

1.C. Your Oath of Office Example:

I, (name), do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of member of the Board of Education (or Board of School Directors, as the case may be) of (name of School District), in accordance with the Constitution of the United States, the Constitution of the State of _____, and the laws of the State of _____, to the best of my ability.

Make sure you use a legal Oath of Office. In 2014 the Ohio School Boards Association sent out an Oath of Office that omitted the US Constitution. This "Oath" was illegal since Ohio Revised Code requires that the oath includes the US as well as the Ohio Constitutions.

The OSBA has been in business since 1955. Do you think this omission was an accident? Since that happened, I have found several districts that have used the illegal "Oath" sent out by OSBA.