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2026 DECLARATION OF INTENT To Seek Certification as a Maine Clean Election Act Candidate

Candidate's Name:

(Please Print)

I hereby declare my intent to become certified as a Maine Clean Election Act candidate and to comply with the requirements of the Maine Clean Election Act. I authorize the Commission to conduct a financial audit of my campaign, including but not limited to financial records and account(s). I affirm the following in support of this Declaration of Intent:

- That I am seeking certification as a Maine Clean Election Act candidate.
- That I understand that any qualifying contribution I collected more than five business days before <u>filing</u> this Declaration of Intent with the Commission will not be counted toward the eligibility requirement.
- That I have raised and spent only seed money contributions since becoming a candidate, and that I will continue to comply with applicable seed money restrictions.
- That I will deposit and maintain all Maine Clean Election Act funds I receive in an account to be used solely for campaign purposes, and that all my payments of Maine Clean Election Act funds will comply with the Commission's expenditure guidelines.
- That I will obtain and keep campaign records required by the Maine Clean Election Act and by the Commission's rules and policies.
- That I have received or will obtain from the Commission the current Candidate Guidebook containing the Commission's policies.
- That I have elected to participate in this voluntary public financing program, and understand that it is my responsibility to review and to comply with the Maine Election Law, and the Commission's rules and policies.

I certify that the above affirmations are true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Date

Candidate's Signature

This form must accompany the registration form for MCEA candidates.