LOCAL CHURCH ENDORSEMENT

After an applicant for the ministry has been approved by the local pastor, the district overseer, and the administrative bishop, he/she must be approved by the local congregation. The congregation should consider the areas of evaluation contained in the Pastoral Recommendation before taking action on the endorsement. This consideration may take place in either a regular conference or a conference called for this particular business.

If the applicant is approved by the local church in conference, the following certificate should be completed and submitted to the district overseer and the administrative bishop.



Endorsement Certificate

The ______ Church of God certifies that this congregation has considered the qualifications of ______. Upon the recommendation of the pastor of this congregation, we recommend the applicant to the district overseer and the administrative bishop to be considered for the ministerial rank of ______ in the Church of God. Date of conference ______

Local Church Clerk _____ Date ____

Pastor ______ Date _____

District Overseer _____ Date ____