

DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY

OEA STATEWIDE OFFICES

PLEASE NOTE: Terms of office for OEA Board of Directors At-Large #1 positions begin July 15, 2023, and end July 14, 2026. Terms of office for NEA Directors #1 and #2 begin September 1, 2023, and end August 31, 2026. This form may be used to nominate another member to any of the offices listed below. All candidates must have been an active member of the association for at least two (2) years immediately preceding the election. Nominations for elected officers shall be by declaration of candidacy and submitted in the following manner: 1. To the Secretary-Treasurer at least seventy-five (75) days prior to the election, 2. By the Nominations Committee at least forty-five (45) days prior to the election, or 3. By nomination from the floor of the OEA Representative Assembly.

NAME AS IT APPEARS IN THE OEA MEMBER DATABASE: _____

NAME AS YOU WOULD LIKE IT TO APPEAR ON THE BALLOT: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____
Street City State Zip

LOCAL ASSOCIATION: _____

COUNTY: _____ INDIV. ID # - OEA MEMBERSHIP CARD: _____

HOME TELEPHONE: _____ SCHOOL TELEPHONE: _____

E-MAIL: _____ SIGNATURE: X _____

I hereby nominate **myself** () **another member** () to be a candidate for the office of:

- NEA Director #1 (NEA RA Delegate Ex-Officio) – 3-year term ending 8/31/2026
- NEA Director #2 (NEA RA Delegate Ex-Officio) – 3-year term ending 8/31/2026
- OEA Board of Directors Member At-Large #1 (NEA Director Alternate) – 3-year term ending 7/14/2026
- OEA Board of Directors Member ESP At-Large #1 – 3-year term ending 7/14/2026

DEADLINES FOR RECEIPT OF DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY FORMS

February 21, 2023: NEA Director #1, NEA Director #2, and OEA Board of Directors Member At-Large #1, OEA Board of Directors Member ESP At-Large #1 (*Statewide candidates have the option of including a bio/platform statement and a photo in the Ohio Schools Magazine (no more than a combined length of 225 words) – must submit no later than February 10, 2023*)

PLEASE RETURN FORM TO: Elections & Conference Coordinator, OEA Executive Offices, 225 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43215. You may also submit via email to oea@ohea.org. A written confirmation of this filing will be sent upon receipt of your form at OEA headquarters. Contact OEA Executive Offices at 1-800-282-1500, ext. 3199, **PRIOR** to the **filing deadline** if you have not received a confirmation. **FAX COPIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!**