

OPPENHEIM-EPHRATAH-ST. JOHNSVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

**Petition
For
Board of Education Candidate**

VOTING

Tuesday, May 18, 2021
12:00 Noon to 8:00 p.m.
To: Stephanie Bonk, District Clerk

THE PETITION OF THE UNDERSIGNED, DULY QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE OPPENHEIM-EPHRATAH-ST. JOHNSVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, RESPECTFULLY SHOWS:

ON THE DAY OF THE OFFICIAL BUDGET/BOARD OF EDUCATION VOTE OF THE AFORESAID CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, TO BE HELD IN THE OESJ ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AND THE OESJ JR/SR HIGH SCHOOL OF SAID DISTRICT IN THE TOWNS OF OPPENHEIM AND ST. JOHNSVILLE, TWO MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF SAID DISTRICT, ARE TO BE ELECTED. BOTH TERMS WILL COMMENCE JULY 1, 2021 AND WILL EXPIRE JUNE 30, 2024, TO SUCCEED CHAD BARNES AND SHELLIE WALRATH, WHOSE TERMS OF OFFICE WILL EXPIRE ON JUNE 30, 2021.

THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY NOMINATE AS THEIR CANDIDATE FOR SAID OFFICE OF TRUSTEE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF SAID CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT (*your name*) _____ WHO RESIDES IN THE TOWN OF _____ IN THE SAID COUNTY OF _____ AND WHOSE POST OFFICE ADDRESS IS (*your address*) _____, NEW YORK, FOR A TERM TO COMMENCE ON THE 1ST DAY OF JULY 2021, AND HEREBY PETITION THAT IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS AND REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 2018 OF THE EDUCATION LAW OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, THIS PETITION AND NOMINATION BE FILED BY THE CLERK OF SAID CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, TO ESTABLISH THE FACT OF THIS NOMINATION OF THE SAID (*your name*) _____ FOR SUCH OFFICE OF TRUSTEE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF SAID CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, TO BE VOTED FOR BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 12:00 NOON AND 8:00 P.M. ON TUESDAY, MAY 18, 2021.

DATED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2021

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
1. _____	_____
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<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
15. _____	_____
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25. _____	_____
26. _____	_____
27. _____	_____
28. _____	_____

SIGNED PETITIONS MUST BE RETURNED TO THE DISTRICT CLERK NO LATER THAN APRIL 19, 2021, 5:00 p.m.

BOE Candidate Petition Information Sheet

- You must be 18 years of age, a resident of the district for 30 days, and a US Citizen in order to run for the board of education and/or sign a petition nominating a candidate for the board of education. (Residents signing the petition do not have to be registered)
- You must have at least 25 valid signatures to be officially nominated as a candidate. (Your petition has 28 lines because a few more signatures will ensure that you have enough.)
- You do not have to be present when someone signs your petition. Ex. You can send your petition with your spouse, family member, etc. to collect signatures.
- A resident may sign more than one candidate's petition but cannot sign a specific person's petition more than once.
- **PETITIONS ARE DUE TO THE DISTRICT CLERK BY 5:00PM ON APRIL 19 – NO EXCEPTIONS!**
- After all signatures are verified, all board of education candidates' names will be put into a hat and drawn randomly for the order they will be placed on the ballot.
- The ballot is arranged horizontally – Ex:
 1. John Smith 2. Sally Jones 3. Sam Miller
 4. Sarah Schmidt 5. Bill Brown etc.

Please call Stephanie Bonk at 518-568-7280 with any questions or concerns you may have with this process. Thanks and good luck!



**Board of Education Expenditure Statement
To be filed on or before April 19, 2021**

Statement of _____, Candidate for the Board of Education

Dated _____

The undersigned candidate for the Board of Education of the Oppenheim-Ephratah-St. Johnsville Central School District affirms, under penalty of perjury and the penalties of article 32 of the New York State Education Law as follows:

1. That I have expended nothing for my election.

(Candidates Signature)

2. That my only expenditures were for personal expenses which taken together with the total expenditures incurred by others in my behalf and with my approval do not exceed \$500.

(Candidates Signature)

3. That expenditures made by me or in my behalf exceeded \$500 and I have attached hereto an itemized statement of such expenditures as required by the aforementioned law.

(Candidates Signature)

.State of _____)

)ss.:

County of _____)

On the _____ day of _____ in the year _____, before me, the undersigned notary public, personally appeared _____, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individual(s) acted, executed the instrument.

Notary Public: _____

**You must file one statement 30 days before the election, another statement 5 days before the election and a subsequent statement not more than 20 days after the election.
(Three statements in total)**

Please send this statement to:
Stephanie Bonk, District Clerk, OESJ CSD, 44 Center Street, St. Johnsville, NY 13452.

**If you exceed \$500 in expenses a copy is also needed to be sent to:
Commissioner of Education, c/o Educational Management Services, Room 475 EBA, Albany, New York 12234.**



**Board of Education Expenditure Statement
To be filed on or before May 13, 2021**

Statement of _____, Candidate for the Board of Education

Dated _____

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**Board of Education Expenditure Statement
To be filed on or before June 7, 2021**

Statement of _____, Candidate for the Board of Education

Dated _____

The undersigned candidate for the Board of Education of the Oppenheim-Ephratah-St. Johnsville Central School District affirms, under penalty of perjury and the penalties of article 32 of the New York State Education Law as follows:

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