NOTICE OF CANDIDACY (Non- PARTISAN) 2012 (Election Year) Municipal/County **Election**

For the office of: COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER

Date: 07/06/2012 **Candidate ID:** 5DU77E

I hereby file notice as a candidate for election to the office of COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER **in the** _____ **Election to be held on** 11/06/2012 **in** CATAWBA **County.**

I request that my name appear on the ballot as follows:

Jennifer (Jen) A. Townsend
Please print or type name above

6090 TUCKBOROUGH, HICKORY, NC 28602
Residential Address: (Street, City, ZIP)

PO BOX 2571, HICKORY, NC 28603
Mailing Address if different (POB, City, Zip)

Home: ( ) _____ - _____ **Cell:** (828) 612 - 9141 **Business:** ( ) _____ - _____

Check "YES" or "NO" I swear to the following to be true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge or belief.

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

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**

Signature of Candidate (legal name) _____

Certification of Notice of Candidacy

I hereby certify that Jennifer (Jen) A. Townsend (Name as it will appear on ballot)**, the candidate who signed above, personally appeared before me this day and signed in my presence.**

Sworn and subscribed before me this 6th **day of** July, 2012.

Title and signature of certifying Officer: Notary Rebecca F. Buff Rebecca F. Buff

My commission expires: 04-11-2016 **State of North Carolina, County of** Catawba

REBECCA F. BUFF NOTARY PUBLIC CATAWBA COUNTY, N.C.

Verification by County Board of Elections

The undersigned has examined the voter registration records in CATAWBA **County and found** JENNIFER TOWNSEND **to be a registered voter in the municipality/county of** _____.

~~County Chairman, Secretary~~ or Director: Lisamy Brewer
Signature and 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 by any officer authorized to administer an oath. (See NCGS § 163-294.2.) In signing his/her notice of candidacy the candidate may use a nickname provided the candidate complies with the requirement specified in GS § 163-106 and GS § 163-323(a).

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