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I Lisa Rousselle, (Notary number 20014011817), would like to submit the following comment for consideration and possible adoption. Being responsive to the serious issues prevailing within our current societal climate, is of paramount importance. it is in that spirit that I submit the following comment for consideration.

If an individual, who is either seeking to become a Notary Public in the State of Colorado, is currently a Notary Public in good standing n the State of Colorado, has reason for concern, that publically revealing their personal address on the website could or would perpetuate any likelihood of bodily injury, harm to self or family, causing or furthering harassment or abuse of any type, should merit listing such personal information with the Colorado Secretary of States Office, while withholding such information from public domain. If any individual or corporation is seeking to verify the validity or accurate licensure of a Notary Public may do so through contacting the Colorado Secretary of States Office, where the flow and dissemination of this personal information can be conveyed within a secure system, keeping record of the individual or corporation inquiring of this information. Implementing this safety protocol on behalf of the individual Notary Public serving the State of Colorado is a necessary step in the evolution of our society. Disallowing a Notary the right to basic safety and the safety of their family, by requiring the listing full personal addresses of their homes and/or places of business, is placing a Notary in unnecessary and avoidable harm or injury. Being a subject of abuse should not be perpetuated by the state of Colorado, but rather should be recognized and protected as such.