

Village of Northfield Caucus Application 2024

* Indicates required question

1. Email *

2. Which Role Are You Applying For? *

Check all that apply.

Village President

Village Trustee

If you are not selected for Village President role are you interested in Village Trustee

3. Full Name (First Name Last Name) *

4. Northfield Home Address

5. Please list any other names you have been known by

6. Preferred Email Address *

7. Phone Number *

Educational Credentials

8. Academic Degrees, Institution and Dates Attended *

Professional Background

9. Profession *

10. Professional Qualifications/Licensure/Credentials *

11. Current Employer Name, Title/Position and Dates

12. Former Employer 1 (Last 10 years), Title/Position and Dates *

13. Former Employer 2 (Last 10 years), Title/Position and Dates

14. Former Employer 3 (Last 10 years), Title/Position and Dates

15. Former Employer 4 (Last 10 years), Title/Position and Dates

16. Please describe any activities or organizations directly related to your profession that you are involved in *

17. Have you ever had a professional license suspended or revoked? *

Mark only one oval.

Yes

No

18. If yes, please describe

Family Background

19. Spouse/Partner's Name *

20. Ages of Children, if any

21. Do you have a spouse/partner or children who live in Northfield? *

Mark only one oval.

Yes

No

22. If Yes, do the spouse/partner or children have any business relationships (paid or unpaid), positions, jobs or roles with the Village of Northfield

Mark only one oval.

Yes

No

23. If Yes, please describe

Northfield Residency and Activities

24. How many years have you lived in Northfield *

25. Please describe any municipal Village of Northfield Board, Committees or Commissions that you are involved in or have been involved in *

26. Please describe any other activities and organizations in the Village of Northfield that you are involved in or have been involved *

27. Have you been involved in any litigation involving the Village of Northfield in the past three years? *

Mark only one oval.

Yes

No

28. If yes, please describe

29. Do you currently have any petitions pending before the Village? *

Mark only one oval.

Yes

No

30. If yes, please describe

31. Have you filed state and federal tax filings for the most recent year? *

Mark only one oval.

Yes

No

32. Other than minor traffic violations, are you currently involved in any legal proceedings as a party? *

Mark only one oval.

Yes

No

33. If yes, please describe

Other Activities and Organizations

34. Please describe any activities and organizations outside of the Village of Northfield that you participate in and have participated in over the last 5 years *

35. Please describe your involvement in working as part of a committee or group in the last five years? Please describe the groups and how they worked together to complete their objectives. *

Village Board Questions

36. Have you reviewed the Village Board Procedural Guidelines? *

Mark only one oval.

Yes

No

37. Why are you interested in serving as Village President or Village Trustee? *

38. How do you view the role of a member of the Village Board? What do you view as the scope of duties and the responsibilities of the role? *

39. In order of priority, what do you view as the key issues facing the Village of Northfield in the next several years? *

40. How can you contribute to the composition of the Village of Northfield Board of Trustees? *

41. Is there a specific Village issue that has lead to your interest in joining the Village Board? *

Mark only one oval.

Yes

No

42. If yes, please describe

43. Are there specific Village of Northfield issues that you have been actively involved in in the last five years? *

Mark only one oval.

Yes

No

44. If yes, please describe the issue and your involvement

45. What skills or attributes do you believe are necessary and useful to be an effective group member? *

46. What strategies do you use to engender trust among groups or committees you have worked on? *

47. Do you support the Northfield Caucus Platform? *

Mark only one oval.

Yes

No

48. How would you engage residents to participate in Village government if you were elected? *

49. Are there aspects of the Platform you disagree with or would recommend modifying? *

50. If selected by the Caucus are you willing to actively campaign for your election, as necessary and appropriate? *

Mark only one oval.

Yes

No

Maybe

Representations and Commitments

51. *By applying for consideration as a prospective candidate for office, the undersigned recognizes that the position sought requires a significant time commitment. A board member is expected to attend regularly scheduled Village Trustee and Committee meetings as well as ad hoc meetings. Meetings often require a significant amount of preparation time. Once slated, a candidate's time may be needed for interaction with the community to solicit voter support. Once in office and for the duration of the term of office, a Trustee's time may be needed to meet with the community to discuss issues and topics of interest.* *

Please advise if you have any limitations on your prospective ability to commit the requisite time to this position. If none, please state "None"

52. I certify that all information in this application is true. If selected by the Northfield Village Caucus, I will actively work with the Caucus for my election. If elected, I will actively participate in Board affairs, attend meetings regularly and carry my equitable proportion of Board work and responsibilities in a conscientious, reliable, and professional manner to the best of my ability. *

If you agree, please type your name and date below.

53. Background Check Authorization *

Pursuant to applicable law, I hereby authorize the Northfield Village Caucus and its designated agents and representatives to conduct a comprehensive review of my background, including through a consumer report and/or an investigative consumer report to be generated (if applicable) to evaluate my qualifications and fitness as an elected official of the Village of Northfield, in the position of Village Trustee or Village President. This also may be accomplished through correspondence, interview or other research with neighbors, friends, family and associates with whom I may be acquainted or who may have knowledge on the listed matters. I understand that the scope of the inquiry and/or consumer report/investigative consumer report may include, but is not limited to, the following areas: references and criminal history, including records from any criminal justice agency in any or all federal, state or county jurisdictions; general reputation, personal characteristics, motor vehicle records, including traffic citations and registrations and any other public records.

I authorize the release of these records or data pertaining to me that an individual, company, or public agency may have. I hereby authorize and request police departments, or other persons having personal knowledge of me to furnish the Northfield Village Caucus or its designated agents with any and all information in their possession regarding me in connection with the application for an elected official position. I am authorizing that a photocopy of this authorization be accepted with the same authority as the original. I understand that, pursuant to applicable law, if any adverse action is to be taken based upon any consumer report, a copy of the report and a summary of rights will be provided to me.

If you agree type your name and date below.

References

54. Reference 1 (Name, Address, Telephone, Email, Nature of Relationship) *

55. Reference 2 (Name, Address, Telephone, Email, Nature of Relationship) *

56. Reference 3 (Name, Address, Telephone, Email, Nature of Relationship) *

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