

SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS
(Candidate Declaration for Seven-Member Districts)

TO: Board Secretary of Joplin Schools or designee

I, the undersigned, a resident of the Joplin Schools District, declare myself a candidate for the office of a director of said school district for a term of **one (1) year**, to be voted on at the municipal election to be held on the 5th day of April, 2016.

I declare that I am eligible to hold office in accordance with Missouri law. I:

1. Am a citizen of the United States of America.
Mo. Const. art. VII, § 8; § 162.291, RSMo
2. Am a resident taxpayer of the Joplin Schools District.
§ 162.291, RSMo.
3. Will have resided in Missouri for a minimum of one (1) year immediately preceding my election, if elected.
Mo. Const. art. VII, § 8; § 162.291, RSMo.
4. Am at least 24 years of age.
§ 162.291, RSMo.
5. Am not delinquent in the payment of any state income taxes, personal property taxes, municipal taxes or real property taxes on my place of residence listed below. If I am a past or present corporate officer of any fee office, I verify that office does not owe any taxes to the state. I understand that I am required by law to file an affidavit stating these facts with the Missouri Department of Revenue.
§ 115.306, RSMo.
6. Have not been found guilty of nor have I pled guilty to a felony or misdemeanor under the federal laws of the United States of America or to a felony under Missouri law or an offense committed in another state that would be considered a felony in Missouri.
§ 115.306, RSMo.
7. Am not registered or required to be registered as a sex offender pursuant to Missouri law.
§ 162.014, RSMo.
8. Have filed, or the treasurer of any existing candidate committee has filed, all required campaign disclosure reports with the Missouri Ethics Commission, when applicable, for all previous elections in which I was a candidate.
§ 130.071, RSMo.

Note: All information provide to the district will be a public record and could be requested by members of the public under the Sunshine Law.

Print Full Legal Name for Ballot

Address

City – Zip

Phone

e-mail address

I swear that the above language is true and accurate, that I am legally eligible to be a candidate for the

Candidate's Signature

Date

Subscribed and sworn to before me on _____ (date) at _____ (time).

Signature of Board Secretary, Authorized Designee or Notary.

I understand that if I am elected or appointed to the Board, I am required by law to successfully complete 16 hours of Board training within one year of the date I am elected or appointed.

§ 162.203, RSMo,

Ballot Placement by Random Drawing – First Day of Candidate Filing

Number Drawn: _____

Candidate's Verification: _____