NOTICE OF CANDIDACY
NORTH CAROLINA
CRAVEN COUNTY

ELECTION	PRIMARY
ELECTION DATE	03/15/2016
JURISDICTION	SCHOOL
JURISDICTION VALUE	03

FRAUDULENTLY OR FALSELY COMPLETING THIS FORM IS A CLASS I FELONY UNDER CHAPTER 163 OF THE NC GENERAL STATUTES.

TO: CRAVEN COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS **Candidate ID:** GCD1SD

RE: NOTICE OF CANDIDACY FOR OFFICE OF: SCHOOL BOARD - DISTRICT 3

CANDIDATE'S NOTICE AND PLEDGE

(select appropriate checkbox and complete section based on the contest for which you are filing your notice of candidacy)

PARTISAN CONTESTS (Federal, State, County or Municipal)

☐ I hereby file notice as a candidate for nomination for _____ in District _____ in the _____ party primary election to be held on _____ I affiliate with the _____ party, and I certify that I am now registered on the registration records of the precinct in which I reside as an affiliate of the _____ party. I further certify that I have not changed my political party affiliation within the past **seventy-five (75) days**, nor have I changed from "unaffiliated" status to my current affiliation within the past **seventy-five (75) days**. I pledge that if I am defeated in the primary, I will not run for the same office as a write-in candidate in the next general election.

NON-PARTISAN CONTESTS

☒ I hereby file notice as a candidate for election to the office of SCHOOL BOARD - DISTRICT 3 in District _____ in the PRIMARY Election to be held on 03/15/2016 in CRAVEN County.

JUDICIAL CONTESTS

☐ I hereby file notice as a candidate for election to the office of _____, to succeed _____ (*Name and District if applicable*), in the regular election to be conducted _____. I certify that I am now registered on the registration records of the precinct in which I reside. I understand that if required by G.S. § 163-322, a non-partisan primary is scheduled to be conducted on _____ My N.C. State Bar No. is _____. **(Provide if filing for judicial or District Attorney contests.)**

CANDIDATE INFORMATION

ASHLEY MOORE SMITH *Full Legal Name*	Ashley M. Smith *Name to Appear on Ballot*
1215 PINE VALLEY DR *Residential Address*	*Mailing Address*
NEW BERN, NC 28562 *City, State and Zip*	*City, State and Zip*
(252) 649-1588 *Home Phone*	(813) 833-4411 *Cell Phone*
Business Phone	*Email Address*

FELONY DISCLOSURE

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? ☐ YES ☒ NO

If you have been convicted of a felony, you are required to complete the "Candidate Felony Disclosure" form within 48 hours of submitting this notice. GS § 163-106. The required form can be obtained from any election office or from the NC State Board of Elections website at www.NCSBE.gov. A prior felony conviction does not preclude holding elected office if rights of citizenship have been restored. Felony conviction need not be disclosed if the conviction was dismissed as a result of reversal on appeal or resulted in a pardon of innocence or expungement.

AFFIDAVIT ATTESTING TO NICKNAME

I, _____ (*Legal Name*) have been duly sworn, hereby state under oath that I have been commonly known by the nickname, _____ (*Nickname*) for at least five years and request that my name be placed on the ballot as follows: _____ (*Name to Appear on Ballot*). In the event that another candidate with the same last name as mine files notice of candidacy for the same office for which I am a candidate, my name should be listed as follows: _____ (*Legal name and nickname*)

CANDIDATE'S AFFIRMATION

I swear or affirm that the statements on this form are true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge or belief.

X _____ (*Signature of Candidate*) 12/01/2015 (*Date*)

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CERTIFICATION OF AFFIDAVIT OF NICKNAME
(if applicable)

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, _____ COUNTY

I hereby certify that, _____ the candidate who signed the AFFIDAVIT ATTESTING TO NICKNAME, personally appeared before me this day and signed this document in my presence.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of_____,_____.

X _____
Notary Signature

NOTARY SEAL

_____
Printed Name

_____
My Commission Expires

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF NOTICE OF CANDIDACY

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, CRAVEN COUNTY

I hereby certify that, ASHLEY MOORE SMITH, the candidate who signed this NOTICE OF CANDIDACY, personally appeared before me this day and signed this document in my presence or acknowledged his/her signature to be the same.

Date: 12/01/2015

LEONE LEWIS NOTARY PUBLIC PAMLICO COUNTY, NC
NOTARY SEAL
6-1-19

X Leone Lewis
Signature of Certifying Officer (or Notary)

Leone Lewis
Printed Name of Certifying Officer (or Notary)

Election Specialist I
Title of Certifying Officer

6-1-19
My Commission Expires

VERIFICATION BY COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

The undersigned has examined the voter registration records in CRAVEN COUNTY and found that ASHLEY MOORE SMITH

☑ Is a registered voter in this county. School Bd District 3

☐ (Municipal Contests Only) Is a registered voter in the municipality of _____.

☐ (Partisan Contests Only) Is affiliated with _____ party and has not changed his/her political party affiliation within the past seventy-five (75) days.

Director of Elections — *Title of County Official*

X Melissa M W — *Signature of County Official*

12-1-15 — *Date*

The Notice of Candidacy must be signed in the presence of the chairman, secretary or director of the Board of Elections with which he/she files or a candidate may have his/her signature on the Notice of Candidacy acknowledged and certified to be any officer authorized to administer an oath.