

**CERTIFICATION BY CANDIDATE FOR ELECTION
TO THE SCHOOL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT BOARD**

This Certification must be completed, notarized and returned to SERS so that it is received no later than 4:30 p.m. on December 4, 2026.

Section 3309.061 of the Ohio Revised Code provides that a person who has been convicted of or pleads guilty to a felony, a theft offense as defined in section 2913.01 of the Revised Code, or a violation of section 102.02, 102.03, 102.04, 2921.02, 2921.11, 2921.13, 2921.31, 2921.41, 2921.42, 2921.43, or 2921.44 of the Revised Code is ineligible for election as an employee or retiree member of the Board.

Name (Print name):

Address:

Employer (if employee seat):

Being duly sworn and in the presence of the Notary Public on this day of 2026, I, the undersigned, hereby certify, that as defined in Section 3309.061 of the Ohio Revised Code, I have never been convicted of or pled guilty to a felony, a theft offense as defined in section 2913.01 of the Revised Code, an ethics violation, bribery, perjury, falsification, obstructing official business, theft in office, having an unlawful interest in a public contract, soliciting or receiving improper compensation, or dereliction of duty as a law enforcement officer.

Candidate's Signature

State of: _____ }
County of: _____ } SS.

Sworn to or affirmed and subscribed before me by _____

Name of Candidate

on this _____ day of _____, 2026

Notary Public

My commission expires: _____