



## DEMOCRATIC PARTY of WISCONSIN

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### **RUNNING FOR STATE PARTY OFFICE**

Thank you for your interest in running for state party office. Enclosed in this packet, you will find the Candidate Statement of Intent form and Nomination Papers for State Party Office. Please see the information and important dates below and contact the State Party staff with any questions.

**Please mail or drop off completed forms to:**

Democratic Party of Wisconsin

Attn: Party Affairs Department

15 N Pinckney St, Suite 200

Madison, WI 53703

\*Email submissions will not be accepted

**Important 2017 Dates:**

- Signature collection may begin: March 4, 2017
- Signatures and Declaration of Intent form due: 5:00pm CST on May 12, 2017
- All delegates due to the State Party: 5:00pm CST on May 12, 2017
- Delegates must be current members by: 5:00pm CST on May 19, 2017

**Excerpt from the Constitution of the Democratic Party of Wisconsin:**

Article III -State Organization

Section 8 -The state chairperson, vice chairpersons, treasurer and secretary shall be elected to a two-year term each odd-numbered year at the regular state convention. Each shall hold office until July 1 in the year of the succeeding election in order to allow a reasonable transition period for the newly elected officer. Except as otherwise determined by the Administrative Committee, full remuneration for services rendered during such transition period shall be afforded to the outgoing officer.

In order to run for an officer position, candidates must file a declaration of intent with the state party twenty-one (21) days prior to the state convention. In addition, candidates must file nomination papers containing no fewer than sixty (60) signatures of dues paid party members, with at least ten (10) signatures each from at least six (6) of Wisconsin's congressional districts at least twenty-one (21) days prior to the state convention. Candidates may submit more than the required sixty signatures. Candidates or their representatives may begin collecting nomination signatures no more than ninety (90) days prior to the state convention.



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**CANDIDATE DECLARATION OF INTENT FORM**

This is to certify that I am a candidate for the position of

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Please print the name of position sought)

In the election at the 2017 Democratic State Convention, June 2 & 3 in Madison, Wisconsin.

I further certify that if elected, I will serve and will faithfully carry out the duties of the office to which I am elected.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Please print name as it is to appear on the ballot)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Please Note:**

This statement must be received in the Democratic Party of Wisconsin office in Madison by 5:00pm CST on Friday, May 12, 2017 (21 calendar days prior to the start of the Convention). The Democratic Party of Wisconsin office is located at the following address:

Democratic Party of Wisconsin  
15 N Pinckney Street, Suite 200  
Madison, WI 53703

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Date Received

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Signature of person receiving statement

