



2020 NJOMA Election Procedures

Candidacy Deadline: February 9, 2020 at 5:00 p.m.

NJOMA Bylaws

Article V – Board of Directors

Section 1 Composition: The NJOMA Board of Directors shall consist of representatives from each Region and four (4) At-Large. Any member of the Association that desires to change the number of members of the Board of Directors to ensure the efficient operation of the Association must adhere the Article XII criteria.

Elections will take place at the 2020 NJOMA Conference for the following:

Two (2) Regions

Region 1

Region 4

One (1) At-Large Position

East Central At-Large (Regions 3 and 4)

Filing for Candidacy:

1. All candidates must attend the 2020 NJOMA Conference.
2. All candidates must have a **paid registration or a purchase order from your sending organization documented with your name** by filing deadline of February 9, 2020.
3. Candidates must submit a written Declaration of Candidacy and pay a \$20 fee by filing deadline of February 9, 2020.
4. Candidates must adhere to the procedures outlined in the Election Procedures.
5. Candidates must attend scheduled Caucus meetings.
6. Potential candidates must attend the Board Candidate Orientation Workshop.
7. If elected to the NJOMA Board of Directors, members must attend the mandatory NJOMA Board of Directors' meeting on Wednesday, February 12, 2020 at 9:00 a.m.

Election Protests:

The Election Committee will consider any election protest filed by a declared candidate submitted by 9:00 a.m. on the final day of the conference. Following the protest filing deadline, the Election Committee will meet and render a decision within one (1) hour. The decision of the Election Committee will be final.



National Johnson-O'Malley Association

NJOMA Board of Directors
Declaration of Candidacy Form
Deadline: February 9, 2020 (5:00 p.m.)

Name: _____ Tribal Affiliation: _____
Organization: _____ NJOMA Region: _____
Email: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Mark the NJOMA Board of Director's position for which you are seeking:

- _____ Region 1 Representative
_____ Region 4 Representative
_____ East Central At-Large Representative (Regions 3 and 4)

Please provide a brief statement of interest or involvement with Indian Education Programs:

Four horizontal lines for writing a statement of interest or involvement.

Commitment Statement: I hereby state that, if elected, I will attend all meetings, conferences, and other activities of the National Johnson - O'Malley Association in accordance with the NJOMA Bylaws. Must attend the mandatory Board of Directors' meeting on February 12, 2020 at 8:30 a.m.

Signature

Date

This completed form, along with a paid registration or a purchase order from your sending organization documented with your name, candidacy filing fee of \$20 (cash or credit card) must be presented to the Cashier at the conference registration table by 5:00 p.m. on February 9, 2020.