Thank you for taking an interest in working the elections with us!

Please complete attached documents.

- State of Michigan Election Inspector Application – complete the entire application
- W-4 Employee’s Withholding Certificate – complete items highlighted in yellow

Submit forms to the Orion Township Clerk’s Office located at 2323 Joslyn Road, Lake Orion, MI 48360.

Contact the Orion Township Clerk’s office 248-391-0304 x 4001 with questions.

We will contact you via email with training opportunities and additional information.
State of Michigan Election Inspector Application
(Complete in your own handwriting and return to your local City/Township Clerk – find your local Clerk at mi.gov/vote)

personal information

Full Name ____________________________
Date of Birth _______/_______/_______ Email Address ____________________________
Home Address ________________________________________________________________
Phone #’s Home: ____________________ Work: ____________________ Cell: ____________________
Registered in ☐ City or ☐ Township of __________________________ Pct # ________ Ward # ________
County of ____________________________

Political Party Affiliation (REQUIRED; must be a recognized state party & may not be Independent):
☐ Republican ☐ Democratic ☐ Libertarian ☐ U.S. Taxpayers ☐ Green ☐ Natural Law ☐ Working Class

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or election crime? ☐ Yes ☐ No

education and experience information

Education Background (include highest grade completed or degree held) ____________________________

Employment Background (include current or last place of employment and type of work performed) ____________________________

Languages other than English that you speak (if any) ____________________________

Please rate your computer experience (data look-up, database processing, creating .pdfs, etc.):
☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5

Past experience as an election inspector, if any (include name of jurisdiction) ____________________________

Do you have transportation? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Will you work at any polling place? ☐ Yes ☐ No If not, explain: ____________________________

signature and certification

I CERTIFY THAT I am not a member or a known active advocate* of a political party other than the party identified above. I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT the foregoing statements are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

_________________________________________ ____________________________
Signature of Applicant Date

* A "known active advocate" of another political party is defined to mean a person who 1) is a delegate to the convention or an officer of another party; 2) is affiliated with another party through an elected or appointed government position or; 3) has made documented public statements specifically supporting by name another political party or its candidates in the same calendar year as the election at which the person will serve as an inspector. "Documented public statements" means statements reported by the news media or written statements with a clear and unambiguous attribution to the applicant.

ANY FALSE STATEMENTS MADE ON THIS APPLICATION WILL DISQUALIFY THE APPLICANT.

Approved by State Director of Elections (August 2017)
**Employee’s Withholding Certificate**

Complete Form W-4 so that your employer can withhold the correct federal income tax from your pay. Give Form W-4 to your employer.

Your withholding is subject to review by the IRS.

### Step 1: Enter Personal Information

- **(a) First name and middle initial**
- **(b) Last name**
- **(c) Social security number**
- **Address**
- **City or town, state, and ZIP code**

Does your name match the name on your social security card? If not, to ensure you get credit for your earnings, contact SSA at 800-772-1213 or go to www.ssa.gov.

- **Single or Married filing separately**
- **Married filing jointly or Qualifying surviving spouse**
- **Head of household (Check only if you’re unmarried and pay more than half the costs of keeping up a home for yourself and a qualifying individual)**

Complete Steps 2–4 ONLY if they apply to you; otherwise, skip to Step 5. See page 2 for more information on each step, who can claim exemption from withholding, other details, and privacy.

### Step 2: Multiple Jobs or Spouse Works

Complete this step if you (1) hold more than one job at a time, or (2) are married filing jointly and your spouse also works. The correct amount of withholding depends on income earned from all of these jobs.

Do only one of the following.

- **(a) Reserved for future use.**
- **(b) Use the Multiple Jobs Worksheet on page 3 and enter the result in Step 4(c) below; or**
- **(c) If there are only two jobs total, you may check this box. Do the same on Form W-4 for the other job. This option is generally more accurate than (b) if pay at the lower paying job is more than half of the pay at the higher paying job. Otherwise, (b) is more accurate**

**TIP:** If you have self-employment income, see page 2.

### Step 3: Claim Dependent and Other Credits

If your total income will be $200,000 or less ($400,000 or less if married filing jointly):

- Multiply the number of qualifying children under age 17 by $2,000 $______
- Multiply the number of other dependents by $500 ______ $______

Add the amounts above for qualifying children and other dependents. You may add to this the amount of any other credits. Enter the total here ______ ______ ______ $______

### Step 4: Other Adjustments

- **(a) Other income (not from jobs). If you want tax withheld for other income you expect this year that won’t have withholding, enter the amount of other income here. This may include interest, dividends, and retirement income** 4(a) $______
- **(b) Deductions. If you expect to claim deductions other than the standard deduction and want to reduce your withholding, use the Deductions Worksheet on page 3 and enter the result here** 4(b) $______
- **(c) Extra withholding. Enter any additional tax you want withheld each pay period** 4(c) $______

### Step 5: Sign Here

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that this certificate, to the best of my knowledge and belief, is true, correct, and complete.

**Employee’s signature** (This form is not valid unless you sign it.)

**Date**

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**Employers Only**

- **Employer’s name and address**
- **First date of employment**
- **Employer identification number (EIN)**

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For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see page 3.
General Instructions
Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code.

Future Developments
For the latest information about developments related to Form W-4, such as legislation enacted after it was published, go to www.irs.gov/FormW4.

Purpose of Form
Complete Form W-4 so that your employer can withhold the correct federal income tax from your pay. If too little is withheld, you will generally owe tax when you file your tax return and may owe a penalty. If too much is withheld, you will generally be due a refund. Complete a new Form W-4 when changes to your personal or financial situation would change the entries on the form. For more information on withholding and when you must furnish a new Form W-4, see Pub. 505, Tax Withholding and Estimated Tax.

Exemption from withholding. You may claim exemption from withholding for 2023 if you meet both of the following conditions: you had no federal income tax liability in 2022 and you expect to have no federal income tax liability in 2023. You had no federal income tax liability in 2022 if (1) your total tax on line 24 on your 2022 Form 1040 or 1040-SR is zero (or less than the sum of lines 27, 28, and 28), or (2) you were not required to file a return because your income was below the filing threshold for your correct filing status. If you claim exemption, you will have no income tax withheld from your paycheck and may owe taxes and penalties when you file your 2023 tax return. To claim exemption from withholding, certify that you meet both of the conditions above by writing "Exempt" on Form W-4 in the space below Step 4(c). Then, complete Steps 1(a), 1(b), and 5. Do not complete any other steps. You will need to submit a new Form W-4 by February 15, 2024.

Your privacy. If you have concerns with Step 2(c), you may choose Step 2(b); if you have concerns with Step 4(a), you may enter an additional amount you want withheld per pay period in Step 4(c).

Self-employment. Generally, you will owe both income and self-employment taxes on any self-employment income you receive separate from the wages you receive as an employee. If you want to pay income and self-employment taxes through withholding from your wages, you should enter the self-employment income on Step 4(a). Then compute your self-employment tax, divide that tax by the number of pay periods remaining in the year, and include that resulting amount per pay period on Step 4(c). You can also add half of the annual amount of self-employment tax to Step 4(b) as a deduction. To calculate self-employment tax, you generally multiply the self-employment income by 14.13% (this rate is a quick way to figure your self-employment tax and equals the sum of the 12.4% social security tax and the 2.9% Medicare tax multiplied by 0.9235). See Pub. 505 for more information, especially if the sum of self-employment income multiplied by 0.9235 and wages exceeds $160,200 for a given individual.

Nonresident alien. If you're a nonresident alien, see Notice 1392, Supplemental Form W-4 Instructions for Nonresident Aliens, before completing this form.

Specific Instructions
Step 1(c). Check your anticipated filing status. This will determine the standard deduction and tax rates used to compute your withholding.

Step 2. Use this step if you (1) have more than one job at the same time, or (2) are married filing jointly and you and your spouse both work.

If you (and your spouse) have a total of only two jobs, you may check the box in option (c). The box must also be checked on the Form W-4 for the other job. If the box is checked, the standard deduction and tax brackets will be cut in half for each job to calculate withholding. This option is roughly accurate for jobs with similar pay; otherwise, more tax than necessary may be withheld, and this extra amount will be larger the greater the difference in pay is between the two jobs.

Multiple jobs. Complete Steps 3 through 4(b) on only one Form W-4. Withholding will be most accurate if you do this on the Form W-4 for the highest paying job.

Step 3. This step provides instructions for determining the amount of the child tax credit and the credit for other dependents that you may be able to claim when you file your tax return. To qualify for the child tax credit, the child must be under age 17 as of December 31, must be your dependent who generally lives with you for more than half the year, and must have the required social security number. You may be able to claim a credit for other dependents for whom a child tax credit can’t be claimed, such as an older child or a qualifying relative. For additional eligibility requirements for these credits, see Pub. 501, Dependents, Standard Deduction, and Filing Information. You can also include other tax credits for which you are eligible in this step, such as the foreign tax credit and the education tax credits. To do so, add an estimate of the amount for the year to your credits for dependents and enter the total amount in Step 3. Including these credits will increase your paycheck and reduce the amount of any refund you may receive when you file your tax return.

Step 4 (optional).

Step 4(a). Enter in this step the total of your other estimated income for the year, if any. You shouldn’t include income from any jobs or self-employment. If you complete Step 4(a), you likely won’t have to make estimated tax payments for that income. If you prefer to pay estimated tax rather than having tax on other income withheld from your paycheck, see Form 1040-ES, Estimated Tax for Individuals.

Step 4(b). Enter in this step the amount from the Deductions Worksheet, line 5, if you expect to claim deductions other than the basic standard deduction on your 2023 tax return and want to reduce your withholding to account for these deductions. This includes both itemized deductions and other deductions such as for student loan interest and IRAs.

Step 4(c). Enter in this step any additional tax you want withheld from your pay each pay period, including any amounts from the Multiple Jobs Worksheet, line 4. Entering an amount here will reduce your paycheck and will either increase your refund or reduce any amount of tax that you owe.