

## **NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS® APPLICATION FOR ELECTED OFFICE**

Serving as an elected officer of the National Association of REALTORS® (NAR) is not only a privilege, but also a significant time commitment. Thank you for your interest in investing your time to serve the association.

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Interested REALTORS® should complete and submit the Application for Elected Office, along with: 1) the Authorization for Release of Criminal Background Report (attached) and 2) a tri-merge credit report with FICO score (Experian, TransUnion, and Equifax) dated between March 1 and June 1 of the year in which the Interested REALTOR® is submitting the Application for Elected Office.

In addition, Interested REALTORS® who wish to run for President-Elect, First Vice President, or Treasurer must complete the NAR Financial Disclosure Statements, which are available on nar.realtor at <https://www.nar.realtor/national-leadership/campaign-and-election-process-for-nar-elected-office>.

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**COMPLETED APPLICATIONS AND ALL REQUIRED MATERIALS MAY BE FILED BETWEEN MARCH 1 AND JUNE 1 OF THE YEAR PRIOR TO THE YEAR IN WHICH THE POTENTIAL CANDIDATE'S ELECTION WOULD BE HELD.**

Please note that applications **must be certified by a current elected officer** of the Interested REALTOR®'s home state association (Section E).

You may submit your completed application and required materials to Amy Jones, Legal Coordinator by email at [ajones@realtors.org](mailto:ajones@realtors.org) or by mail to:

**NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS®**

Attention: Amy Jones, Legal Coordinator  
430 North Michigan Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60611

**NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS®**  
**APPLICATION FOR ELECTED OFFICE**

I submit this application to campaign for the office of:

☐ President-Elect

☐ Treasurer

☐ First Vice President

☐ Regional Vice President, Region \_\_\_\_\_

Potential Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

NRDS ID#: \_\_\_\_\_ Residence Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Position held with firm: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Business Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

## **A. LEGAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

As a Potential Candidate for NAR elected office, you agree to cooperate in a legal audit of previous or pending matters against you or a firm in which you are a principal, partner or corporate officer, and any other matters deemed relevant by NAR's Office of General Counsel.

If there are no matters subject to disclosure in one or more of the categories listed below, check the box marked "No" and initial the line next to the box. **For matters subject to disclosure, please submit any relevant information related to such matter(s) to NAR's Office of General Counsel by no later than the June 1 application deadline. These materials should be marked "personal and confidential".**

1. Is there any pending federal, state or county litigation or regulatory action to which the Potential Candidate or a firm in which the Potential Candidate is/was a principal, partner or corporate officer is a party?

☐ Yes

☐ No (initial if checked) \_\_\_\_\_

2. Have any judgments been entered against the Potential Candidate or a firm in which the Potential Candidate is/was a principal, partner or corporate officer?

☐ Yes

☐ No (initial if checked) \_\_\_\_\_

3. Has any disciplinary action been taken against the Potential Candidate or a firm in which the Potential Candidate is/was a principal, partner or corporate officer?

☐ Yes

☐ No (initial if checked) \_\_\_\_\_

4. Has the Potential Candidate ever been indicted or convicted of a felony or misdemeanor?

☐ Yes

☐ No (initial if checked) \_\_\_\_\_

## **B. ELIGIBLE CANDIDATE REQUIRED CRITERIA**

1. Have you had a personal bankruptcy within the last 7 years?

☐ Yes

☐ No (initial if checked) \_\_\_\_\_

2. Have you had any personal foreclosures within the last 7 years?

☐ Yes

☐ No (initial if checked) \_\_\_\_\_

3. Do you have a credit score at or above 650?

☐ No

☐ Yes (initial if checked) \_\_\_\_\_

4. Do you have any current delinquent tax filings and/or payments?

☐ Yes

☐ No (initial if checked) \_\_\_\_\_

### **C. OTHER INFORMATION**

1. Are you aware of and able to commit to the responsibilities and time commitment that you will be required to make as an NAR Elected Officer?

☐ Yes

☐ No

2. Do you agree to attend the two regular Board of Director's meetings of the National Association, as well as any other meetings required for the office to which you may be elected?

☐ Yes

☐ No

3. Is there anything in your background that you have not disclosed to NAR, which although not specifically asked, if made known could cause an embarrassment to or shed negative light on NAR?

☐ No

☐ Yes    If yes, please explain below.

**D. POTENTIAL CANDIDATE SIGNATURE**

I understand and agree that during my candidacy, and if elected to an NAR office, I will comply with all provisions of NAR's Constitution and Bylaws, the Campaign & Election Rules Manual, and any other applicable NAR policies and procedures.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Potential Candidate's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**E. CERTIFICATION OF HOME STATE ASSOCIATION ENDORSEMENT**

I certify that I am a current elected officer of the state association listed below, and on behalf the association, I certify that the association endorses the Potential Candidate to run for the NAR Elected Office listed on this Application for Elected Office.

Association Name: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Current Elected Officer of Association

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

**NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS®  
AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF AND DISCLOSURE OF CREDIT,  
LEGAL AND CRIMINAL BACKGROUND REPORTS**

- 1) I hereby authorize the National Association of REALTORS® (NAR) to request and obtain a copy of my criminal background report. In granting this authorization, I acknowledge that I have been informed of NAR's purpose in obtaining the reports and consent to such use, which is in connection with the evaluation of my Application for Elected Office.
- 2) I hereby submit the attached tri-merge credit report with my FICO score (Experian, TransUnion, and Equifax) dated between March 1 and June 1 of the year in which I am submitting my Application for Elected Office, and authorize the disclosure of my credit report to NAR's outside auditor.
- 3) Furthermore, I hereby authorize the disclosure of the financial, legal and criminal background evaluation reports prepared by NAR's outside auditor and NAR's Office of General Counsel to the Candidate Audit Work Group, and I understand and acknowledge that any issues deemed material by the Candidate Audit Work Group may be reported to the Credentials and Campaign Rules Committee.

**Please complete and do not abbreviate any of the information provided below:**

**Full Legal Name:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**First**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Middle**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Last**

**Maiden Name/Previous Legal Name:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**First**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Middle**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Last**

**Current Home Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Current County of Residence:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Social Security Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_