

2017 NJOMA Election Procedures

DEADLINE: April 26, 2017

NJOMA Bylaws

ARTICLE V – BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 1 Composition: The Board of Directors shall consist of representatives from each region and three (4) At-Large. Any member of the Association that desires to change the number of members of the Board of Directors to ensure the efficient operation of the Association must adhere to the Article XII criteria.

Elections will take place at the 2017 NJOMA Conference for the following two (3) regions and One (1) at-large position:

Region 2	Region 5
Region 7	Southwest At-Large

FILING FOR CANDIDACY

- ✚ All Candidates must attend the 2017 NJOMA Conference.
- ✚ All Candidates must have paid full registration by filing date of 4/26/17.
- ✚ Candidates must submit a written Declaration of Candidacy, and pay a \$20.00 fee by filing date of 4/26/17.
- ✚ Candidates must adhere to the procedures outlined in the election procedures.
- ✚ Candidates must attend scheduled caucus meetings.
- ✚ Potential candidates must attend the Board Candidate Orientation Workshop.
- ✚ If elected to the NJOMA Board of Director's, members must attend the Mandatory NJOMA Board of Director's meeting on Saturday April 29, 2017 at 9:00 am.

ELECTION PROTESTS

The Election Committee will consider any election protest filed by a declared candidate submitted before 1:00 p.m. on the final day of the conference. Following the protest filing dead line, the Election Committee will meet and render a decision within one (1) hour. The decision of the Election Committee will be final.

For more information contact:

NJOMA 2017
9524 East 81st Street Suite B-1581
Tulsa, OK 74133
(918)304-0200

Declaration of Candidacy Form

Deadline: 4/26/17

NJOMA BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Name: _____ Tribal Affiliation: _____

Organization: _____ NJOMA Region: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Check (✓) the NJOMA Board of Directors position for which you are filing:

Region 2 Representative

Region 5 Representative

Region 7 Representative

SW At-Large Representative (7 & 1)

Brief Statement of Interest or Involvement with Indian Education Programs:

Commitment Statement: I hereby state that, if elected, I will attend all meetings, conferences, and other activities of the National Johnson-O'Malley Association in accordance to the NJOMA By-laws. Must attend the mandatory Board of Director's meeting on April 29, 2017 9:00am-1:30pm

Signature

Date

The form must be completed and accompanied by:

1. 2017 National JOM Conference proof of registration; receipt and Membership Card
2. \$20.00 Candidacy Filing Fee (Refundable up to Deadline 4/26/17).
3. Payment will need to be submitted along with candidacy form and ID to the conference registration table.
4. Cash, credit card, money orders will be accepted.

Send form(s) and payment to:

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