Declaration of Candidacy by Retired Member

Candidates must complete and file this Candidacy Form with the required Candidate Statement of Qualifications of 200 words or less and Statement of Economic Interest (CA Form 700) no later than 5:00 pm on Friday September 11, 2026. Submit completed forms to MCERA at 625-B Kings Court, Ukiah, CA 95482 or email to retirementassociation@mendocinocounty.gov. Late submissions will not be accepted.

I declare myself a candidate for the Mendocino County Employees Retirement Association Board of Retirement **Retired Member 8th Seat**. I understand an election is to be held on Monday November 16, 2026 for three year term beginning December 1, 2026 and ending November 30, 2029. I would like my name, title and department I retired from to appear on the ballot as follows:

Print Name (First, MI, Last)	Title	Department

I solemnly swear (or affirm) that I meet the statutory qualifications for this Retirement Board Seat including, but not limited to, citizenship, residency, and retirement system membership. If elected, I will discharge my duties solely in the interest of, and for the exclusive purpose of providing benefits to participants and their beneficiaries, minimizing employer contributions thereto, and defraying reasonable expenses of administering the system. I acknowledge that the Retirement Board's duty to its participants and their beneficiaries shall take precedence over any other duty, and that trustees must abide by the highest standards of professionalism, ethics, and integrity.

Candidate Signature	Date

Candidate Mailing Address

Candidate Email Address	Candidate Phone Number