Priest and Vestry Endorsement for Ordination to the Transitional Diaconate  
Diocese of Nebraska

To: The Rt. Rev. J. Scott Barker, Bishop of Nebraska

Place: ____________________________________________ Date: ________________________

We do certify that _______________________________ is well-known to us and that members of our congregation continue to be actively involved in his/her preparation for ordination to the priesthood. And, moreover, we think ______________________________ is a person worthy to be admitted to the Holy Orders.

Signed_____________________________________________  
Rector or Priest-in-charge of the parish to which applicant belongs

VESTRY OF SAID PARISH

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ATTESTATION OF THE FOREGOING CERTIFICATE

I HEREBY certify that _______________________________ is a member of - __________________________ Parish in ____________________________, Nebraska and a confirmed adult communicant in good standing; that the foregoing certificate was signed at a meeting of the Vestry of _____________________________ Parish, duly convened at _____________________ on the _________ day of __________________, 20____, and that the names attached are those of all (or a two-thirds majority of all) the members of the Vestry.

Signed__________________________________  
Clerk/Secretary of the Vestry

Total number of Vestry members ________

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Please send the completed form to:  
The Episcopal Diocese of Nebraska  
109 N. 15th St.  
Omaha, NE 68102

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