supplies of the stickers to be handed out during the next Presidential Election to be held in Cumberland County elections. The Cumberland County Board of Elections has no obligation to use this contest's winning sticker design beyond the November 5, 2024, election cycle; however, the Board may continue use of the winning design for as long as it sees fit to do so.

By signing below, contestant acknowledges that (s)he has read and understands the above Acknowledgement and Disclaimer of Rights and Use and wishes to remain eligible as a finalist in the Cumberland County Board of Elections' "I Voted" sticker design contest. Contestant further acknowledges that, if (s)he is a minor, a parent/guardian/custodian must consent to the minor's participation by signing this and any other form. Contestants who do not return the form signed or do not agree to the contest rules will be eliminated from the competition.

Contestant's Signature	Date
Printed Name	DOB / Age
School Name	 Grade

Signature of Contestant's Parent/Guardian/Custodian (if a minor)	Date	
Printed Name		
Please mail in your completed application and drawing to:		

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