



NOMINATING PETITION INFORMATION

Qualifications of Board of Education Members:

- At least 18 years old
- Able to read & write
- Resident of the district continuously for one year before the election
- Members can't be employed by the school district; or live in the same household with a family member who is also a member of the same school board.

Due Date to Submit Petition:

- Petitions need to be signed by 25 qualified voters and returned to the District Clerk at FFCSO on or before April 16, 2018, by 5:00 pm.
- It is helpful if you provide a telephone number and email address where you may be contacted, when you submit your petition.

Campaign Expenditures & Contributions Form:

- All candidates must file (3) three "Statement of Campaign Expenditures & Contributions" forms, by the due dates listed on the form.

Date of Drawing to Determine Position of Names on Ballot:

- There will be a drawing on Tuesday, April 17, 2018, at 9:00 am in the Superintendent's Office, to determine the position of the candidates' names on the ballot. Candidates or their designated proxies may attend. The District Clerk will act as proxy for any candidate who is not present and has not designated a proxy in writing.

F-F DISTRICT OFFICE

P.O. Box 1501
 112 Old Johnstown Road
 Fonda, New York
 12068-1501
 518-853-4415 Ext. 4230
 Fax: 518-853-4461
www.fondafultonvilleschools.org
 Mr. Thomas Ciaccio
Superintendent of Schools

F-F BUSINESS OFFICE

518-853-3732 Ext. 4207
 Fax: 518-853-3534
 Mr. Joseph Karas
Business Official

F-F HIGH SCHOOL

518-853-3182 Ext. 4238
 Fax: 518-853-1239
 Mr. Aaron Grady
Principal

F-F MIDDLE SCHOOL

518-853-4747 Ext. 4242
 Fax: 518-853-4498
 Mr. David Zadoorian
Principal

F-F ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

518-853-3332 Ext. 5001
 Fax: 518-853-1455
 Ms. Darcy Williams
Principal

F-F PUPIL SERVICES OFFICE

518-853-4747 Ext. 4234
 Fax: 518-853-8643
 Mrs. Kristine Dickson
Dir. of SPED/Pupil Personnel

F-F STUDENT REGISTRATION

518-853-4747 Ext. 5008
 Fax: 518-853-4498
 Mrs. Amy Thum
Data Coordinator

NOMINATING PETITION – SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER

This Petition must be in the hands of the District Clerk of the Fonda-Fultonville Central School District at the School District Office on or before April 16, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. TO: CLERK OF THE FONDA-FULTONVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, PO BOX 1501, FONDA, NY 12068

We, the undersigned being at least 25 *qualified voters or 2 percent of the number who voted in the previous election of the Fonda-Fultonville Central School District, whose respective names and places of residence are hereinafter set forth, do hereby nominate _____ residing at _____ as a candidate for member of the Board of Education of said Central School District.

	<u>DATE</u>	<u>SIGNATURE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
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*A Qualified Voter: Citizen of the United States, at least 18 years old and resident of the school district at least 30 days immediately prior to the election.

Fonda - Fultonville Central School District

March 1, 2018

Dear School Board Candidate:

In accordance with Article 32, Section 1528 to 1531 of the Education Law, a candidate for school board membership is required to file three statements in regard to campaign expenditures and contributions. All statements must be sworn before a notary public (or a public official authorized by New York State Law to administer oaths). The filing deadlines for these statements are as follows:

1. A preliminary statement must be filed no later than 30 days before the election (*April 16, 2018);
2. A second statement must be filed no later than 5 days before the election (May 10, 2018); and
2. A third and final statement must be filed within 20 days after the election (June 4, 2018).

Additionally, if a candidate receives a contribution or loan in excess of \$1,000 after the closing date for the most recent required statement, but before the election, the candidate must report it within 24 hours after its receipt.

A candidate who has campaign expenditures of \$500 or less and who receives \$500 or less in campaign contributions may file a sworn statement with the District Clerk indicating that neither his or her expenditures nor contributions exceeded \$500.

A candidate whose expenses and/or contributions exceed \$500 must file an itemized statement accounting for his/her campaign expenditures and contributions with the District Clerk and an additional statement with the Commissioner of Education (NYS Education Department, 876 EBA, Albany, NY 12234).

The itemized expenditure statement must list all moneys or other valuable things, paid, given, expended or promised by the candidate or incurred for or on his or her behalf with his or her approval, by any person, firm, association or corporation, to aid his or her own nomination or election, or to aid or influence the nomination or defeat of any candidate to be voted for at the election. A candidate's itemized contribution statement must include the dollar value or fair market value of the contribution and the name and address of the contributor. If the contributor is a political committee as defined by Election Law section 14-100, the statement must include the name of the committee and the political unit represented by the committee. Candidates must report any receipt, contribution or transfer.

Failure on the part of any candidate to file a statement, or to file one that conforms to the requirements of the law, can result in a legal proceeding to compel filing. The law expressly authorizes the institution of such a proceeding before a justice of the Supreme Court by any other candidate voted for at the election or by any five qualified voters.

I am a notary public, and will assist you with getting your documents notarized. If this is needed, please call me at 853-4415 Ext. 4230 to set up a time to complete this document.

Sincerely,

Lori L. Maves
District Clerk

Attachment

FONDA-FULTONVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION

Statement of Campaign Expenditures and Contributions
Article 32, Sections 1528 to 1531 of the Education Law

CIRCLE ONE: 1st Statement 2nd Statement 3rd Statement
 (Due *04/16/18) (Due 05/10/18) (Due 06/04/18)

FILE STATEMENT WITH:

(All Candidates)

Fonda-Fultonville Central School District
ATTN: District Clerk, Board of Education
PO Box 1501, 112 Old Johnstown Rd.
Fonda, NY 12068

(Candidates whose expenditures & contributions exceed \$500)

NYS Education Department
ATTN: Commissioner of Education
876 EBA
Albany NY 12234

I, _____, residing at _____, being duly sworn, depose and say:

That I am a candidate for election to the Board of Education in the annual school election to be held on May 15, 2018, and:

Sign and swear to one of the following statements:

1. That I have expended nothing for my election. _____
(Candidate's 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. _____
(Candidate's 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 law. _____
(Candidate's Signature)

Sign and swear to one of the following statements:

1. That I have received no contributions for my election. _____
(Candidate's Signature)

2. That the total contributions made to me or on my behalf and with my approval do not exceed \$500. _____
(Candidate's Signature)

3. That contributions made to me or on my behalf for my election exceeded \$500 and I have attached hereto an itemized statement of such contributions as required by law. _____
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Sworn to before me this _____
day of _____ 2018.
(Notary Public or Commissioner of Deeds)

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