

# DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY

## PARTY PRIMARY ELECTION For County Office

**To be filed with the Board of Elections not later than 4 p.m. of the 75th day before the day of the primary election, or 4 p.m. of the 60th day before the day of the presidential primary election.**  
Revised Code 3513.05, .07, .08, .09, .10, .191; 3501.38

**NOTE - THE CANDIDATE MUST FILL IN, SIGN AND DATE THIS DECLARATION BEFORE PETITIONS ARE CIRCULATED.**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, the undersigned, hereby declare under penalty of election falsification that my voting residence address on file with my county board of elections is \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Candidate)  
 \_\_\_\_\_, Ohio \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street and Number, if any, or Rural Route Number) (City or Village) (Zip Code)  
 and I am a qualified elector. I hereby declare that I desire to be a candidate for nomination to the office of \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ as a member of the \_\_\_\_\_ Party for  
 the:  full term commencing \_\_\_\_\_ or  unexpired term ending \_\_\_\_\_ at the  
(Check one box and fill in the appropriate date)  
 primary election to be held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.  
 I further declare that, if elected to this office or position, I will qualify therefor.  
 Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Candidate)

**THE PENALTY FOR ELECTION FALSIFICATION  
IS IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN SIX MONTHS  
OR A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000, OR BOTH.**

## PETITION FOR CANDIDATE

**(This petition shall be circulated only by a member of the same political party as stated above by the candidate)**

We, the undersigned, qualified electors of the State of Ohio, whose voting residence is in the county, city, village, or township, set opposite our names, and members of the \_\_\_\_\_ Party, hereby certify that \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Candidate), whose declaration of candidacy is filed herewith, is in our opinion, well qualified to perform the duties of the office or position to which the person desires to be elected.

**Signatures on this petition should be from only one county and must be written in ink. Signatures on this petition shall be of persons who are of the same political party as stated above by the candidate.**

	SIGNATURE	STREET AND NO. OR R.F.D. <small>(Must use address on file with Board of Elections)</small>	CITY, VILLAGE OR TOWNSHIP	COUNTY	DATE OF SIGNING
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I, \_\_\_\_\_, declare under penalty of election falsification that I am a qualified elector of the State of Ohio and reside at the address appearing below my signature; that I am a member of the \_\_\_\_\_ Party; that I am the circulator of the foregoing petition containing \_\_\_\_\_ signatures; that I witnessed the affixing of every signature; that all signers were to the best of my knowledge and belief qualified to sign; and that every signature is to the best of my knowledge and belief the signature of the person whose signature it purports to be.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Circulator)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Street and Number or Rural Route)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(City or Village and Zip Code)

**CERTIFICATE OF VALIDITY**  
Revised Code 3501.11

The State of Ohio, \_\_\_\_\_ County ss.

We, the undersigned, constituting the Board of Elections of this county, do hereby certify that we have reviewed and examined the foregoing petition and find it to be sufficient and valid.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto subscribed our names and caused our official seal to be affixed at \_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_.

(SEAL)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chairperson

\_\_\_\_\_  
Director

\_\_\_\_\_  
Board of Elections

**BOARD OF ELECTIONS**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
**COUNTY, OHIO**

**DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY**  
of \_\_\_\_\_  
Candidate for \_\_\_\_\_

**Also Petition for Candidate**

**PRIMARY ELECTION TO BE**  
**HELD TUESDAY, \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_**

Filed \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

Director

For information concerning specific instructions as to the proper procedure in circulating and filing this Declaration of Candidacy, see Title 35, Revised Code of Ohio, or contact your local Board of Elections.