



NOVEMBER 3, 2026 GENERAL ELECTION
CANDIDATE STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS (CSQ)
ADMINISTRATIVE SUBMISSION FORM

Elections Code § 11327, 13307, 13308, 13311, 18351



CANDIDATE: _____

OFFICE: _____ TERM: _____ yrs

I DO NOT WISH TO PURCHASE A CANDIDATE STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS.

_____ *I do not wish to purchase a candidate statement of qualifications.*

_____ *I understand I will have no further opportunity to purchase a Candidate Statement for publication in the voter information guide.*

Signature _____ Date _____

I WISH TO PURCHASE A CANDIDATE STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS.

The estimated printing cost must be paid at the time of filing.

** If actual costs exceed estimated costs, the balance due will be billed to the candidate. **

ESTIMATED COST

\$ _____

Check # _____

Your Statement:

- Must be submitted when your Declaration of Candidacy is filed.
- May include your age, occupation, and education along with a description of your qualifications.
- Shall not include your party affiliation, membership, or activity in partisan political organizations.
- Shall not refer to another candidate's qualifications, character, or activities. [E.C. § 13308]
- Will be printed as submitted. Errors in spelling, punctuation, or grammar will NOT be corrected.
- May be changed by the Elections Office if necessary to comply with applicable law, rules, and restrictions.

Formatting Rules

- The statement will be no more than **200 words** in length.
- Candidate statements will be printed in uniform type, style, and spacing.
- The following formatting is NOT permitted:
 - Extra indentations, punctuation or bullets of any kind
 - Bolding, underlining, or italics
 - Graphics
 - ALL CAPS or capitalized words for added emphasis. (Abbreviations/acronyms accepted.)
 - Vertical or indented lists or tables. Listed items must be formatted as a sentence

Endorsements

_____ I understand any endorsement included in my statement will be stricken unless a signed authorization is received with the statement.

Confidentiality / Withdrawal / Changes

- Statements are confidential until the close of the nomination period.
- Statements cannot be changed once submitted, but they may be withdrawn, until 5:00 p.m. on the first working day after the close of the nomination period.

Multi-County Jurisdictions

- Candidates running in multi-county jurisdictions must contact each county regarding candidate statement submission requirements and fees.

Signature _____

Date _____

CANDIDATE STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS FORM

Your statement must be submitted on this form.

Name _____ Age _____
(Optional)

Occupation _____
(Optional. Can be more descriptive than what will appear on the official ballot. 7-word limit.)

Education and Qualifications (Word count begins with your first word below.)

I submit this Candidate Statement of Qualifications for inclusion in the Official Yuba County Voter Information Guide.

I understand this statement will be printed as submitted and that no changes to the content will be accepted after it has been filed.

I understand I may withdraw this statement until 5 p.m. on the first business day after the close of filing for this office.

I understand Yuba County Elections may make changes to this statement if necessary to comply with applicable law, rules, and restrictions.

Office: _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Please see the Candidate Handbook for more information regarding Candidate Statements.