



**C.6 Vestry Endorsement for Ordination to the Diaconate  
Episcopal Diocese of Eastern Oregon**

## Endorsement for Ordination to the Diaconate

To the Right Reverend Patrick Bell

Bishop of the Diocese of Eastern Oregon:

In accordance with Canon [III.6.6(b)(2) *or* III.8.6(c)(2)], we do certify that, after due inquiry, we are well assured and believe that \_\_\_\_\_ has lived a sober, honest, and godly life, and is loyal to the Doctrine, Discipline and Worship of this Church, and does not hold anything contrary thereto. And, we think

\_\_\_\_\_ a person worthy to be admitted to the  
SACRED ORDER OF DEACONS.

Rector or Vicar

[Signed] \_\_\_\_\_

[Date] \_\_\_\_\_

### VESTRY

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I hereby certify that the foregoing certificate was signed at a meeting of the Vestry of \_\_\_\_\_ Church, \_\_\_\_\_

duly convened on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, and that the names attached are those of all (or a two-thirds majority) the members.

[Signed] \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk or Secretary of Vestry/BAC