

Teachers Retirement Board Election Public School District Teacher Seat

§ 15.165(3)(a)1

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The Department of Employee Trust Funds (ETF) supports a diverse and inclusive environment for staff and board members. ETF is seeking a diverse pool of nominees for board vacancies. People identifying with traditionally underrepresented groups — particularly women, people of color, and persons with disabilities — are encouraged to submit their nomination.

To be eligible for this election, a candidate must be currently working for a Wisconsin Retirement System (WRS) employer (not retired) and teacher not employed by the Milwaukee Public School District. <u>All</u> of the following must be received by ETF by October 13, 2023.

- 1. Candidate information form
- 2. Biographical information
- Nominating petitions (scanned copies are acceptable) of at least 25 signatures of non-retired, WRScovered public school district teachers and who are not employed by the Milwaukee Public School District.
- 4. Photo (see below for specifications.)

Candidate Information Form

Complete the Candidate Information form on page 2.

Biographical Information

Submit biographical information of 150 words or less. *If you submit more than 150 words, only the first 150 words will be published.* Include information you feel will be relevant to your candidacy. Voters will want to know:

- What school districts you worked in and for how long.
- How long you have been a teacher in the WRS.
- Any experience in your career or personal life that relates to retirement and benefit issues.

Nominating Petitions

Nominating petitions must contain at least 25 valid signatures of non-retired, WRS-covered public school teachers and who are not employed by the Milwaukee Public School District. However, we recommend obtaining more than 25 signatures (but no more than 50) in the event we are unable to read some of the signatures during the certification process. You may duplicate the enclosed *Nominating Petition* form (page 3) as many times as you wish.

Photo

Please *email* a "head and shoulders" high resolution digital photo suitable for publication (at least 300 dpi, full color, jpg or png format). This picture, along with the biographical information you supply, will be shared with all eligible voters. Photo *must* be emailed.

Submissions

Email, mail, or submit via ETF's drop box your nominating petition forms, candidate information form, and biographical statement to:

Retirement Board Liaison
Department of Employee Trust Funds
P.O. Box 7931
Madison, WI 53707-7931
BoardElections@etf.wi.gov

Drop box location: 4822 Madison Yards Way, Madison WI

Deadline

All submissions must be received by ETF by October 13, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

All candidates will be notified of the status of their petition by November 30, 2023.



Candidate Information

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Type or print.

Candidate Information							
Name (first, middle initial, last) This name will be on the ballot.							
Address (include apartment, if applicable)	City	State	ZIP code				
Telephone, including area code (home)		(cell/other)					
Email address							
School District Employer and Name of School							
Signature			Date (MM/DD/YYYY)				

ETF Contact: Retirement Board Liaison

Department of Employee Trust Funds

PO Box 7931

Madison, WI 53707-793

608-266-0301

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Note: Eligible candidates for this seat **include** all active (currently employed) public school teacher members of the Wisconsin Retirement System, except for Milwaukee Public School District teachers.



We, the undersigned, hereby nominate

Nominating Petition

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Name (first middle last) Print Clearly	Birth Date* (MM/DD)	Employer (Name of public school)	Signature (Must be an original signature)	Date (MM/DD/YYYY
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Nominee Certification

I certify that I am a non-retired WRS-covered teacher participant and am not employed by the Milwaukee Public School District. I further certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the persons signing this petition were, at the time of signing, non-retired, WRS-covered teachers who were not employed by the Milwaukee Public School District. If elected, I agree to serve as a public school teacher member of the Teachers Retirement Board, for the remainder of the term expiring May 1, 2029 or as determined by legislation.

Signa	ture	Date (MM/DD/YYYY)