

# **Community College District 512 Trustee Election Packet**

**April 1, 2025  
Consolidated Election**

Note: This information is being provided as a courtesy to those interested in participating as a candidate in the 2025 Consolidated Election. Please refer to the Illinois State Board of Elections 2025 Candidate's Guide for complete information.

**CANDIDATE INFORMATION SHEET**  
**Consolidated Election – Tuesday, April 1, 2025**

**Harper College District 512**  
**Board of Trustees**

**NOTE:** This information is provided as a public service and is intended as a **general** guide only; it does not constitute legal advice. The Illinois State Board of Elections and Harper College recommend that all prospective candidates consult with legal counsel when preparing their nomination papers and prior to filing. For further information on requirements, including a copy of the State of Illinois 2025 Candidate’s Guide, visit the Illinois State Board of Elections website, [www.elections.il.gov](http://www.elections.il.gov).

**TERMS OF OFFICE OPEN**

There are two six-year terms for the Harper College Board of Trustees. Successful candidates shall each serve terms beginning with the organizational Board Meeting in April 2025 and ending at the reorganizational Board Meeting in April 2031.

**QUALIFICATIONS**

Candidates must be a U.S. citizen; be 18 years of age or older on the date of the election; be a resident of Illinois and the district for at least one year immediately preceding the election and not be a member of a common school board.

**IMPORTANT DATES**

- Tuesday, August 20, 2024                      First day to **circulate** nominating petitions (must include original sheets signed by voters and circulators)
- Tuesday, November 12-18, 2024              **Filing period** for nominating petitions
- Monday, November 25, 2024                Last day to **file objection** to nomination papers

Nomination papers may be filed either in person or by mail. By law, any nomination papers received by mail **prior to the first day** and time of filing or after the last day and time of filing will not be eligible for the election.

**NOMINATION PAPERS**

1. Statement of Candidacy (notarized)
2. Petition for Nomination Sheets - signed by at least 50 registered voters residing within District 512 (notarized). Photocopy additional sheets if needed prior to circulating.
3. Statement of Economic Interests to be filed with the Cook County Clerk’s office. (Original stamped receipt)
4. Loyalty Oath (optional)

**NOMINATION PAPERS FILED by a CANDIDATE MUST FOLLOW THIS FORMAT**

All Petition for Nomination sheets must be:

1. Original, all one uniform size, and numbered consecutively, beginning with the top petition signature sheet as number “1.”

2. The Statement of Candidacy, optional filings (Loyalty Oath), and receipt for filing the Statement of Economic Interests should be attached to the petition sheets, preferably on top, and do not need to be of uniform size to the petition sheets nor be numbered.
3. The petition signature sheets must be neatly fastened together in book form at one edge in a secure and suitable manner (paperclips, clipboards, etc., are not secure ways to fasten petitions and those bound in this manner will not be accepted).

**WHERE to FILE**

The office of the local election official, represented by the Harper Board Liaison Jeff Julian, located:  
Harper College Wojcik Conference Center (Building W)  
Office of the President - Suite W-301-307  
1200 W. Algonquin Road, Palatine, IL 60067  
Telephone 847-925-6183

**FILING HOURS**

**First Day to File**                    Tuesday, November 12, 2024, through Monday, November 18, 2024  
Monday-Friday 8:00 am to 4:30 pm

**Last Day to File**                    Monday, November 18, 2024 – 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**LOTTERY to DETERMINE BALLOT POSITION**

1. Petitions filed in person at 8:00 am on the first filing day and petitions filed by mail and received in the first mail delivery of the first filing day, are included in the lottery drawing to determine the first ballot position.
2. Petitions filed in person after 8:00 am on the first filed day and petitions filed by mail and received after the first mail delivery of the first filing day are not included in the lottery drawing and are placed on the ballot in the order filed.
3. Two or more petitions filed within the last hour of the filing deadline (between 4:00 pm and 5:00 pm on the last filing day) shall be deemed filed simultaneously and are included in the lottery drawing to determine the final ballot position.
4. The lottery to determine first and last ballot positions is held within nine days following the last day to file petitions.

**LOTTERY DATE (if needed)**

Friday, November 22, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.

If you have any questions regarding the filing of your nomination, you may contact the local election official Jeff Julian at 847-925-6183 or [jjulian1@harpercollege.edu](mailto:jjulian1@harpercollege.edu)

STATEMENT OF CANDIDACY

NONPARTISAN

NAME:	OFFICE:  A Full Term is sought, unless an unexpired term is stated here: ____ year unexpired term
ADDRESS – ZIP CODE:	CITY, VILLAGE OR SPECIAL DISTRICT:

If required pursuant to 10 ILCS 5/7-10.2, 8-8.1 or 10-5.1, complete the following (this information will appear on the ballot)

FORMERLY KNOWN AS \_\_\_\_\_ UNTIL NAME CHANGED ON \_\_\_\_\_  
(List all names during last 3 years) (List date of each name change)

STATE OF ILLINOIS )  
 ) SS.  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

I, \_\_\_\_\_ being first duly sworn (or affirmed), say that I reside at \_\_\_\_\_, in the City, Village, Unincorporated Area of \_\_\_\_\_

(if unincorporated, list municipality that provides postal service) Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_, in the County of \_\_\_\_\_, State of Illinois; that I am a qualified voter therein, that I am a candidate for Nomination/

Election to the office of \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ (Name of City, Village or Special District)

to be voted upon at the election to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ (date of election) and that I am legally qualified to hold such office and that I have filed (or I will file before the close of the petition filing period) a Statement of Economic Interests as required by the Illinois Governmental Ethics Act and I hereby request that my name be printed upon the official ballot for Nomination/Election to such office.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Candidate)

Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) by \_\_\_\_\_ before me, on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Candidate) (insert month, day, year)

(SEAL)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Notary Public's Signature)

**PETITION FOR NOMINATION**  
**TO THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

We, the undersigned, being (\_\_\_\_\_ or more) (or 10% or more) of the voters residing within said district, hereby petition that \_\_\_\_\_ who resides at \_\_\_\_\_ in the City, Village, Unincorporated Area of \_\_\_\_\_ (If unincorporated, list municipality that provides postal service) in \_\_\_\_\_ Township in said district shall be a candidate for the office of member of the Board of Trustees, to be voted for at the Consolidated Election to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ (date of election).

**A Full Term is sought, unless an unexpired term is stated here: \_\_\_\_\_ year unexpired term**

If required pursuant to 10 ILCS 5/10-5.1, complete the following (this information will appear on the ballot)

FORMERLY KNOWN AS \_\_\_\_\_ UNTIL NAME CHANGED ON \_\_\_\_\_  
(List all names during last 3 years) (List date of each name change)

NAME (VOTER'S SIGNATURE)	VOTER'S PRINTED NAME (optional)	STREET ADDRESS OR RR NUMBER	CITY, TOWN OR VILLAGE	COUNTY
1.			,IL	
2.			,IL	
3.			,IL	
4.			,IL	
5.			,IL	
6.			,IL	
7.			,IL	
8.			,IL	
9.			,IL	
10.			,IL	

State of \_\_\_\_\_ )  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

SS.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (Circulator's Name) do hereby certify that I reside at \_\_\_\_\_, in the City/Village/Unincorporated Area of \_\_\_\_\_ (if unincorporated, list municipality that provides postal service) (Zip

Code) \_\_\_\_\_, County of \_\_\_\_\_, State of \_\_\_\_\_ that I am 18 years of age or older (or 17 years of age and qualified to vote in Illinois), that I am a citizen of the United States, and that the signatures on this sheet were signed in my presence, not more than 90 days preceding the last day of filing of the petitions and are genuine and that to the best of my knowledge and belief the persons so signing were at the time of signing the petition registered voters of the political division in which the candidate is seeking elective office, and their respective residences are correctly stated, as above set forth.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Circulator's Signature)

Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) by \_\_\_\_\_ before me, on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Circulator) (Insert month, day, year)

(SEAL)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Notary Public's Signature)

ATTACH TO PETITION

10 ILCS 5/7-10.1

Suggested  
Revised July, 2004  
SBE No. P-1C

**L O Y A L T Y   O A T H**  
(OPTIONAL)

United States of America                    )  
  )  
State of Illinois                                )       SS.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do swear (or affirm) that I am a citizen of the United States and the State of Illinois, that I am not affiliated directly or indirectly with any communist organization or any communist front organization, or any foreign political agency, party, organization or government which advocates the overthrow of constitutional government by force or other means not permitted under the Constitution of the United States or the Constitution of this State; that I do not directly or indirectly teach or advocate the overthrow of the government of the United States or of this State or any unlawful change in the form of the governments thereof by force or any unlawful means.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Candidate)

Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) by \_\_\_\_\_ before me,  
(Name of Candidate)

on \_\_\_\_\_.  
(insert month, day, year)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Notary Public's Signature)

(SEAL)



# Statement of Economic Interests Form

## Instructions, Receipt and FAQ

**CANDIDATES ONLY**

### Instructions

- You may find the following documents helpful in completing this form:
  - ➔ Federal income tax returns.
    - ➔ Including any related schedules, attachments, and forms.
  - ➔ Investment and brokerage statements.
- To complete this form, you do not need to...
  - ➔ Disclose specific amounts or values.
  - ➔ Report interests relating to political committees registered with the Illinois State Board of Elections, or political committees, principal campaign committees, or authorized committees registered with the Federal Election Commission.
    - ➔ The information you disclose will be available to the public.
- You must answer all 7 questions.
  - ➔ Certain questions will ask you to report any applicable assets or debts held in, or payable to, your name; held jointly by, or payable to, you with your spouse; or held jointly by, or payable to, you with your minor child.
- If you have any concerns about whether an interest should be reported, please consult your Department's Ethics Officer, if applicable (*See the State Officials and Employees Ethics Act, 5 ILCS 430*).
  - ➔ Please ensure that the information you provide is complete and accurate.
  - ➔ All filers, **including candidates**, without ethics counsel should consult an attorney.
    - ➔ The Cook County Clerk cannot provide legal advice.
- If you need more space than the form allows, please attach additional pages for your response.
- If you are subject to the State Officials and Employees Ethics Act, your Ethics Officer must review your Statement of Economic Interests before you file it.
- ✳ Failure to complete the statement in good faith and within the prescribed deadline may subject you to fines, imprisonment, or both.

### Receipt of Statement of Economic Interests Form (CANDIDATES ONLY)

1. **Complete** the receipt information below.
2. **Bring this page**, with your completed Statement of Economic Interests Form, to the Cook County Clerk's office to be stamped and filed.

➤ List each office or position of employment for which this statement is filed below:

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- Receipt is hereby acknowledged of your Statement of Economic Interests.
- ➔ Filed pursuant to the Illinois Governmental Ethics Act.
  - ➔ Filed as of this date.

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

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

*Cook County Stamp  
Here*

## FAQ

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The Statement of Economic Interest, required by law to be filed by candidates for office, elected officials and certain government employees, has been changed by state law. There are new questions and requirements for disclosure.

➤ See ILCS 5 ILCS 420/Article 4a for a full list of specific legal filing requirements

### **To assist in completing a Statement of Economic Interest, the following information may be helpful:**

- The law requires filers to disclose certain types of assets and debts.
  - **Assets that are subject to the requirements of disclosure** include stocks, bonds, sector mutual funds, sector exchange traded funds, real estate investments, beneficial interest in trusts, business interests and partnership interests.
  - **Assets that are NOT subject to the requirements of disclosure** include personal residences, personal vehicles, savings or checking accounts, bonds notes or securities issued by any branch of the government, Medicare benefits, inheritances, or bequests (other than beneficial interest in trusts), diversified funds, annuities, pensions, retirement accounts, qualified college savings plans, tax exempt disability plans, and tangible personal property.
  - **Debts that are subject to the requirements of disclosure** include any money or monetary obligation owed at any time during the preceding calendar year to an individual, company or other organization, personal loans from friends or business associates, business loans made outside a lender's regular course of business, and loans made below market interest rates.
  - **Debts that are NOT subject to the requirements of disclosure** include loans from a financial institution, government agency, or business entity that are granted on terms made available to the general public, mortgages, student loans, credit card debts or car loans.
- The definition of "[f]amily" includes a filer's spouse, children, stepchildren, parents, stepparents, siblings, step-siblings, sons and daughters in law, grandparents, grandchildren, as well as parents and grandparents of the filer's spouse, and any person living with the filer.
- This information is for informational purposes only.
  - All legal duties arise from the statutory language in ILCS 5 ILCS 420/Article 4a.





4. List the name of each unit of government of which you or your spouse were an employee, contractor, or office holder during the preceding calendar year other than the unit or units of government in relation to which the person is required to file and the title of the position or nature of the contractual services.

**Name of Unit of Government**

**Title or Nature of Services**

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5. If you maintain an economic relationship with a lobbyist or if a member of your family is known to you to be a lobbyist registered with any unit of government in the State of Illinois, list the name of the lobbyist below and identify the nature of your relationship with the lobbyist. If you do not have an economic relationship with a lobbyist or a family member known to you to be a lobbyist registered with any unit of government in the State of Illinois, list "none" below.

**Name of Lobbyist**

**Relationship to Filer**

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6. List the name of each person, organization, or entity that was the source of a gift or gifts, or honorarium or honoraria, valued singly or in the aggregate in excess of \$500 received during the preceding calendar year and the type of gift or gifts, or honorarium or honoraria, excluding any gift or gifts from a member of your family that was not known to be a lobbyist registered with any unit of government in the State of Illinois. If you had no such gifts, list "none" below.

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7. List the name of any spouse or immediate family member living with the person making this statement employed by a public utility in this State and the name of the public utility that employs the relative.

**Name and Relation**

**Public Utility**

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**Verification**

"I declare that this Statement of Economic Interests (including any attachments) has been examined by me and to the best of my knowledge and belief is a true, correct and complete statement of my economic interests as required by the Illinois Governmental Ethics Act. I understand that the penalty for willfully filing a false or incomplete statement is a fine not to exceed \$2,500 or imprisonment in a penal institution other than the penitentiary not to exceed one year, or both fine and imprisonment."

Name of Filer (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Certification of Ethics Officer Review (State of Illinois Only)**

If this Statement of Economic Interests requires ethics officer review prior to filing, the applicable ethics officer must complete the following: "In accordance with law, as Ethics Officer, I reviewed this Statement of Economic Interests prior to its filing."

Printed Name of Ethics Officer: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred email address (optional): \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_