

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 **three (3) years**, 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.
§ 162.291m 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.
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 office of director of this school district, and that I am legally able to hold office if elected or otherwise appointed to the position.

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: _____