

NOTE: Due to COVID-19 restrictions 2020 – 2021, Candidates for **President** and **1st Vice-President 2023** **MUST have attended** the **2021 Virtual State Conference** and the **2021 Hybrid Summer Workshop**. Attendance in the last two years also includes **in-person 2020 State Conference** and **2020 Vision Virtual Conference** which took the place of 2020 Summer Workshop.



**NEW MEXICO ASSOCIATION OF STUDENT COUNCILS
Student Officer and Executive Advisor Candidate Application**

All applicants must enclose two (2) wallet-size photos, preferably “school photo” type photos with solid color neutral backgrounds (no trees; no sunglasses or hats; only your head & shoulders in the photo).

THIS FORM MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR BY DECEMBER 7, 2021.
PRINT ADDITIONAL COPIES IF MORE THAN ONE CANDIDATE PER SCHOOL.

Name of Candidate _____ Name of School _____

Home Address _____ Parent Phone () _____
Street, route, box, etc. Circle one: Indicate Mother / Father / Guardian

Cell Phone () _____ E-Mail Address _____

Students Only _____ Students Only _____
Birth Date (Month, Day, Year) **2022-2023** Grade in School

Please refer to the NMASC Constitution/Constitution By-Laws for Executive Board duties and responsibilities of the OFFICE FOR WHICH CANDIDACY IS BEING DECLARED. NOMINATIONS WILL NOT BE TAKEN FROM THE FLOOR. IF THERE ARE NO APPLICATIONS, VACANCIES WILL BE APPOINTED.

_____ NMASC President _____ Executive Adviser to NMASC 2nd Vice-President
(three-year term) 2023-2025

_____ NMASC 1st Vice-President

_____ NMASC 2nd Vice-President

_____ NMASC Secretary

I UNDERSTAND THAT MY TERM OF OFFICE WILL BEGIN AT THE SPRING 2022 EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING AND CONTINUE THROUGH THE SPRING, 2023 (2025 for executive advisor) State Conference. I ALSO UNDERSTAND THAT FAILURE TO SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE ANY OF THE DUTIES SUBJECTS ME TO REMOVAL FROM MY OFFICE. THESE RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES AS A BOARD MEMBER INCLUDE:

- ...Attendance at a training workshop held at the March 19-20, 2022 Executive Board meeting.
- ...Attendance at four executive board meetings (March, June, January, February) and any others held in accordance with the NMASC Constitution; and others determined necessary by the executive director or executive board - in-person or virtual.
- ...Attendance at the NMASC Fall Conference in my home District; NMASC State Conference, and NMASC Summer Workshop each year of my term and fulfillment of the responsibilities that are assigned to my position.

(Please complete next page with ALL required signatures, and requirements.)

Student and Executive Advisor Candidates - Please attach as separate page - typed in WORD - Times New Roman 11 pt font. Use 6 lines to provide a summary of your qualifications for the office you seek. Qualifications will be published for certified candidates for all positions. Write your qualifications carefully in sentence format. Your qualifications will not be edited and will be printed as submitted. A maximum of six lines will be printed. Present your best self in leadership!

Student Candidates only:

As a candidate, I understand that I am required to attend all NMACS Executive Board meetings - in-person and virtual; that I must attend the NMACS Fall District Conference in my home District; that I must attend State Conference; that I must attend the NMACS Summer Workshop; that I must maintain academic eligibility during my tenure; and that I must comply with the duties outlined in the NMACS Constitution/By-Laws; that I must maintain status as a member in good standing of my school council. I will submit an up-to-date official transcript In January 2022. I further understand that failure to successfully complete any of these duties is grounds for removal from my office. Further, I understand that failure to submit this complete candidate application on time, or absence or tardiness from candidate meetings during the State Conference may eliminate me as a candidate for office.

Candidate Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

School Administrator and Student Council Adviser only:

The candidate _____, is a student at _____.
Name of Candidate Name of School

S/he is academically eligible as per NMAA academic guidelines, as of this date. We support this candidacy and will support the student if s/he is elected as an NMACS officer. It is the responsibility of the school administrator and the school student council advisor to notify the NMACS Executive Director immediately if the candidate becomes academically ineligible, withdraws from school, or is disciplined by your school's student council or through suspension or expulsion.

Administrator Signature _____ Date _____

Advisor Signature _____ Date _____



School Student Council Advisor of the Candidate:

Please write a one-page letter of your recommendation on behalf of this state officer candidate. Your honesty is appreciated. Please Include length of time you have known and worked with this candidate, and in what capacity(ies); after reviewing the duties of the office as outlined In the NMACS Constitution/By-Laws, your statement of the candidate's ability to fulfill the requirements of the office they seek; any further Information you would like to share concerning this candidate.

Executive Advisor Candidates only:

As an adult executive advisor, I understand that I am required to attend all NMACS Executive Board meetings; that I must attend the Fall District Conference in the NMACS District in which I reside; attend the NMACS State Conference, that I must attend the NMACS Summer Workshop, and that I must comply with the duties outlined in the NMACS Constitution/By-Laws. Further, I understand that failure to submit this application on time, or absence or tardiness at the State Conference Official Opening session on the first evening of the State Conference will eliminate me as a candidate for office.

Candidate Signature _____ Date _____