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KANSAS SECRETARY OF STATE
City/School Candidate's
Declaration of Intention

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Harvey County Clerk

1. Name

List exactly as it will appear on ballot, including all punctuation.

Melanie S. Watson

2. City

Newton

3a. Office sought

City Commission

3b. District Number

4. Term

Regular Unexpired

5. Preferred title

Used for mailing purposes.

Mr. Mrs. Ms. Dr.

6. Residential address

Provide a street or rural route. Do not leave blank.

Address

325 Springlake Dr.

City

Newton

County

Flx

Zip

67111

7. Mailing address

Complete if mailing address is different from above.

Address

325 Springlake Dr.

City

Newton

State

KS

Zip

67114

8. Telephone number

Home

Work

Cell

316 212-5781

9. Email address

WatsonMCityCommissioner@gmail.com

10. I declare that I intend to become a candidate for the above-stated office at the appropriate election.

Signature of Candidate

X *Melanie Watson*

Today's Date:

Mo.

8

Day

30

Yr.

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County Election Officer

X *Rick Papp*

Deputy Election Officer

X

Paid \$70.00 CC



GOVERNMENTAL ETHICS COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES

I shall conduct my campaign in the best tradition, discussing the issues as I see them, presenting my record and policies with sincerity and frankness, and criticizing without fear or favor the record and policies of my opponent and his or her party which merit such criticism.

I shall conduct my campaign without the use of vilification, character defamation, whispering campaigns, libel, slander, or scurrilous attacks on any candidate or his or her personal or family life.

I shall conduct my campaign forswearing any dishonest or unethical practice which tends to discredit the legislative process or the Legislature as an institution.

I shall conduct my campaign without the use of campaign material of any sort which misrepresents, distorts, or otherwise falsifies the facts regarding any candidate, as well as the use of malicious or unfounded accusations against any candidate which aim at creating or exploiting doubts, without justification, as to his or her loyalty and patriotism.

I shall refrain from the unfair practice of publicizing campaign material detrimental to my opponent too near election day to permit my opponent's rebuttal.

I shall conduct my campaign without any appeals to prejudice based on race, sex, creed, or national origin.

I shall immediately and publicly repudiate support deriving from any individual or group which resorts, on behalf of my candidacy or in opposition to that of my opponent, to the methods and tactics which I condemn.

I, the undersigned, candidate for election to a state or local office in Kansas, hereby endorse, subscribe to, and solemnly pledge myself to conduct my campaign in accordance with the above principles and practices.

City Commission
Office Sought

Melanie Watson
Name (Please Print)

6/2/25
Date

Melanie Watson
Signature