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GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT
 CITY SECRETARY
 CARROLLTON, TX

APPLICATION FOR A PLACE ON THE May 1, 2021
 TO: City Secretary/Secretary of Board

I request that my name be placed on the above-named official ballot as a candidate for the office indicated below.

OFFICE SOUGHT (Include any place number or other distinguishing number, if any.)
Council Member, Place I

INDICATE TERM
 FULL
 UNEXPIRED

FULL NAME (First, Middle, Last) SEMERE T. HABTEMARIAM
 PRINT NAME AS YOU WANT IT TO APPEAR ON THE BALLOT¹ SEM HABTEMARIAM

PERMANENT RESIDENCE ADDRESS (Do not include a P.O. Box or Rural Route. If you do not have a residence address, describe the address at which you receive personal mail and location of residence.)
4300 Apple Dr.

PUBLIC MAILING ADDRESS (Campaign mailing address, if available.)

CITY <u>Carrollton</u>	STATE <u>TX</u>	ZIP <u>75010</u>	CITY	STATE	ZIP
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PUBLIC EMAIL ADDRESS (If available) semhabte@gmail.com
 OCCUPATION (Do not leave blank) Sales/ Author
 DATE OF BIRTH [REDACTED]
 VOTER REGISTRATION VOID NUMBER (Optional)²

TELEPHONE CONTACT INFORMATION (Optional)
 Home:
 Work:
 Cell: 972-333-2887

LENGTH OF CONTINUOUS RESIDENCE AS OF DATE APPLICATION SWORN

IN STATE	IN TERRITORY FROM WHICH THE OFFICE SOUGHT IS ELECTED ³
<u>31</u> year (s)	<u>21</u> year (s)
<u>3</u> month(s)	<u>2</u> month(s)

If using a nickname as part of your name to appear on the ballot, you are also signing and swearing to the following statements: I further swear that my nickname does not constitute a slogan nor does it indicate a political, economic, social, or religious view or affiliation. I have been commonly known by this nickname for at least three years prior to this election.

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared (name) SEM HABTEMARIAM, who being by me here and now duly sworn, upon oath says:

"I, (name) SEM HABTEMARIAM, of DENTON County, Texas, being a candidate for the office of Council Member, Place I, swear that I will support and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States and of the State of Texas. I am a citizen of the United States eligible to hold such office under the constitution and laws of this state. I have not been finally convicted of a felony for which I have not been pardoned or had my full rights of citizenship restored by other official action. I have not been determined by a final judgment of a court exercising probate jurisdiction to be totally mentally incapacitated or partially mentally incapacitated without the right to vote. I am aware of the nepotism law, Chapter 573, Government Code.

I further swear that the foregoing statements included in my application are in all things true and correct."

X [Signature]
 SIGNATURE OF CANDIDATE

Sworn to and subscribed before me at 10:05am, this the 7 day of February, 2021.

Signature of Officer Administering Oath⁴ [Signature]
 Title of Officer Administering Oath City Secretary

TO BE COMPLETED BY CITY SECRETARY OR SECRETARY OF BOARD:
 (See Section 1.007)
2/9/21
 Date Received

Signature of Secretary [Signature]

Seal: LAURIE GARBER WILSON
 Notary ID #130502801
 My Commission Expires January 19, 2024

Voter Registration Status Verified



**CITY OF CARROLLTON, TEXAS
OATH OF NOMINATION**

"I hereby declare and accept the nomination for the Office of Council Member^{place 1}, and agree to serve if elected. I am 51 years of age, a qualified voter of the City of Carrollton, and a resident of the State of Texas for at least one (1) year and of the City of Carrollton or an area now within the corporate limits of the City of Carrollton for at least six (6) months. I am not in arrears in payment of any taxes or other liability due the city. At the present time, I reside at 4300 Apple Dr in the City of Carrollton."



[Handwritten Signature]

Signature of Candidate

Date and hour of filing: 10:05 am 2/9/21

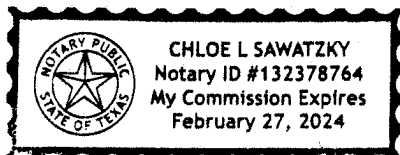
Received by: J Wilson

Signature of City Secretary

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF DALLAS

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Sem Hobtemarian known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and who acknowledged to me that the same was subscribed as his/her free act and deed for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office this 9 day of February, 2021.



[Handwritten Signature: Chloe L. Sawatzky]

Notary Public

My commission expires 2024


NOTE: Candidates' accounts will be checked for outstanding library fees, municipal court fees, utility fees, ambulance fees and taxes.

APPOINTMENT OF A CAMPAIGN TREASURER BY A CANDIDATE

FORM CTA
PG 1

See CTA Instruction Guide for detailed instructions.

1 Total pages filed:

2 CANDIDATE NAME	MS / MRS / MR <input checked="" type="radio"/> FIRST <i>SEM</i> MI	OFFICE USE ONLY	
	NICKNAME LAST <i>HABTEMARIAM</i> SUFFIX		
3 CANDIDATE MAILING ADDRESS	ADDRESS / PO BOX; APT / SUITE #; CITY; STATE; ZIP CODE	RECEIVED FEB 09 2021 CITY SECRETARY CARROLLTON, TX	
	<i>4300 Apple Dr. Carrollton TX 75010</i>		
4 CANDIDATE PHONE	AREA CODE PHONE NUMBER EXTENSION	Receipt #	Amount \$
	<i>(972) 333-2887</i>	Date Processed	
5 OFFICE HELD (if any)		Date Imaged	
6 OFFICE SOUGHT (if known)	<i>Council Member, Place 1</i>		
7 CAMPAIGN TREASURER NAME	MS/MRS/MR FIRST MI NICKNAME LAST SUFFIX		
	<i>Yodi Askale</i>		
8 CAMPAIGN TREASURER STREET ADDRESS (residence or business)	STREET ADDRESS (NO PO BOX PLEASE); APT / SUITE #; CITY; STATE; ZIP CODE		
	<i>4300 Apple Dr. Carrollton TX 75010</i>		
9 CAMPAIGN TREASURER PHONE	AREA CODE PHONE NUMBER EXTENSION		
	<i>(972) 322-6073</i>		
10 CANDIDATE SIGNATURE	I am aware of the Nepotism Law, Chapter 573 of the Texas Government Code. I am aware of my responsibility to file timely reports as required by title 15 of the Election Code. I am aware of the restrictions in title 15 of the Election Code on contributions from corporations and labor organizations.		
		<i>2/9/21</i>	
	Signature of Candidate	Date Signed	

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**CANDIDATE MODIFIED
REPORTING DECLARATION**

**FORM CTA
PG 2**

**11 CANDIDATE
NAME**

**12 MODIFIED
REPORTING
DECLARATION**

**COMPLETE THIS SECTION ONLY IF YOU ARE
CHOOSING MODIFIED REPORTING**

**•• This declaration must be filed no later than the 30th day before
the first election to which the declaration applies. ••**

•• The modified reporting option is valid for one election cycle only. ••
(An election cycle includes a primary election, a general election, and any related runoffs.)

**•• Candidates for the office of state chair of a political party
may NOT choose modified reporting. ••**

I do not intend to accept more than \$930 in political contributions
or make more than \$930 in political expenditures (excluding filing
fees) in connection with any future election within the election
cycle. I understand that if either one of those limits is exceeded, I
will be required to file pre-election reports and, if necessary, a
runoff report.

Year of election(s) or election cycle to
which declaration applies

Signature of Candidate

This appointment is effective on the date it is filed with the appropriate filing authority.

TEC Filers may send this form to the TEC electronically at treasappoint@ethics.state.tx.us
or mail to

Texas Ethics Commission
P.O. Box 12070
Austin, TX 78711-2070

Non-TEC Filers must file this form with the local filing authority
DO NOT SEND TO TEC

For more information about where to file go to:
<https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/filinginfo/QuickFileAReport.php>

CODE OF FAIR CAMPAIGN PRACTICES

FORM CFCP
COVER SHEET

Pursuant to chapter 258 of the Election Code, every candidate and political committee is encouraged to subscribe to the Code of Fair Campaign Practices. The Code may be filed with the proper filing authority upon submission of a campaign treasurer appointment form. Candidates or political committees that already have a current campaign treasurer appointment on file as of September 1, 1997, may subscribe to the code at any time.

Subscription to the Code of Fair Campaign Practices is voluntary.

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1 ACCOUNT NUMBER
(Ethics Commission Filers)

2 TYPE OF FILER

CANDIDATE

POLITICAL COMMITTEE

If filing as a candidate, complete boxes 3 - 6, then read and sign page 2.

If filing for a political committee, complete boxes 7 and 8, then read and sign page 2.

3 NAME OF CANDIDATE
(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

TITLE (Dr., Mr., Ms., etc.)

FIRST

SEM

MI

NICKNAME

LAST

HABTEMARIAM

SUFFIX (SR., JR., III, etc.)

4 TELEPHONE NUMBER OF CANDIDATE
(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

AREA CODE

PHONE NUMBER

EXTENSION

(972) 333 - 2887

5 ADDRESS OF CANDIDATE
(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

STREET / PO BOX;

APT / SUITE #;

CITY;

STATE;

ZIP CODE

4300 Apple Dr. Carrollton TX 75010

6 OFFICE SOUGHT BY CANDIDATE
(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

Council Member, Place 1

7 NAME OF COMMITTEE
(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

Friends of Sem (FOS)

8 NAME OF CAMPAIGN TREASURER
(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

TITLE (Dr., Mr., Ms., etc.)

FIRST

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NICKNAME

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There are basic principles of decency, honesty, and fair play that every candidate and political committee in this state has a moral obligation to observe and uphold, in order that, after vigorously contested but fairly conducted campaigns, our citizens may exercise their constitutional rights to a free and untrammelled choice and the will of the people may be fully and clearly expressed on the issues.

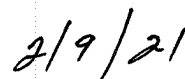
THEREFORE:

- (1) I will conduct the campaign openly and publicly and limit attacks on my opponent to legitimate challenges to my opponent's record and stated positions on issues.
- (2) I will not use or permit the use of character defamation, whispering campaigns, libel, slander, or scurrilous attacks on any candidate or the candidate's personal or family life.
- (3) I will not use or permit any appeal to negative prejudice based on race, sex, religion, or national origin.
- (4) I will not use campaign material of any sort that misrepresents, distorts, or otherwise falsifies the facts, nor will I use malicious or unfounded accusations that aim at creating or exploiting doubts, without justification, as to the personal integrity or patriotism of my opponent.
- (5) I will not undertake or condone any dishonest or unethical practice that tends to corrupt or undermine our system of free elections or that hampers or prevents the full and free expression of the will of the voters, including any activity aimed at intimidating voters or discouraging them from voting.
- (6) I will defend and uphold the right of every qualified voter to full and equal participation in the electoral process, and will not engage in any activity aimed at intimidating voters or discouraging them from voting.
- (7) I will immediately and publicly repudiate methods and tactics that may come from others that I have pledged not to use or condone. I shall take firm action against any subordinate who violates any provision of this code or the laws governing elections.

I, the undersigned, candidate for election to public office in the State of Texas or campaign treasurer of a political committee, hereby voluntarily endorse, subscribe to, and solemnly pledge myself to conduct the campaign in accordance with the above principles and practices.



Signature



Date