Office of the Kansas Secretary of State

Candidate's Declaration of Intention

FORM CD

1 Ballot Information

Name (as it will appear on the ballot, including punctuation)

City of Residence (as it will appear on the ballot)

Office Sought

District No.

Party Nomination Sought: ○ Democratic ○ Republican

Term: ○ Regular ○ Unexpired

2 Elected Judicial Candidates Only (complete if applicable)

District Court Judge Division No.

District Magistrate Judge Position No.

3 Contact Information ! All information is public record

Select one: ○ Mr. ○ Ms. ○ Mrs. ○ Dr.

Residential Address

City

County

Zip

Mailing Address (if different from residential address)

City

State

Zip

Phone (optional) ___ - ___ - ____

Cell Phone (optional) ___ - ___ - ____

Email (optional)

Website (optional)

4 Candidate Signature

I declare that I am affiliated with the above-stated party and that I intend to become a candidate for the above-stated office at the appropriate election.

Date ___ / ___ / ____
Month Day Year

SIGN IN THIS BOX

ATTESTATION (for office use only)

Secretary of State or County Election Officer

Assistant Secretary of State or Deputy County Election Officer

Notary (applicable only for precinct committeeman or committeewoman)

APPOINTMENT OF

TREASURER OR CANDIDATE COMMITTEE FORM

FOR CANDIDATE FOR LOCAL OFFICE

This is an (Check one) ☐ Initial Appointment ☐ Amended Statement

CANDIDATE

(Please Type or Print)

Name		
Mailing Address		
City	County	Zip Code
Telephone	Email	
Office Sought		District No.

TREASURER

Date Appointed		
Name		
Mailing Address		
City		Zip Code
Telephone	Email	

OR CANDIDATE COMMITTEE

Date Appointed		
Chairperson's Name		
Mailing Address		
City		Zip Code
Telephone	Email	
Treasurer's Name		
Mailing Address		
City		Zip Code
Telephone	Email	

SIGNATURE

" I declare that this statement has been examined by me and to the best of my knowledge and belief is true, correct and complete. I understand that the intentional failure to file this document or intentionally filing a false document is a class A misdemeanor."

_____ (Date)

_____ (Signature of Candidate)

SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR INSTRUCTIONS

INSTRUCTIONS

This form must be completed by each candidate for state office and filed with the Secretary of State (Memorial Hall - 1st floor, 120 SW 10th, Topeka, KS 66612-1594). A candidate must appoint a treasurer, or in lieu thereof a candidate committee, not later than ten (10) days after becoming a candidate. This form must be filed not later than ten (10) days following such appointment. Also, a new form must be filed whenever there is a change in treasurers or other information previously reported.

For further information contact:

Governmental Ethics Commission
901 S. Kansas Avenue
Topeka, Kansas 66612
Ofc 785-296-4219
Fax 785-296-2548

You can voluntarily fill out this form if you do not wish to file Receipt and Expenditure Reports, **AND** you **do not** anticipate taking in or spending more than $1,000 in the Primary Election and $1,000 in the General Election.

*If you go over these limits you will be required to file three Receipts and Expenditure Reports with the Kansas Public Disclosure Commission.

AFFIDAVIT OF EXEMPTION
FROM FILING RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES REPORTS
BY A CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY OFFICE

IF YOU ANTICIPATE RECEIVING OR EXPENDING $1000 IN THE PRIMARY, EXCLUSIVE OF THE CANDIDATE FILING FEE, OR $1000 IN THE GENERAL ELECTION, THIS FORM MAY NOT BE USED.

Instructions: This form may be used by any candidate for city office who qualifies for the exemption. **IT MUST BE FILED WITH THE COUNTY ELECTION OFFICER, IN THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE CANDIDATE IS ON THE BALLOT, PRIOR TO JULY 27, 2026.** If a candidate qualifies for this exemption, he or she still must appoint a treasurer or candidate committee and the treasurer must maintain the required records. (K.S.A. 25-4144) See reverse for examples.

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE

A. Name of Candidate _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Home Telephone _____ Business Telephone _____

Office Sought _____ District No. _____

B. Affidavit:
State of Kansas)
County of _____)

I, _____, do swear (or affirm) that:

1. The information in Item A above is true and correct;
2. I intend to expend, contract to expend, or have expended, on my behalf an aggregate amount or value of less than one thousand dollars ($1000) in the primary election period; and
3. I intend to receive or have received on my behalf (including amounts contributed by myself) contributions of an aggregate amount or value of less than one thousand dollars ($1000) in the primary election period; and
4. I understand that the payment of my filing fee, or the receipt of funds to pay my filing fee, is not included in the limitations set forth in paragraphs 2 & 3; and
5. I intend to expend, contract to expend or have expended on my behalf an aggregate amount or value of less than one thousand dollars ($1000) in the general election period; and
6. I intend to receive or have received on my behalf (including amounts contributed by myself) contributions of an aggregate amount or value of less than one thousand dollars ($1000) in the general election period; and
7. If contributions are received or expenditures made (actual or contractual) in excess of any of the amounts set out above, I shall within three (3) days of the date of such excess file all past due Receipts and Expenditures Reports and shall file all such future reports on the dates required by K.S.A. 25-4148. (K.S.A. 25-4174)

_____ _____
(Date) (Signature of Candidate)

Subscribed and sworn to (affirmed) before me this _____ day of _____ , 20 _____

_____
(Notary Public)

(Seal)

My Appointment Expires _____ , 20 _____

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Example 1: Candidate A intends to receive contributions of less than $1,000 and make expenditures of less than $1,000 in the primary election period. Candidate A does, however, intend to receive contributions in excess of $1,000 during the general election period. He also intends to make expenditures (either actual or contractul of more than $1,000 during the general election period. Candidate A cannot properly file the affidavit of exemption. He must file all reports at the times required by K.S.A. 25-4148.

Example 2: Candidate B meets all of the tests for exemption from filing the reports but fails to file the affidavit until after the date the first report for the primary election is due. Candidate B must file all reports since the affidavit was not filed in a timely manner.

Example 3: Candidate C intends to receive contributions and make expenditures of less than $1,000 in each the primary and general election period; however, the $1,000 limit was exceeded during the general election period. Candidate C shall within three (3) days of the date of such excess file all past due reports and shall file all such future reports on the dates required by K.S.A. 25-4148.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS CONCERNING THIS AFFIDAVIT,
PLEASE CONTACT THE
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