Form No. 3-W Prescribed by the Ohio Secretary of State (12/2024)

Nominating Petition and Statement of Candidacy

For Member of the Governing Board of an Educational Service Center

To be filed with the board of elections in the county in which the educational service center's central administrative offices are located, not later than 4 p.m. of the 90th day before the general election.

R.C. 3501.38, 3513.255, 3513.261, 3513.263, 3513.271

Statement of Candidacy

NOTE - The candidate must fill in, sign and date this statement of candidacy before the signatures of electors are affixed.

I, _____ (Name of Candidate (include all prior names used in the past 5 years, excluding marriage name changes)),

the undersigned, hereby declare under penalty of election falsification that my voting residence address is

_____ (Street Number and Address (or rural route and number, if any)), _____ (City or Village), Ohio _____ (ZIP Code), and I am a qualified elector in the school district.

I further declare that I desire to be a candidate for election to the office of Member of the Governing Board of the

_____ (Educational Service Center) Educational Service Center, from the _____ (School District (if applicable)) district, for the: **Check one** ☐ full term or ☐ unexpired term ending _____ (Unexpired Term Ending Date), at the general election to be held on the _____ (Day) day of November, _____ (Year).

I further declare that I am an elector qualified to vote for the office I seek.

Dated this _____ (Day) day of _____ (Month), _____ (Year). _____
Signature of Candidate

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I, _____ (Name of Candidate), hereby designate the persons named below as a committee to represent me:

Name	Residence

Nominating Petition

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, hereby nominate _____ (Name of Candidate) as a candidate for election to the office of Member of the Governing Board of the Educational Service Center as listed above for the: **Check one** ☐ full term or ☐ unexpired term ending _____ (Unexpired Term Ending Date), to be voted for at the next general election, and certify said person 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 must be from only one county and must be written in ink.

Signature	Voting Residence Street Number and Address	City, Village, or Township	County	Date of Signing
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Circulator Statement

Must be completed and signed by the circulator.

I, _____, declare under penalty of election falsification that I reside at the address
Printed Name of Circulator
appearing below my signature; that I am the circulator of the foregoing petition containing _____ signatures;
Number
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 or of an attorney in fact acting pursuant to section 3501.382 of the Revised Code.

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Signature of Circulator

_____
Permanent Residence Address

_____ _____ _____
City or Village State Zip Code