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WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP SCHOOL BOARD ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY INFORMATION

The Washington Township School District has information available for Washington Township residents interested in running for the Board of Education.

A candidate must file a nominating petition with the county clerk for his or her name to appear on the ballot during the November, Annual School Election. The deadline to submit the nominating petition to the County Clerk is **4:00 p.m. Monday, July 26, 2021**. The election is scheduled for Tuesday, November 2, 2021.

Legal Requirements to become a member of a local board of education in New Jersey, you must:

- Hold U.S. citizenship and one year's residency in the school district
- Be registered to vote in the district before filing the nominating petition
- Be able to read and write
- Have no interest in any contract with, or claim against, the board
- Not hold office as mayor or member of the municipal governing body or, in the case of county school districts, the county governing body
- Not simultaneously hold two elective offices
- Not be disqualified from membership for the conviction of certain crimes. (Within 30 days of election or appointment to the board, a member must undergo a criminal history background investigation through the state Department of Education.)

Prospective school board candidates can download information from the Warren County Votes link below:

https://www.warrencountyvotes.com/

School Board petition and deadline information can be found on the following links:

Petitions-for-School-Election.pdf

Petition deadline for School Board Election held in November - 4pm Warren County Votes.html