

The Episcopal Diocese of Montana

Vestry Endorsement for Ordination to the Priesthood

In compliance with Title III Canon 5, Section 2(c) and Title III Canon 8, Section 7(b)(2)].

To the Standing Committee of the Episcopal Diocese of Montana:

We, the vestry of _____, certify that, after due inquiry, we are well assured and believe that the Reverend _____, Deacon since the ____ day of _____ in the year _____, being the date of ordination to the Diaconate, is a person worthy to be ordained to the Sacred Order of Priests in Christ's holy catholic Church.

Signed: _____
Clergy/leader of the Parish of _____

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VESTRY OF THE PARISH

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Attestation of the Foregoing Certificate

I hereby certify that the Reverend _____ is a member of the clergy of _____ Parish in _____; Or that _____ is a leader exercising oversight at _____ Parish in _____; that the foregoing certificate was signed at a meeting of the Vestry duly convened at _____, _____, on the ____ day of _____, 200__, and the names attached are those of all (or at least a two-thirds majority of all) the members of the Vestry.

Signed: _____ Date: _____
Clerk of the Vestry