

**FIFTH EPISCOPAL DISTRICT  
MIDWEST CONFERENCE LAY ORGANIZATION  
AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
NOMINATING COMMITTEE**

**DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY FOR 2024-2026**

**NOTE:** Current officers or Incumbents cannot serve more than eight (8) years in the same office but are eligible to run for a different office.

**The completed form must bear the signatures of the candidate and their *current* Local Lay President. Each candidate is responsible for obtaining the required signatures. Incomplete forms **WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.****

**NOTE: The Deadline to receive the Declaration of Candidacy is May 4, 2024.**

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I, \_\_\_\_\_, declare that I am an active member in good and regular standing of my Local and Conference Lay Organization and not a candidate for ordination. I desire to seek the following office in the MIDWEST CONFERENCE LAY ORGANIZATION of the AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

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| _____ President                     | _____ Financial Secretary          |
| _____ First Vice-President          | _____ Chaplain                     |
| _____ Second Vice-President         | _____ Historiographer              |
| _____ Third Vice-President          | _____ Parliamentarian              |
| _____ Recording Secretary           | _____ Director of Lay Activities   |
| _____ Assistant Recording Secretary | _____ Director of Public Relations |
| _____ Corresponding Secretary       | _____ Young Adult Representative   |
| _____ Treasurer                     |                                    |

**A LETTER OF INTENT WITH QUALIFYING BIOGRAPHICAL DATA FOR THIS OFFICE MUST ACCOMPANY THIS COMPLETED FORM (please print).**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (evening): \_\_\_\_\_ (daytime): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Church: \_\_\_\_\_ Conference: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Candidate's Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

My signature is confirmation that I am the president of the \_\_\_\_\_

Local Lay Organization. \_\_\_\_\_ is an active member in  
(Print Name)

good and regular standing in this Local Lay Organization.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Local Lay President (\_\_\_\_\_) - \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Information

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email Date